

Join us in Oakland on September 14, 2009 for
STD UPDATE: EMPHASIS ON SYPHILIS
followed in San Francisco on September 15, 2009 by 2 half-day optional trainings
MALE & FEMALE GENITAL EXAM SKILLS
and/or
EXAMINATION & INTERPRETATION OF WET PREPARATIONS OF VAGINAL SPECIMENS

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LEARN ABOUT: •Diagnosis & management of syphilis •Syphilis in special populations •STD/HIV prevention •Local & State STD epidemiology & public health perspectives •Chlamydia & gonorrhea •Case studies •HSV & HPV



Who Should Take This Course?
Physicians, Advanced Practice Nurses
Physician Assistants, Nurses,
clinicians in public & private settings

Course Faculty:

Sharon Adler, MD, MPH
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ACHIEVE THESE OBJECTIVES:

- ✓ Describe **current epidemiology of common reportable STDs** (syphilis, chlamydia & gonorrhea) in California.
- ✓ Describe **diagnostic & management strategies for syphilis** and outline **decision algorithms** for evaluating patients with a positive serologic test for syphilis.
- ✓ Discuss **treatment of gonorrhea & chlamydia**, and **suppressive & episodic treatment options** for patients with **HSV**.
- ✓ Determine the correct use for **high-risk HPV DNA tests**.
- ✓ List the steps in the appropriate order for conducting an STD-oriented male and/or female genital exam.
- ✓ Demonstrate proper technique for using a light microscope to examine vaginal wet mount specimens.
- ✓ Distinguish between the common wet mount findings indicating bacterial vaginosis, vulvovaginal candidiasis and trichomoniasis.

STD UPDATE: EMPHASIS ON SYPHILIS covers epidemiology, diagnosis, treatment, and management of STDs for the practicing clinician. This day-long course is presented in an interactive format and incorporates case discussions. Schedule: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Course fee: \$75 ♦ CMEs: 6.5/\$30 ♦ Nursing Contact Hours: 7.8/FREE

The optional **MALE & FEMALE GENITAL EXAM SKILLS PRACTICUM** is designed for clinicians who will be using these skills in their clinical practice. This hands-on, skills-based 4-hour training focuses on the male and female genital exam. All participants will have the opportunity to practice on model male and female teaching assistants. Recommended for clinicians interested in improving exam skills. Course fee: \$75. (4 CME credits: \$15 | 4.8 Nursing Contact Hours: free) 8:00 a.m.-12 noon

The optional **EXAM & INTERPRETATION OF VAGINAL WET MOUNTS** is 3-hour training on applicable issues of CLIA regulation, quality & infection control, interpretations of vaginal wet mounts (VWM) & application to diagnosis of vaginitis. This is an experiential ("hands-on") training, with substantial time spent as a lab practicum on examination of saline & KOH VWM. Participants will have ample opportunity for practice, 1:1 with instructors, and return demonstrations. Contact us for more information. Course fee: \$75. (3 CME credits: \$15 | 3.6 Nursing Contact Hours: free) 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

To register, visit our website at
www.stdhivtraining.org

These activities have been planned & implemented in accordance with the Institute for Medical Quality & the California Medical Association's CME Accreditation Standards (IMQ/CMA) through Joint Sponsorship of Center for Health Training (CHT) & CA STD/HIV Prevention Training Center. CHT is accredited by IMQ/CMA for issuing *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* for physicians. CHT designates STD Update: Emphasis on Syphilis for a maximum of 6.5; Male & Female Exam Skills Practicum for a maximum of 4; & Examination & Interpretation of Wet Preparations of Vaginal Specimens for a maximum of 3 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. The CA STD/HIV Prevention Training Center is approved by California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider Number CEP 14547 for 7.8 contact hours for STD Update: Emphasis on Syphilis; 4.8 contact hours for Male & Female Exam Skills Practicum; & 3.6 contact hours for Examination & Interpretation of Wet Preparations of Vaginal Specimens.