

Epidemiology and Prevention of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases

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Course Information

What: Epidemiology and Prevention of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases 2 day course

When: April 9-10, 2012 from 8am-5pm (both days)

Where: The Marten House and Lilly Conference Center
1801 West 86th Street
Indianapolis, IN 46260

Registration Link: <http://pinkbooktraining2012.eventbrite.com>

Registration includes light breakfast, lunch, beverages, and a course textbook.

Program Description

This live two-day course provides a comprehensive review of immunization, vaccine-preventable diseases and their respective vaccines. The course will provide the most up-to-date immunization information from the ACIP including:

- Principles of Vaccination
- General Recommendations on Immunization
- Vaccine recommendations for pertussis, *haemophilus influenzae* type b, influenza, measles, mumps, rubella, varicella, pneumococcal, polio, hepatitis B, hepatitis A, meningococcal, human papillomavirus, and zoster
- Vaccine safety
- Current issues

Course Materials

The course text will be provided to participants as part of the course registration. To preview the course text, go to www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook

Target Audience

Physicians, nurses, immunization providers and program managers seeking the comprehensive and most current immunization knowledge base. A basic knowledge of biology and immunization is a prerequisite.

Learning Objectives

At the end of the program, participants will be able to:

1. Describe the difference between active and passive immunity.
2. List two characteristics of live attenuated vaccines.
3. List two characteristics of inactivated vaccines.
4. For each vaccine-preventable disease, identify those for whom routine immunization is recommended.
5. For each vaccine-preventable disease, describe characteristics of the vaccine used to prevent the disease.
6. Describe an emerging immunization issue.



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