

American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine

# Medical Center Occupational Health Basics Thursday, May 5, 2022

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The complexity of the health care setting demands that occupational medicine physicians and other providers in medical center occupational health programs acquire a sophisticated and specialized skill set. This includes a comprehensive knowledge of healthcare-specific requirements and standards, as well as practical knowledge of program implementation and organization of services. The course will address principles of immunization and medical surveillance programs, infectious exposure evaluation and emerging infectious threats, management of infected healthcare workers, chemical and radiation hazards, violence in the workplace, wellness and disease management interventions, and OSHA's approach to hazards in the healthcare industry.

## **COURSE SUMMARY**

The course is 1 day, beginning at 8:00 a.m. and concluding at 5:00p.m. It will consist of lecture/discussion, case studies, panel discussion, and questions and answers.

## FACULTY

Amy Behrman, MD Rebecca Guest, MD, MPH Michael Hodgson, MD, MPH Rachel Leibu, MD, MPH Lori Rolando, MD, MPH Mark Russi, MD, MPH Melanie Swift, MD, MPH Wendy Thanassi, MD, MA

## ACCREDITATION AND CREDIT DESIGNATION STATEMENT

The American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine (ACOEM) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

ACOEM designates this live activity for a maximum of 7.5 AMA PRA category 1 credits <sup>™</sup>. Each physician should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

## **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**

Upon completion of this educational activity, learners should be able to:

- Recognize and treat illnesses and injuries most likely to affect healthcare workers
- Implement state-of-the-art strategies to manage infectious hazards in the workplace
- Protect healthcare workers from chemical and physical hazards
- Implement multidisciplinary programs to reduce workplace assaults and other hazards requiring special emphasis.

#### TARGET AUDIENCE

This course is designed for occupational medicine providers in occupational health programs for healthcare personnel, with specific focus on providers seeking an update on the current state of the art, and those wishing to establish or improve upon workplace programs to mitigate high priority hazards. You should attend this course if you are:

- A health care provider working in a hospital, clinic, or other medical center or health care environment where broad familiarity and up-to-date knowledge of the specific hazards of such occupational settings is essential.
- An occupational medicine physician or other provider of occupational medical services wishing to develop a more sophisticated understanding of hospital-specific hazards, program implementation, and organization of services.

#### **ABMS CORE COMPETENCIES**

This course will address the following ACGME/ABMS Competencies:

- Patient Care and Procedural Skills
- Medical Knowledge
- Interpersonal and Communication Skills
- Professionalism

#### TUITION

Includes course materials, breakfast, lunch, breaks and CME credits

- ACOEM Member: \$565\*
- Non-member: \$665\*
- Resident/Retired/Student Member: \$395\*

\*Please note that fees increase by \$100 after March 31, 2022.

#### REGISTRATION

Register online by <u>clicking here</u>. This is the AOHC registration site, but you can indicate that you are only attending a pre/post course at the very bottom of the second page. Please contact us at <u>educationinfo@acoem.org</u> with any questions.