Four healthcare associations have formed an organization called the Central Plains Expo (CPE). CPE is made up of representatives from the Association for Professionals in Infection Control & Epidemiology (APIC)-Wichita Chapter; Kansas Association for Healthcare Resource & Materials Management (KAHRMM); Kansas Healthcare Environmental Services and Laundry Association (KHELSA) and Kansas Society for Healthcare Central Service Professionals (KSHCSP). The CPE Board presents an annual educational conference and vendor fair that provides a forum for learning and networking through sessions, exhibits and meetings.

The conference is geared towards staff and management in infection control, environmental services, sterile processing and material management. This year’s theme highlights the growth and strength of our professions.
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Board Meetings October 18, 2017

KSHCSP 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm
KHELSA 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm
KAHRMM 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Registration Fees

Registration includes all learning sessions, lunches, breaks and vendor exhibits. Registration cancellation request sent to Penny Wires (P.O. Box 828 Lyons, KS 67554) in writing prior by October 1, 2017 will receive a 50% refund.

Accommodations

A block of rooms has been reserved at the hotel until September 14, 2017 at a rate of $115.00 for single or double occupancy. Please indicate your reservation is for Central Plains Expo.
Contact the Hyatt Regency
400 W. Waterman
Wichita, KS
Booking Website: https://aws.passkey.com/go/centralplainsexpo2017
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CEU’s

Wesley Medical Center is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This conference offering is approved for a maximum of 12 contact hours applicable for RN or LPN re-licensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing Provider number: LT0085-0327. AHRMM, CBSPD and IAHCSMM contact hours pending.

Special Assistance

In compliance with the American Disabilities Act, CPE will make every effort to accommodate persons with disabilities. Please indicate your needs for special assistance on your registration form.

General

Dress is business casual. It may be helpful to include a sweater or jacket since temperatures in meeting rooms may be cool. Smoking is permitted in designated outside areas only.

Handouts

Handouts will be available on our website – www.centralplainsexpo.org to download for printing. When you register, you will be provided with a password via email to have access to the handouts. Handouts will be available 2 weeks prior to the conference on the website. Please register early so that you can have access to the handouts prior to the conference. We must have your email address. Remember to bring pen and paper for notes.
THURSDAY, October 19, 2017

7:00 – 7:50 am Registration, Coffee and Breakfast

8:00 – 10:00 am

Session A: KSHCSP “Biofilm, the Hidden Menace” and “What is Happening in that Magic Box? Fundamentals of Vaporized Hydrogen Peroxide Sterilization in Health Care Facilities”—Steven Zeplin, MSN, RN, CSPDT

Objectives:
- List the various types of biofilms and describe how they are formed.
- Discuss how biofilm formation increases the risk of disease transmission.
- Identify those instruments and devices that are most prone to biofilm
- Identify options for vaporized hydrogen peroxide sterilization available to health care facilities
- Describe quality assurance procedures for vaporized hydrogen peroxide sterilizers in health care facilities

Session B: KAHRMM “Preference Card Management: Driving Clinical and Supply Chain Efficiency” and “Effective Operating Room Inventory Management”—Marvella Thomas MSN, BSN, RN

Objective:
- Discuss the challenges associated with preference card management
- Describe the benefits of instituting and effective preference card management system
- Outline the seven-step process that, when implemented, can result in improved efficacies, labor savings, reduce waste, and improved costs
- Discuss why supply management in the operating room is important
- Describe the challenges for effective management of supplies in the operating room
- Review the current processes used to manage supplies in the operating room
- Outline strategies to improve inventory management in the operating room
- Review the roles and responsibilities of the perioperative nurse in effectively managing supplies in the operating room

Session C: KHELSA “Clean & Tidy – Joining Forces Infection Control and EVS”

Karen Bally BSN, RN, CIC; Connie Schaefer RN, CIC; Sandy Johnson RN

Objective:
- Identify current topics cited under infection control standards/EOC (Environment of Care)
- Describe successful components basic EVS processes
  - Clean to dirty, treat every surface the same, routine procedures, use of friction, and good ‘ol fashioned elbow grease
- Ascertain basic practices & principles regarding Terminal Clean, use of check lists

Session D: APIC “Back to the Basics of Disinfection” Live Webinar – Dr. A. Rutala PhD, MPH, CIC and “Regulatory Readiness” – Kathy Adams BSN, RN, CIC

Objectives:
- Identify best practices for the different levels of disinfection
- Discuss the challenges and best practices for low-level disinfection
- Discuss the challenges, new technologies and best practices for high-level disinfection
- Identify 3 areas Infection Preventionists should focus when making rounds
- Describe the components of a risk assessment
- Describe strategies on how to prepare your facility for a regulatory survey
Break 10:00 – 10:10 am

10:10 – 12:10

**Session E: KSHCSP** “Precepting in Sterile Processing, How not to Eat your Young” and “Learning for the 100%, Creating and Maintaining Life Long Learning for Sterile Processing” – Rob Frey MBA, BS,

*Objectives:*
- Define “Orientation” and “Precepting”
- Develop and Execute Orientation Goals
- Identify and Develop Positive Mentorship
- Create and Facilitate a Learning Environment
- Understand the Development and application of a learning pathway
- Access orientee knowledge, skills and abilities relevant to role, department and facility goals and expectations
- Understand competency vs. training vs. education
- Develop tools and methods for accessing/understanding learning abilities and capabilities
- Understanding strengths and weaknesses: personal, team, system, and community
- Understand communication channels and learning pathways and the application of technologies.

**Session F: KAHRMM** “Turning Your Orthopedic Soft Goods Cost Into New Stream of Revenue” – Clint Graber  NO CNE

*Objectives:*
- Learn how to avoid the cost of orthopedic products and bent metals in your outpatient departments
- Learn how to turn the cost of orthopedic products and bent metals into a new revenue stream for the health system, in reimbursement when billed to insurance currently.
- Identify tools that can help efficiently maximize profit or avoid the cost of cost without sacrificing patient care.

**Session G: KHELSA** “Quality in Environmental Services” – Jamey Keen RN

*Objectives:*
- Describe why quality is important in environmental services
- Identify the types of quality improvement processes
- Describe the components of the institute of healthcare improvements “Model of Improvement”
- Develop an improvement cycle example
- Identify how to know if a change is an improvement

**Session H: APIC** “2017 HIV Update” and “2017 Hepatitis C Update” – Donna Sweet MD

*Objectives:*
- Comprehend who should be tested for HIV
- Review and understand the current testing algorithm for HIV
- Understand what needs to be done once a patient is found positive for HIV

12:10 – 1:25 pm Lunch/Organization meetings
1:30 – 3:30 pm

Session I: KSHCSP “Communication in Key, Bridging the Gap Between OR and SPD” and “Sterile Packaging, Storage & Transportation” - Alice Boyd CCSVP NO CNE

Objectives:
- Define sterile packaging
- Discuss packaging materials and their differences
- Identify acceptable closure methods and their proper uses
- Define interpersonal communication and discuss its role in the healthcare setting
- Discuss primary goals of SPD and OR
- Discuss common misconceptions about communication in the workplace

Session J: KAHRMM “A Cancer Patient’s Perspective of the Importance of Supply Chain” - Scott Francis NO CNE

Objectives:
- Understanding material management’s importance to the patient
- The importance of understanding a “Big Picture” perspective (patient care)

Session K: KHELSA “Round Table” – Eva Harrington and Kelly Schmidt NO CNE

Objective:
- Participants will have the opportunity to network during group discussion that will address issues in Environmental and Linen Services.

Session L: APIC “Antibiotic Stewardship in Food Animal Veterinary Medicine” – Brian Lubbers DVM

Objectives:
- Understand the similarities and differences in antimicrobial use between veterinary and human medicine
  - Food animal production
  - Disease challenges in veterinary medicine
  - Antibiotic selection processes
  - Antibiotic stewardship challenges and future directions

3:30 – 5:30 pm VENDOR EXHIBITS AND SOCIAL HOUR
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2017

7:00 – 7:25 am Registration, Coffee and Breakfast

**NOTE BEGINNING TIME CHANGE!!!!!

GENERAL SESSION 7:30 – 9:30 am

Session M: “The Making of a Masterpiece” – Richard Hight

Objectives:
- Identify, develop, distinguish and apply their innate strengths to complete tasks more efficiently
- Construct creative problem solving
- Compare and contrast the varied abilities of their co-workers and grasp the usefulness of diversity in serving clients
- Make a difference in their work place and communities

Break – 9:30 - 9:45 am

9:45 – 11:45 am

Session N: KSHCSP “APD Accreditation Surveys: Are You Ready?” and “Personal and Professional Success. It is All About Choices” Rose Seavey MBA, BS, RN, CNOR, CRCST, CSPDT

Objectives:
- Identify accreditation standards that pertain to sterile processing in health care facilities
- Describe nationally accepted standards and recommended practices that constitute best practices in sterile processing
- Develop a tool or template for “how to prepare” for an accreditation survey relating to sterile processing
- Identify the right choices that will lead to success in one’s life
- Describe specific choices that one makes on a daily basis

Session O: KAHRMM “CMRP Overview for Persons Interested in the CRMP Process” – Mike Morgan BA, CMRP

Objectives: NO CNE
- Provide insight to the importance of the CMRP exam and certification
- Go over what kind of questions to expect to be on the exam
- Review the slides in the AHA PowerPoint for the CMRP program
- Provide insight from CMRP members on what the CMRP had done for them professionally

Session P: KHELSA “Floor Maintenance in Today’s Health Care Environment” - Andy Wickersham

Objectives: NO CNE
- Popular floor types in today’s healthcare environment
- The challenges of maintaining modern floor types
- Best practice floor care procedures for clean safe health environments
- Why standardized systems in floor care are critical
Session Q: APIC “Infection Prevention in Long Term Care” – Brenda Davis BSN, RN, CIC and “Antibiotic Stewardship in Long Term Care” Nadyne Hagmeier BSN, RN

Objectives:
- Identify changes in the conditions of participation related to Long Term Care facilities
- Explain importance of having a dedicated infection preventionist in long term care facilities
- Recognize commonly found classifications of organisms that cause infections
- Attendees will be able to list the core elements of long term care antibiotic stewardship
- Identify one key implementation strategy for each of the core elements

LUNCH 11:45 -12:30

12:30 – 2:30 pm
Session R: KSHCSP “10 Factors of Cleaning” – Steve Kovach BS NO CNE

Objectives:
- Understand the definition of Cleaning
- Understand the term IFU
- Learn about the 10 critical factors of cleaning and how they interact with: manual cleaning, sonic cleaning, medical washer cleaning, flexible scopes cleaning

Session S: KAHRMM “Loaner Instrumentation, Today’s Problem Tomorrow’s Solution” – Bob Marrs BA, CRCST, CIS, CAL NO CNE

Objectives:
- Discuss the history of loaner instrumentation
- Describe the impact that loaner instruments have on the Central Services and peri-Operative departments daily
- Identify basic protocols important to each step of the loaner instrument process
- Implement a loaner instrument policy at your facility


Objectives:
- Understand how compliance with this standard demonstrates that the organization is structured to deliver consistent, quality services.
- Learn how the program increases professionalism
- Demonstrate how the program verifies training to set industry standard by improving skills
- Describe the certification process
Session U: APIC “Tapping the National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Targeted Assessments for Prevention TAP reports and Methodology for Actionable Data” - Robert Geist MPH

“Uncovering the Stool Story Study on the Impact of Test Guidance and Concurrent Review of C.difficile on Incidence of Hospital Acquired Infection” If time allows “Discontinuing Contact Precautions in Methicillin Resistant Staphylococcus Aureus (MRSA) using a Nurse-Driven Algorithm” and Lea Anne Johnson RN

Objectives:
- Describe the Cumulative Attributable Difference (CAD) measure, how it is used to Target, Access, and Prevent Infection and translate NHSN’s TAP reports
- Access and implement the TAP Assessment Tools
- Chart the CAD to understand your facilities directional trend as you move forward with prevention activities
- Possess the ability to institute use of the nurse-driven clearing algorithm
- Discuss the financial impact of instituting the algorithm
- Have an Improved understanding of the extent of C.diff infection/colonization in the U.S.
- Know the importance of correctly monitoring for and treating this condition to more suitable conserve out healthcare resources
# CPE 2017 Registration Form

Name: ___________________________ License #: ___________________ □ RN or □ LPN
Home Address: ___________________ City: _____________________ State: _____ Zip: ______
Position: _________________________ Employer: ___________________ State: ____ Zip: ______
Phone Number: __________________ Email Address: ___________________

Phone number is necessary to be able to contact you about changes. Email address used to send codes to open Handouts on Website!!

Preregistration Early Bird registration must be Postmarked by 10/13/17

☐ If you do not want to share your email address with the vendors please check here, Thank you.

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Lyons, KS 67554

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