Nursing Home Infection Prevention Program® (NIPP©)

Specialized Training in Infection Prevention and Control

February 21 - 22, 2017
Lewis Center, Ohio
Overview:

Infection Prevention and Control has taken center stage as part of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Service’s Reform of Requirements for Long-Term Care Facilities. OHCA is partnering with RB Health Partners, Inc. to offer a specialized training that will equip long term care facilities with the tools they need to participate in surveillance; learn and use infection control and containment practices; and adopt a proactive approach to preventing spread while being good stewards of antibiotics to preserve effectiveness of the agents we have today. The specialized training will utilize the RB Health Partners, Inc. Nursing Home Infection Prevention Program© (NIPP©) and features:

• A 10-hour segment for those individuals who have primary professional training in nursing, medical technology, microbiology, epidemiology or other related field who will be responsible for the facility’s Infection Prevention and Control Program (IPCP)*

* Participants attending the full 10-hour specialized training must bring their own personal protective equipment (PPE), which includes gowns, gloves, and disposable masks.

Learner Objectives:

OHCA’s specialized training delivers all the components of a compliant Infection Prevention and Control Program. Attendees will:

• Learn how to develop systems for preventing, identifying, reporting, investigating, and controlling infections and communicable diseases across a broader range of nursing facility residents, guests, and staff.
• Identify standards, policies and procedures that are mandated to support the systems, with expert guidance on surveillance and reporting.

• Understand new staff training requirements and how to implement a compliant antibiotic stewardship program that includes antibiotic use protocols and systems for monitoring antibiotic use and recording incidents.
• Learn how to connect the new Facility Assessment with the development of an IPCP.

The specialized training will drill deeper with standard and transmission-based precautions, including the circumstances in which isolation should be used for residents or staff. The Infection Preventionist’s role will be fully explored, with a review of that specialist’s qualifications and scope of practice.
### Speaker Spotlight:

**Norma D. Collins**, RN, BS, LHRM, CDP, has worked over 30 years in roles with increasing responsibility in acute, sub-acute, and long-term care. Her positions in direct patient/resident care and in middle management include CNA, Assistant Administrator, Charge Nurse, DONs, and Nursing Administration & Long Term Care Service Liaison.

Ms. Collins is currently Vice President of Clinical Services for RB Health Partners and is available for interim Administrative Nursing positions ranging from Staff Education, Nursing Unit Management, Assistant Director of Nursing, or Director of Nursing. She is also available for other assignments such as start up or back to compliance projects.

### Schedule:

10-Hour Specialized Training in Infection Prevention and Control for Preventionist (Chapter 483.80(b), CFR)

**Day 1 (6.5 Hours)**

- 8:00 - 8:15 a.m.  Welcome
- 8:15 - 8:45 a.m.  Regulatory Compliance
- 8:45 - 10:15 a.m.  Foundations of Infection Prevention
- 10:15 - 10:30 a.m.  Break
- 10:30 - 11:15 a.m.  Multi-drug Resistant Organisms and Antibiotic Stewardship
- 11:15 - 12:00 p.m.  Infection Control Risk Assessment
- 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.  Lunch
- 1:00 - 2:15 p.m.  Environmental Cleaning and Disinfection
- 2:15 - 2:30 p.m.  Break
- 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.  Surveillance

**Day 2 (3.5 Hours)**

- 8:00 - 9:00 a.m.  Respiratory Infections & Skin, Soft Tissue, and Wound Infections
- 9:00 - 9:45 a.m.  C. difficile
- 9:45 - 10:00 a.m.  Break
- 10:00 - 10:45 a.m.  Urinary Tract Infection
- 10:45 - 11:45 a.m.  Injection Safety and Employee Health

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Completion of this course by a facility’s IP will enable facilities to be compliant with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS) mandate for training for Infection Prevention and Control Officers.

**Payment must be included to be processed.**

*Send this completed form and payment to:*

**EFOHCA, 55 Green Meadows Drive South, PO Box 447, Lewis Center, Ohio 43035**

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