



HUCOP Clinical Pharmacy Rounds:

*Updates in Acute Bacterial
Skin and Skin Structure
Infection (ABSSSI) Therapy*

Date: 4/16/2019

Time: Noon – 1 PM

Howard University College of Pharmacy

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Annex III- Room 117

Washington, DC 20059

Who should attend: The program is designed for inpatient and outpatient pharmacists caring for patients in various settings who suffer with ABSSSI.

Needs Statement: To enhance pharmacist general infectious disease knowledge with focus on ABSSSI

Statement of Goal: To enhance knowledge and appropriate use of current pharmacotherapy agents in ABSSSI treatment.

Activity Type: Knowledge

Objectives: After completing the program, participants should be able to:

1. Describe the general clinical features and bacteriology of ABSSSIs and current first line therapy options to treat ABSSSIs
2. Identify the newer agents used for ABSSSI treatment
3. Outline the mechanism of action of the newer ABSSSI agents
4. Recognize phase 3 peer-reviewed clinical trials for the newer ABSSSI treatment options
5. Using patient-specific demographics, select optimal antibiotic treatment therapy

Faculty Presenters

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