



Infectious Diseases Practice Updates 2027

Program is Hawaiian Standard Time (HST)

Monday, February 8, 2027	
6:15 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
7:00 a.m.	Welcome Announcements <i>Bobbi Pritt, M.D., Raymund Razonable, M.D., Abinash Virk, M.D. and Maryam Mahmood, M.B., Ch.B.</i>
Endocarditis	
Session Chair: <i>Daniel C. DeSimone, M.D.</i>	
7:10 a.m.	2026 Endocarditis Guidelines Update Daniel C. DeSimone, M.D.
7:35 a.m.	Emerging Cardiac Surgical Interventions for Endocarditis <i>Arman Arghami, M.D., M.P.H.</i>
8:00 a.m.	Imaging Modalities for Endocarditis; When to Use What and Why? <i>Geoffrey Johnson, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
8:25 a.m.	Cases with Panel Discussion Moderator: <i>Mac Chesdachai, M.D.</i> Cases:
8:55 a.m.	Panel Q & A
9:25 a.m.	Break
Travel and Trop Session	
Session Chair: <i>Bobbi Pritt, M.D.</i>	
9:45 a.m.	Chagas Diagnostics <i>Elitza S. Theel, Ph.D.</i>
10:05 a.m.	Chagas Management <i>Christina M. Coyle, M.D., M.S. – Albert Einstein College of Medicine</i>
10:35 a.m.	Leprosy Diagnostics and Management Update <i>Barbara M. Stryjewska, M. D.- National Hansen’s Disease Program</i>
11:05 a.m.	What’s New in Malaria: Diagnostics and Treatment <i>Bobbi Pritt, M.D. and Abinash Virk, M.D.</i>
11:35 a.m.	Panel Q & A
12:00 p.m.	Adjourn
Reception: Halona Kai Lawn	
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Larvae and Lava Flow - Sunset Social Hour with Rapid Fire Tropical Cases Hosts: <i>Bobbi Pritt, M.D., Raymund Razonable, M.D., Maryam Mahmood, M.B., Ch.B. and Abinash Virk, M.D.</i>

Tuesday, February 9, 2027	
6:30 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
6:30 a.m.	Breakfast Roundtable Discussions – Meet the Professor: Sunset Terrace



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7:00 a.m.	Travel to General Session
7:05 a.m.	Course Announcements
Incubating Problems Session Chair: <i>Maryam Mahmood, M.B., Ch.B.</i>	
7:10 a.m.	CMV in Pregnancy <i>Carl H. Rose, M.D.</i>
7:30 a.m.	TB in Pregnancy <i>Maryam Mahmood, M.B., Ch.B.</i>
7:50 a.m.	Syphilis in Pregnancy <i>Mary Jo Kasten, M.D.</i>
8:10 a.m.	HIV in Pregnancy <i>Stacey Rizza, M.D.</i>
8:30 a.m.	Cases with Panel Discussion
9:00 a.m.	Panel Q & A
9:25 a.m.	Break
Let's Not Penalize the Panels!! Session Chair: <i>Robin Patel, M.D.</i>	
9:45 a.m.	Triva
9:50 a.m.	CNS PCR Panels <i>Trish J. Simner, Ph.D.</i>
10:10 a.m.	Respiratory PCR Panels <i>Abinash Virk, M.D.</i>
10:30 a.m.	GI Pathogen Panel <i>Robin Patel, M.D.</i>
10:50 a.m.	Blood Culture PCR Panels <i>Ritu Banerjee, MD, Ph.D.-Medical Center North</i>
11:10 a.m.	Cases with Panel Discussion
11:40 a.m.	Panel Q & A
12:05 p.m.	Adjourn

Wednesday, February 10, 2027	
6:30 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
6:30 a.m.	Breakfast Roundtable Discussions – Meet the Professor: Sunset Terrace
7:00 a.m.	Travel to General Session
7:05 a.m.	Course Announcements
Bone and Joint Infections Update Session Chair: <i>Aaron Tande, M.D.</i>	
7:10 a.m.	Prosthetic Joint Infection – Diagnosis



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	<i>Robin Patel, M.D.</i>
7:30 a.m.	PJI – Debridement, Antibiotics and Implant Retention (DAIR) Management <i>Irene G. Sia, M.D. or Abeer AlMajali</i>
7:50 a.m.	Prosthetic Joint Infection – 1 or 2 Stage Management Update <i>Aaron J. Tande, M.D.</i>
8:10 a.m.	Mycobacterial Orthopedic Infections <i>Madiha Fida, M.B.B.S.</i>
8:30 a.m.	Vertebral Osteomyelitis <i>Takahiro Matsuo, M.D.</i>
8:50 a.m.	Cases with Panel Discussion
9:25 a.m.	Break
Money, money, money, must be funny....!! Session Chair: <i>Priya Sampathkumar, M.D.</i>	
9:45 a.m.	Trivia
9:50 a.m.	Value Based Purchasing <i>Priya Sampathkumar, M.D.</i>
10:10 a.m.	Diagnostic Stewardship Opportunities <i>Madiha Fida, M.B.B.S.</i>
10:30 a.m.	Value of OPAT to Patients, ID and Institutions! <i>Abeer M. AlMajali, M.D.</i>
10:50 a.m.	Metrics to Demonstrate ID Value <i>Aaron Tande, M.D.</i>
11:10 a.m.	Panel Q & A
11:40 a.m.	Adjourn

Thursday, February 11, 2027	
6:30 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
6:30 a.m.	Breakfast Roundtable Discussions – Meet the Professor: Sunset Terrace
7:00 a.m.	Travel to General Session
7:05 a.m.	Course Announcements
What's Hot, What's New, What's Coming? Emerging Pathogens and Technologies Session Chair: <i>Douglas Challener, M.D.</i>	
Emerging Pathogens	

7:10 a.m.	Ebola and Other Hemorrhagic Fever Viruses <i>Adi Shah, M.D.</i>
7:30 a.m.	Andes, Sin Nombre, and Hantaviruses <i>Priya Sampathkumar, M.D.</i>
Emerging Technologies and Therapies	
7:50 a.m.	Novel Assays in Clinical Microbiology <i>Trish J. Simner, Ph.D.</i>
8:15 a.m.	Artificial Intelligence in Clinical Infectious Diseases <i>Douglas Challener, M.D.</i>
8:40 a.m.	Microbiome – Do We Care? <i>Yagmur Y. Comba, M.D., M.S.</i>
9:05 a.m.	Panel Q & A
9:25 a.m.	Break
What’s Hot, What’s New, What’s Coming? Top Papers in Infectious Diseases and Clinical Microbiology Session Chair: <i>Raymund Razonable, M.D.</i>	
9:45 a.m.	General Infectious Diseases <i>Teresa Seville, M.D.</i>
10:05 a.m.	Transplant Infectious Diseases <i>Zahra N. Sohani, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
10:25 a.m.	HIV <i>Julio Mendez, M.D.</i>
10:45 a.m.	Clinical Microbiology <i>Bobbi Pritt, M.D., Ryan Relich, Ph.D.</i>
11:15 a.m.	Antimicrobial Stewardship <i>Kellie N. Hannan, Pharm.D., R.Ph., BCIDP</i>
11:35 a.m.	Panel Q & A
12:00 p.m.	Adjourn

Friday, February 12, 2027	
6:30 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
6:30 a.m.	Breakfast Roundtable Discussions – Meet the Professor: Sunset Terrace
7:00 a.m.	Travel to General Session
7:05 a.m.	Course Announcements
New Drugs! Session Chair: <i>Paschalis Vergidis, M.D., M.S.</i>	
7:10 a.m.	Case Based Discussion: Antifungal Resistance and New Antifungals <i>Paschalis Vergidis, M.D., M.S.</i>
7:40 a.m.	Case Based Discussion: Antibacterial Resistance and New Antibacterials <i>Kellie N. Hannan, Pharm.D., R.Ph., BCIDP</i>
8:10 a.m.	New Antibacterials for Complicated UTIs <i>Drew Dickinson, PharmD</i>
8:30 a.m.	Antiviral Resistance and New Antivirals <i>Raymund Razonable, M.D.</i>



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9:00 a.m.	Panel Q & A
9:30 a.m.	Break
Low Counts, High Stakes: Updates in Heme-Onc ID Session Chair: <i>Jack W. Mc Hugh, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.</i>	
9:45 a.m.	Trivia
9:50 a.m.	CAR-T Infections <i>Jack W. Mc Hugh, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.</i>
10:10 a.m.	Herpes Viruses <i>Matthew J. Thoendel, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
10:30 a.m.	Mucorales Infections <i>Paschalis Vergidis, M.D., M.S.</i>
10:50 a.m.	Cases with Panel Discussion Moderator: <i>Jack W. Mc Hugh, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.</i> Cases:
11:20 a.m.	Panel Q & A
11:40 a.m.	Adjourn