

## Goals

The Northern and Southern New Jersey Chapters of the Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology, Inc. and the New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services believe that the practice of infection prevention requires the knowledge and understanding of many facets of this health field. This five-day course is designed to prepare the new practitioner or an individual responsible for infection prevention to perform the duties and responsibilities required by his/her position in an ambulatory, alternative, acute, or long-term care facility.

## Objectives

- Identify the modes of transmission, incubation periods, host resistance, and susceptibility to various infections and communicable diseases.
- Implement appropriate measures to prevent the spread of infection.
- Define the principles and processes used in sterilization, disinfection and sanitation in the health care facility.
- Present the management and communication skills necessary for the coordination of an effective infection prevention program.
- Define the governmental regulations and standards which govern infection control practice.
- Define criteria for identifying hospital associated infections in the acute or chronically ill patient.

## Credits

This continuing nursing education activity was approved by New Jersey State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's COA.

This Course was approved for 30.5 Contact Hours through 4/13.

## General Information

The fee for this five-day course is \$475; included in this fee are materials, continental breakfast, lunch and refreshments. A refund, less \$50, will be given only if written notification of cancellation is received 10 days prior to the course. Enrollment is limited. Confirmation of registration will be by e-mail upon receipt of payment. We reserve the right to cancel the program at any time by returning the funds in question.

### If you have additional questions, call:

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## Course Content

- Antimicrobials
- Barrier Precautions
- Basic Statistics
- Employee Health
- Post-Exposure Prophylaxis
- ICP as an Educator
- Infections in the Elderly
- Immunology
- Immunizations
- Microbiology
- C. difficile
- Mycobacterial Infection
- Health Care Associated Infections
- Outbreak Investigation
- Overview of Regulations
- ✓ OSHA
- ✓ OBRA
- ✓ CMS
- Joint Commission
- Principles of Management
- Product Evaluation
- Performance Improvement
- Resistant Organisms
- Surveillance Methods
- Skin Infections
- Sterilization/Disinfection
- Viral Hepatitis
- Construction Issues
- ✓ Acute Care
- ✓ Ambulatory Care
- ✓ Long Term Care
- ✓ Dialysis
- ✓ Home Care

- The course day will run from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- For directions to conference, visit: [www.njha.com](http://www.njha.com)
- This course does not provide infection control certification

## Principles of Infection Prevention and Control April 16 - April 20, 2012 Seminar Registration

Early Registration Fee: \$475.00 DEADLINE: March 16, 2012  
Late Registration Fee: \$530.00 DEADLINE: March 23, 2012  
Register early, course fills quickly.

**Make check payable to:  
Northeastern Infection Control Educators (N.I.C.E.)**

Payment must accompany this registration form.

**Mail check and registration form to:**

Cathi Wilson, 65 Elizabeth St.  
Pemberton, NJ 08068

No phone registrations, faxes, credit cards or vouchers will be accepted. Confirmation for course is through e-mail.

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### HOTEL REGISTRATION

Clarion Hotel  
3499 US Route 1  
Princeton, NJ 08540  
(609) 452-2500

Basic accommodations are available. Please contact the hotel directly to reserve your room and request the Infection Control Conference (APIC) Rate. (\$90. plus tax) Other hotels are available at higher costs.

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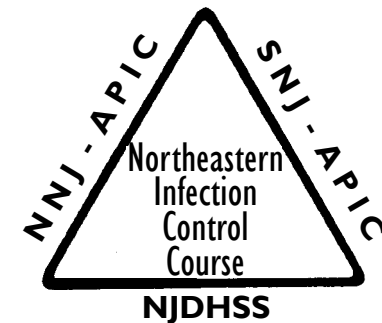
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