



Resources for Infection Prevention

Basics of Infection Prevention
2-Day Mini-Course





I. Reference Texts





A. Infectious Disease

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Epidemiology

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Infection Prevention

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2. Rutala, W. Disinfection, Sterilization and Antisepsis. 2010.
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Microbiology

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Infection Prevention and Epidemiology

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4. Carrico, R. [Guide to the Elimination of Clostridium difficile](#). 2008.



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7. [The Compendium of Strategies to Prevent HAI in Acute Care Settings.](#) 2014.
8. Gould, Umscheid et al., HICPAC. [Guideline for the Prevention of Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections 2009.](#)



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9. Greene, L. [Guide to Elimination of Ventilator Pneumonia.](#) 2009.
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11. [HICPAC. Guideline for Hand Hygiene in Healthcare Settings.](#) 2002. 51:RR-16. 51
[Erratum2006.](#)
12. Kohut, K. “Guide to the Elimination of Mediastinitis.” 2008.



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14. Lefebvre et al, Panel. [*Guidelines for Animal-assisted Intervention in Health Care Settings. AM J Infect Control 2008:36:504.*](#)
15. MacCannell, Umscheid et al. HICPAC. [*Guideline for the Prevention and Control of Norovirus Gastroenteritis Outbreaks in Healthcare Settings, 2011.*](#)
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Construction

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2. Siegel, Rhinehart et al. HICPAC. [Management of Multidrug-Resistant Organisms in Healthcare Settings, 2006](#).
3. [CDC. Carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae \(CRE\) Webpage](#) (includes toolkit).
4. CDC. [Methicilin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* Website](#) (includes materials & toolkit)



Skilled Nursing/Long-Term Care

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4. [NHSN Tracking Infections in Long Term Care Facilities Webpage](#).



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- [Enhanced Standard Precautions for California Long-Term Care Facilities](#), 2010 (AFL 10-27)
- [Recommendations for the Prevention and Control of Influenza in California Long-Term Care Facilities](#), 2011
- [Scabies: Prevention and Control in California Long-Term Care Facilities](#). 2008
- [Scabies: Management of Outbreaks in California Health Care Facilities](#), 2008
- [Viral Gastroenteritis Outbreaks: Recommendations for Prevention and Control in California Long Term Care Facilities](#), 2006
- [West Nile Virus Infection Prevention and Control Recommendations in California Long-Term Care Facilities](#), 2009



Dialysis and Intravenous Therapy

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Ambulatory Surgical Center

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III. REGULATIONS





Regulations

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2. [California Health and Safety Code \(Including Section 1288\) CalOSHA Bloodborne Pathogens Standard](#)
3. [CalOSHA Aerosol Transmissible Diseases Standard](#)
4. [CDPH All Facility Letters \(AFLs\)](#)
5. [CMS Regulations](#)



Journals [Organizations] Infection Prevention

1. [*American Journal of Infection Control* \(AJIC\) \[Association of Infection Control Professionals and Epidemiology \(APIC\)\]](#)
2. [*Canadian Journal of Infection Control* \(CJIC\) \[Community and Hospital Infection Control Association \(CHICA - Canada\)\]](#)
3. [*Infection Control & Hospital Epidemiology* \(ICHE\) \[Society of Healthcare Epidemiology of America \(SHEA\)\]](#)
4. [*International Journal of Infection Control* \(IJIC\) \[International Federation of Infection Control \(IFIC\)\]](#)
5. [*Journal of Infection Prevention* \[Infection Prevention Society\]](#)
6. [*Journal of Infectious Diseases* \(ISDA\) \[Infectious Disease Society of America\]](#)



Trade Magazines

1. [*Infection Control Today*](#)
2. [*Prevention Strategist*](#)



VI. Websites





Infection Prevention

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2. [Diseases and Organisms in Healthcare Settings](#)
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4. [CDC. Hand Hygiene in Healthcare Settings.](#) (Webpage updated 9/16/13.)
5. [Immunization Action Coalition](#)
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Guidelines

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Guideline for the Prevention of Surgical Site Infection, 2017.
<http://jamanetwork.com/journals/jamasurgery/fullarticle/2623725>
- Antibiotic Stewardship Statement for Antibiotic Guidelines – Recommendations of the HICPAC.
<https://www.cdc.gov/hicpac/recommendations/antibiotic-stewardship-statement.html>
- Essential Elements of a Reprocessing Program for Flexible Endoscopes – Recommendations of the HICPAC.
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Consumer Safety

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2. [SHEA For Patients.](#) (Webpage updated 9/16/13.)
3. [StopHospitalInfections.org](#)
4. [Safe Care Campaign](#)
5. [Healthcare-Associated Infections Program \(CDPH\)](#)



Quality Improvement

1. [Institute for Healthcare Improvement](#)
2. [On the CUSP/Stop CAUTI Institute for Healthcare Improvement \(IHI\)](#)
3. [AHRQ \[Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality\]](#)
4. [California Association of Healthcare Quality](#)



State of California

1. [California Infection Guidelines](#)
2. [California Association of Healthcare Quality](#)
3. [HAI Guidelines](#)
4. [Healthcare-Associated Infections Program Activities, Information, Reports, Contacts and Resources](#) [Osteopathic Medical Board of California](#)



Federal

1. [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\)](#)
2. [National Institute of Health \(NIH\)](#)



VI. Tools





Policy and Procedure

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2. APIC. Infection Prevention Manual for Ambulatory Care.
3. APIC. Infection Prevention Manual for ASCs.
4. APIC. Infection Prevention Manual for Behavioral Health.
5. APIC. Infection Prevention Manual for Home Health Care.
6. APIC. Infection Prevention Manual for LTC – 2nd Ed.
7. [A Compendium of Strategies to Prevent Healthcare-Associated Infections in Acute Care Hospitals.](#)
8. Bennett, G. Infection Prevention Manual for Hospitals. 2010.



How To

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Physician Training for Hospital Epidemiology (Required by DCPH)

1. [UCSD Extension Class - Infection Prevention.](#)
2. [Online Fundamentals of Healthcare Epidemiology: Essentials for Preventing HAIs.](#)



Role of the Infection Preventionist

- AJIP: Changing Role of the Infection Preventionist: A Survey of California Hospitals. 12/1/2009.
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