



New Jersey Society Of Health-System Pharmacists

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NORTH CENTRAL CHAPTER MEETING NOTICE

Update in Antimicrobial Stewardship Programs and the Role of Rapid Diagnostics in a Health System

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WHEN: **Tuesday, November 27, 2018**

LOCATION: Overlook Medical Center
Bouras Auditorium
99 Beauvoir Avenue
Summit, NJ 07901

TIME: 5:30 – 6:00 PM Registration/Chapter Meeting/Dinner
6:00 – 7:30 PM CE Program

OBJECTIVES: (Knowledge-Based) at the completion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

Pharmacist: (1.5 Contact Hours of CE)

1. List the benefits of having Antimicrobial Stewardship Program (ASP)
2. Explain updates in the literature and regulations involving The Joint Commission and CMS
3. List successful implementation of various ASP interventions and the metrics associated with them
4. Recognize the utilization of rapid diagnostics and their impact on ASP

Pharmacy Technician: (1.5 Contact Hours of CE)

1. Recall the importance of implementation of ASP in a hospital setting
2. Recognize the national regulatory updates surrounding ASP and its effect on pharmacy department
3. List various ways pharmacy department can be involved in ASP
4. Recognize various available rapid diagnostic tests (RDT) and their advantages

**RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED BY: Monday, November 26, 2018 by 12-noon: [CLICK HERE](#)
LIMITED TO 60 ATTENDEES. Please register early! All members are welcome to attend.**

Meeting Cancellation: In case of inclement weather, please contact (609) 936-2205, NJSHP's headquarters, to determine if the meeting has been delayed or cancelled.

Target Audience: This CE program was planned to meet the needs of pharmacists and pharmacy technicians practicing in a variety of health systems.

Program registration: There is no fee for NJSHP members attending this program.

NON-MEMBERS: This program is open to current, active NJSHP members only. If you are interested in becoming a member, please enroll online at: <https://connect.computility.com/f/index.php>

Handouts: Handout materials can be downloaded prior to the meeting at:
<http://www.njsph.org/Membership/MembersOnly/Handouts.aspx>. You **must** login to see the handouts.

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Pharmacist: ACPE #0152-0000-18-041-L04-P

Technician: ACPE #0152-0000-18-041-L04-T

This is a **knowledge-based** program for pharmacists and pharmacy technicians. This program provides **1.5 contact hours** of continuing education credits.

This program is being sponsored by **CSL Behring LLC** and the **North Central Chapter** of NJSHP.

At the end of the program, attendees will receive a post-meeting assessment in their email. Completion of this will be required to record participation. This post-meeting survey must be completed within **30-days**. CE certificates will be available only to those who complete the post-meeting assessment. NJSHP is now using CPE Monitor to record attendance at all of our ACPE accredited programs.

