

# 39th Annual Conference – Connecticut Infectious Disease Society

Thursday, May 12, 2022 – Courtyard Marriott Downtown, Waterbury, CT

Dr. David Banach and Dr. Marjorie Golden designed this conference to achieve the following learning objectives: Describe factors associated with vaccine hesitancy and strategies to address cultural barriers to vaccinations; Identify key updates in the treatment of patients with STI; Review novel approaches to HIV prevention and new therapies for the treatment of patients with HIV infection; Describe recently approved antibacterials and identify the roles of these therapies in the treatment of infectious diseases; Discuss recent advances in infectious diseases diagnostics; Provide an update on tropical and travel medicine; Identify current available therapeutics for the treatment of COVID-19 and understand the epidemiology, clinical assessment and strategies for management of post COVID-19 symptoms.

## COURSE DIRECTORS

### David Banach, MD, MPH

CIDS President; Associate Professor of Medicine, Head of Infection Prevention, Hospital Epidemiologist, UConn Health

### Marjorie Golden, MD

CIDS Vice President; Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine; Site Chief, Infectious Disease, St. Raphael Campus, Yale New Haven Hospital

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

### Zanthia Wiley, MD

Associate Professor, Emory University

## SPEAKERS

### Dana Dunne, MD

Associate Professor of Medicine, Infectious Diseases, Yale School of Medicine

### Casey Godshall, MD

Assistant Professor of Medicine, UConn School of Medicine

### Jeffrey Aeschlimann, PharmD

Associate Professor of Pharmacy Practice, UConn School of Pharmacy

### David Peaper, MD, PhD

Associate Professor of Laboratory Medicine, Yale School of Medicine; Director, Clinical Microbiology Laboratory, YNNH

### Kevin Dieckhaus, MD

Professor of Medicine, Division Chief of Infectious Diseases, UConn Health

### David Hill, MD

Professor of Medical Sciences; Director, Global Public Health Program, Quinnipiac University

### Casey Dempsey, PharmD

Infectious Diseases Clinical Pharmacist, Department of Pharmacy Services, Hartford HealthCare

### Shelli Farhadian, MD, PhD

Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, Infectious Diseases and Neurology, Yale School of Medicine

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## AGENDA

7:00 am Registration/Continental Breakfast

8:00 am Welcome/Introduction

8:15 am **Keynote – The Changing Face of COVID-19 Vaccine Hesitancy**  
Zanthia Wiley, MD, Associate Professor, Emory University

9:15 am **Update on HIV and Sexually Transmitted Infections**

Moderator: Margaret Fikrig, MD  
2021 Updated STI Treatment Guidelines  
– Dana Dunne, MD  
What's New in HIV and PrEP  
– Casey Godshall, MD

10:15 am Break/Exhibitors

10:30 am **Advances in ID Therapeutics and Diagnostics**

Moderator: Steven Aronin, MD  
What's New in Antibacterials?  
– Jeff Aeschlimann, PharmD  
Update in ID Diagnostics in the Clinical Microbiology Laboratory – David Peaper, MD, PhD

11:30 am **CT Infectious Disease Society Update**  
David Banach, MD, MPH, President

11:45 am Lunch/Poster Viewing/Exhibitors

1:00 pm **CT DPH Update**

DPH Commissioner Manisha Juthani, MD;  
Meghan Maloney, MPH; Vivian Leung, MD  
COVID-19 Update  
Multidrug-Resistant Gram-Negative Organisms

1:45 pm **Hot Topics in Travel & Tropical Medicine**  
Kevin Dieckhaus, MD; David Hill, MD

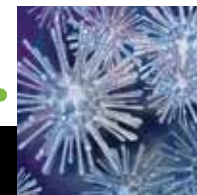
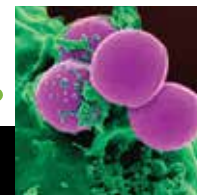
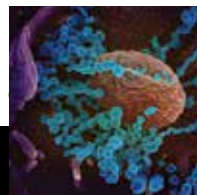
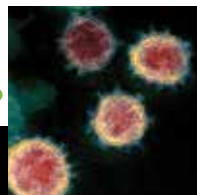
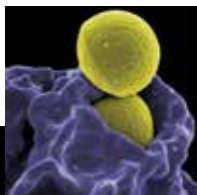
2:30 pm Break

2:45 pm **COVID-19**

Moderator: Jack Ross, MD  
COVID-19 Therapeutics Update  
– Casey Dempsey, PharmD  
COVID-19 Sequelae and Long-Haul Symptoms – Shelli Farhadian, MD, PhD

3:45 pm Poster Winners

4:00 pm Closing Remarks



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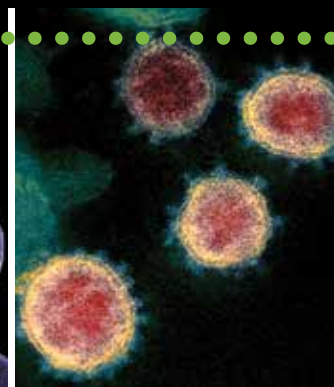
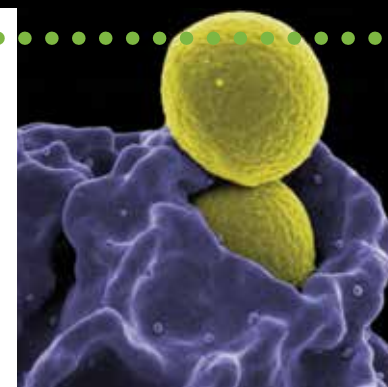
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