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1. Competency Assessment: More Important than Ever

Alice S. Weissfeld, PhD, D(ABMM), F(AAM)
Microbiology Specialists Incorporated
Houston, Texas

OBJECTIVES

To learn how to use competency assessment as a performance improvement tool

To learn how to assess knowledge and skills

To understand how to use competency assessment as a training opportunity

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2. Aerobic and Facultative Gram-Positive Bacilli

Rebecca T. Horvat, PhD, D(ABMM)
Department of Pathology and Lab Medicine
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Kansas City, Kansas

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3. Hey Bugs! Leave Them Kids Alone Case Studies

Joseph M. Campos, PhD, D(ABMM), F(AAM)
Director, Microbiology Laboratory, Molecular Diagnostics Laboratory, and
Laboratory Informatics
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4. Diagnosis of Histoplasmosis

L. Joseph Wheat , MD
MiraVista Diagnostics
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5. Sexually Transmitted Infections in Adolescents: What's New?

Cynthia Holland-Hall, MD, MPH
Associate Professor of Clinical Pediatrics
The Ohio State University College of Medicine
Physician, Section of Adolescent Medicine
Nationwide Children's Hospital
Columbus, Ohio

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6. Rapid Methods to Diagnose Sepsis and Detect Hematopathogens

Donna M. Wolk, MT(ASCP), MHA, Ph.D., D(ABMM)

Objectives:

Identify the key symptoms that characterize sepsis and the conditions leading to sepsis.

Discuss rapid testing platforms and emerging technology with relevance to bloodstream infections

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7. Mickey King Memorial Lecture

Oil Biodegradation and Bioremediation

Ronald Atlas, Ph.D.

University of Louisville

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