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ANNUAL SPRING MEETING

Friday, May 31st, 2024
8:00am to 4:30pm

SHERATON NEW YORK TIMES SQUARE HOTEL
Metropolitan Ballroom 2nd Floor
811 7th Avenue (West 53rd Street)
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### COURSE OBJECTIVES

After completion of this symposium, participants will:

- Identify causes of rare infectious diseases in Public Health
- Understand the performance characteristics of rapid AST methods
- Understand the evolution of GBS screening
- Differentiate the applications of NGS in clinical microbiology
- Learn the diagnostic stewardship interventions that impact labs
- Identify ways to correlate histopathologic & microbiologic findings to improve diagnosis of infectious diseases
- Discuss and identify pathogens in case presentation format

### PROGRAM AGENDA

**MODERATORS**

Dr. Caitlin Otto, President, NYC ASM  
Dr. Wendy Szymczak, President-Elect, NYC ASM

#### 8:00am – 8:50am

**REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST**

#### 8:50am – 9:00am

**WELCOME**

Dr. Caitlin Otto  
President, NYC ASM

#### 9:00 am – 9:45 am

**Mysteries of CA: A Tale of Interesting Clinical Cases in Public Health**  
Dr. Anthony Tran  
Director, State Public Health Laboratory  
Deputy Director, Center for Laboratory Sciences  
California Department of Public Health  
Richmond, CA

#### 9:45 am – 10:30 am

**Rapid AST from Positive Blood Cultures: Everything Old is New Again**  
Dr. Linoj Samuel  
Division Head, Clinical Microbiology, Pathology and Laboratory Medicine  
Henry Ford Health  
Detroit, MI

#### 10:30 am – 11:20 am

**BREAK & VISIT THE EXHIBITS!!**

#### 11:20 am – 12:00 pm

**Perinatal Group B Strep Testing The Landscape**  
Dr. Phyu M. Thwe  
Associate Director, Infectious Disease Testing  
Montefiore Medical Center  
New York, NY

#### 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

**LUNCHEON & AWARDS VISIT THE EXHIBITS!!**

**TRIVIA CONTEST You Must Be Present To Win!**

#### 1:30 am – 2:15 pm

**Next This-Generation Sequencing in Clinical Microbiology**  
Dr. Kyle Rodino  
Assistant Director, Clinical Microbiology Lab  
Director, Rittenhouse Molecular Laboratory  
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania  
Philadelphia, PA

#### 2:15 pm – 3:00 pm

**The PATH to Diagnosis of Infectious Diseases: a colLABorative Approach**  
Dr. Rebecca Marrero Rolon  
Associate Director, Clinical Microbiology Laboratory  
Weill Cornell Medicine, New York, New York

#### 3:00 pm – 3:40 pm

**Diagnostic Stewardship Interventions They Make a Difference!**  
Dr. Andrea Prinzi  
Field Medical Director, US Medical Affairs  
Clinical Microbiologist, Science Communicator (ASM) bioMérieux  
Denver Metropolitan Area

#### 3:40 pm – 4:25 pm

**Challenging NYC Cases Stump the Stars!**  
NYC Microbiology Fellows

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