

Conference Agenda

Thursday, September 19

7:00 am-7:45 am	Registration & Breakfast
7:45 am-8:00 am	Welcome & Conference Opening <i>Kathy Cochran, MS, BSN, RN-BC, CIC, FAPIC, Quality Director, Infection Prevention, ECU Health, APIC NC President</i>
8:00 am-9:00 am	APIC President Address: Opportunities for the Future of Infection Prevention & Control <i>Tania Bubb, PhD, RN, CIC, FAPIC, Senior Director Infection Prevention & Control, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, 2024 APIC President</i>
9:00 am-10:00 am	Does your teamwork actually make the dream work? <i>Adam Koontz, MA, LCMHCS, Senior Director – Clinical Ethics, Advance Care Planning, Spiritual Care, Novant Health</i>
10:00 am-10:15 am	Break
10:15 am-11:15 am	Updates in Infection Prevention in Congregate Living <i>Chris Shoff, MD, Infectious Disease Specialist, Durham Veterans Affairs Healthcare System</i>
11:15 am-1:00 pm	Lunch & Networking with Vendors
1:00 pm-2:00 pm	Kitchen Apprehension: Server Turned IP Spills the Tea <i>Tim Bowers, MS, CIC, FAPIC, CPHQ, Vice President Clinical Effectiveness, ChristianaCare</i>
2:00 pm-3:00 pm	Exhibit Hall
3:00 pm-4:00 pm	Legionella Safety and Water Management in Healthcare <i>Brandon Gross, MS, Water Program Manager, Advocate Health</i>
4:00 pm-6:00 pm	APIC NC Social Event

Friday, September 20

7:00 am-7:45 am	Registration & Breakfast
7:45 am-8:00 am	Announcements <i>Chanda Madar, RN, BSN, CIC, Director of Infection Control, Vascular Access, & Dialysis, Wayne UNC Healthcare, APIC NC President Elect</i>
8:00 am-9:00 am	Infection Prevention and Construction, Highlights for IPs <i>JJ Jenkins, Industrial Hygienist, CICTI, Inc</i>
9:00 am-10:00 am	Maximizing Impact: How to Prepare Research Findings for Conferences <i>Bobby Warren, MPS, Lab Director, Disinfection, Resistance, & Transmission Epidemiology (DiRTE) Lab</i>
10:00 am-10:15 am	Break
10:15 am-11:15 am	C. auris Outbreak Investigation in NC <i>Kendalyn Stephens, MPH, HAI Epidemiologist, NC DHHS CDB</i>
11:15 am-1:00 pm	Lunch & Business Meeting
1:00 pm-2:00 pm	A FMEA Journey-To the Milk Room and Beyond <i>Natalie Sneed, MSN, RN, CIC, CNOR, Infection Preventionist, Caromont Health</i>
2:00 pm-3:00 pm	CLABSI and CAUTI Prevention: For Love of the Line-CAUTION Reduction <i>Kathy Cochran, MS, BSN, RN-BC, CIC, FAPIC, Quality Director, Infection Prevention, ECU Health, APIC NC President</i>
3:00 pm-3:15 pm	Conference Closing <i>Chanda Madar, RN, BSN, CIC, Director of Infection Control, Vascular Access, & Dialysis, Wayne UNC Healthcare, APIC NC President Elect</i>