

On behalf of MA Department of Public Health
and MA Adult Immunization Coalition

Welcome to the 22nd Annual Adult Immunization Conference



22 Years of Adult Immunization Conferences

Thank you for all that you do to
protect Massachusetts citizens from
vaccine preventable diseases!

Logistics

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Schedule of the Day

8:00am	Registration, Continental Breakfast, Exhibits, Networking
8:30am	Welcome and Introductory Remarks
8:45am	Keynote: David Kim, MD, MA
9:45am	MDPH Update: Susan Lett, MD and Rebecca Vanucci, MA
10:30am	Question and Answer Period
11:00am	Networking Break/Exhibits
11:15am	Morning Workshops
12:15pm	Lunch & Awards Presentation
1:15pm	Afternoon Keynote: Litjen (L.J.) Tan, MS, PhD
2:15pm	Networking Break/Exhibits
2:30pm	Afternoon Workshops

Continuing Education Credits

- * Sign in for continuing education credits at the Registration Desk.
- * You will receive a link by email to the online survey within 1-2 days.
- * The evaluation period will be open for 2 weeks.
- * After completion of the evaluation, you will receive an electronic continuing education certificate by email.

AWARDS

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Massachusetts Adult Immunization Champion Awards

Dr. Lloyd Fisher



Boston Health Care for the
Homeless Nursing Staff



Natalie J. Smith, M.D. Award



Pejman Talebian has won the 2017 *Natalie J. Smith, M.D. Award* for excellence in program management from the Association of Immunization Managers (AIM). This award is the highest form of recognition for Immunization Program Managers in the United States.

Words of appreciation

This conference is made possible by the generous support of these organizations.

Supporters



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MEDICAL SOCIETY

*Every physician matters,
each patient counts.*

Silver Level Exhibitors

- * GlaxoSmithKline (GSK)
- * Merck Vaccines
- * Pfizer
- * Sanofi Pasteur
- * Walgreens Pharmacy

Non-Profit Exhibitors

- * Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)
- * Commonwealth Medicine
- * Executive Office of Elder Affairs
- * Massachusetts Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics – Immunization Initiative
- * Massachusetts Senior Medicare Control Program
- * Massachusetts Department of Public Health
 - * Vaccine Unit
 - * Massachusetts Immunization Information System (MIIS)
 - * Vaccine Preventable Disease Epidemiology
- * Team Maureen/HPV Coalition
- * Sylvie Ratelle STD/HIV Training Center of New England

Special Thanks to Planning Committee!

- * Rebecca Vanucci, Immunization Outreach Coordinator, MDPH Immunization Program
- * Robyn Alie, Manager, Health Policy and Public Health, Massachusetts Medical Society
- * Dr. Susan Lett, Medical Director, MDPH Immunization Program
- * Beth English, Associate Director, MDPH Immunization Program
- * Dr. Al DeMaria, Jr., Medical Director, State Epidemiologist, Bureau of Infectious Disease
- * Katie Reilly, Nurse Manager, MDPH Immunization Program
- * Alexandra Burke, JSI Research & Training Institute, Inc.
- * Joanne Belanger, Andover Board of Health
- * Valerie Laurence, Brookside Rehab and Nursing
- * Marylouise Gamache, Executive Office of Elder Affairs
- * Lisa Leydon, Health Systems Manager, American Cancer Society, Inc.
- * Kate Horne, Caregroup Parmenter Home Care & Hospice

And Volunteers!

- * Rebecca Vanucci
- * Alexandra Burke
- * Rattana Bip
- * Robyn Alie
- * Katie Reilly
- * Beth English
- * Theodora Wohler
- * Lila Coverstone
- * Kathryn Ahnger-Pier
- * Valerie Laurence
- * Joanne Belanger
- * Jessica Leaf
- * Kate Allan
- * Barbara Fitzpatrick
- * Nancy Harrington

Other programs of interest...

MA Adult Immunization Coalition (MAIC)



- * MAIC is a collaborative partnership dedicated to increasing adult immunization through education, networking, and sharing innovative and best practices.
- * There are currently over 200 members representing:
 - * Local and state public health organizations
 - * Community health centers
 - * Health insurance plans
 - * Pharmacies
 - * Physicians
 - * Vaccine manufacturers
 - * Long-term-care and senior service organizations
 - * Consumer advocacy groups
 - * Hospitals
 - * Home health
 - * College health services

Next meeting!

Thursday, June 1st 6:30pm
at Massachusetts Medical
Society

Sign up at the MMS table
today or learn more at
<http://maic.jsi.com/>

Massachusetts Coalition for HPV-Related Cancer Awareness Meeting

Are you interested in learning more about activities to increase HPV immunization rates to decrease HPV-related cancer in Massachusetts?

Come to the meeting today at the conclusion of the conference!

3:45-5:00 p.m. in the Westborough Room

Please see a Conference Staff person if you are interested in attending or visit the HPV exhibit table in the Ballroom Foyer

2017 Immunization Updates

In-Person Sessions*

Date	Location
Monday, May 8	UMass Medical School, Worcester
Friday, May 12	The Conference Center at Massasoit, Brockton
Tuesday, May 16	MA State Public Health Laboratory, Jamaica Plain
Thursday, May 18	Cape Cod Community College, Hyannis
Wednesday, May 24	Holyoke Community College, Holyoke
Tuesday, May 30	Northern Essex Community College, Haverhill
Friday, June 2	BMC Hillcrest Hospital, Pittsfield

*8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Registration begins at 8:00 a.m.

Conference Topics

- Current trends in the epidemiology of vaccine preventable diseases
- VFC compliance/vaccine storage and handling (meets the annual VFC training requirement)
- Updates to the 2017 childhood and adult immunization schedules
- MIIS updates, including defining ways to improve data quality
- Addressing vaccine confidence
- School immunization data
- And more..!

For up-to-date information, please visit the Events section on the Immunization Program website (www.mass.gov/dph/imm). For questions about the Updates, call or email Denise Henry at 508-752-7313 or denise.@adcare-educational.org.

2017 Immunization Updates continued

Webinar Modules

(Please note: These modules are four sessions; The webinars begin at 12:00 p.m. and are 45 minutes to one hour each.)

Date	Topic
Tuesday, June 6	VFC Compliance/Vaccine Storage and Handling
Thursday, June 8	Epidemiology of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases
Tuesday, June 13	Massachusetts Immunization Information System (MIIS) Update
Thursday, June 15	Immunization Schedule Updates

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Save the Date!
***22nd Annual MIAP Pediatric
Immunization Skills Building
Conference***

Thursday, October 12, 2017

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**The BEST WESTERN Royal Plaza Hotel
Marlborough, MA**

Updated information will be posted as it becomes available at www.mcaap.org/immunization-cme/
and www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/dph/programs/id/immunization/events.html

Enjoy the Conference!

