

**Emory University**  
**Serious Communicable Diseases Program (SCDP)**  
**Project ECHO Program**  
**Bedside Nursing and Respiratory Viruses**  
**Thursday, February 2, 2023**  
**11 AM – 12 PM (EST)**

**Medical Director/Facilitator:** Gavin Harris, MD- *Emory University School of Medicine, Divisions of Pulmonary, Allergy, Critical Care, and Sleep Medicine & Infectious Diseases; Serious Communicable Diseases Program*

**Expert Panelist(s):**

- Anna Yaffee, MD, MPH - Emory University Department of Emergency Medicine
- Kari Love, RN, MS, CIC, FAPIC - Emory Healthcare, Infection Prevention
- Jill Morgan RN, BSN - Emory Healthcare, Critical care

**Target Audience:**

- Anyone interfacing with patients, including EMTs, paramedics, physicians, nurses, pharmacists, hospital administrators, etc., are welcome to attend.

**Session Objectives:**

- Obtain an understanding of the current epidemiologic status of circulatory respiratory viruses and examine trends and future projections
- Use a case-based scenario to explore and evaluate how infection prevention and control measures in the acute care setting affect patient care and examine best-practices in nursing care
- Discuss how such issues affect hospital-system and regional preparedness

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Time	Topic	Presenter
11:00-11:05	Welcome, Intros, Polls	Harris
11:05-11:10	Situation Report	Harris
11:10-11:20	I'm Having Trouble Breathing – Case Presentation	Yaffee
11:20-11:35	Early Detection, Better Protection: Using the Identify-Isolate-Inform Model to Protect Healthcare Workers	Morgan
11:35-12:00	Discussion/Q&A <i>(Audience can submit questions and experts will discuss)</i>	Harris, Yaffee, Morgan, Love
12:00	Wrap-up, Polls	Harris

**Bios:**

**Dr. Gavin Harris**

Dr. Gavin Harris is a faculty member at Emory University School of Medicine. He is dually appointed in Critical Care Medicine and Infectious Diseases with professional interests in disaster preparedness, rapid diagnostics, biosecurity, and the treatment of high consequence pathogens.

**Dr. Anna Yaffee**

Dr. Anna Q. Yaffee is an Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine, practicing clinically at Grady Memorial and Emory University Hospitals. She serves as the Emergency Medicine liaison to the Emory Serious Communicable Diseases Unit and assists with frontline serious communicable disease preparedness for the Emory Healthcare system as well as nationally through the National Emerging Special Pathogens Training and Education Center.

Dr. Yaffee also serves as Director of the Global Health in Emergency Medicine Section. Her primary clinical/scholarly focus is Public and Global Health in Emergency Medicine, including emergency medicine capacity building, preparedness, and humanitarian response.

Dr. Yaffee is a board-certified emergency medicine physician, who received an MD (2012) and MPH (2008) from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI and completed her emergency medicine residency and chief residency (2015) at Emory University. Before returning to Emory as faculty, Dr. Yaffee served as a Lieutenant Commander in the United States Public Health Service and worked as an Epidemic Intelligence Service Officer for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

**Jill Morgan, RN, BSN**

Jill has been a member of Emory's Serious Communicable Disease Unit for more than fifteen years and cared for all four of Emory's Ebola virus disease patients. During her biocontainment unit experience, Jill developed an acute interest in ensuring that clinicians of all kinds can safely do their work. That passion has led to a strong relationship with clinical research, NIOSH, and the National Personal Protective Technologies Laboratory, as well as involvement with PPE standards organizations such as ASTM and AAMI. She also serves as the in-person education lead for NETEC, the National Emerging Special Pathogens Training and Education Center

Jill served as a judge in last year's BARDA mask challenge, argued in favor of the development of eye protection standards against blood and other potentially infectious materials, and sponsors biomedical engineering students from Ga Tech in their capstone projects. She is currently working on grants involving barrier face coverings and infection prevention for bedside clinicians through Emory's Healthcare Human Factors Lab.

**Kari L Love, RN, MS, CIC, FAPIC**

Kari has worked in healthcare for over 30 years as a Registered Nurse and discovered her passion for infection prevention and epidemiology 20 years ago. She is currently the Corporate Director of Infection Prevention at Emory Healthcare.

Kari has published and co-authored books and numerous articles in peer-reviewed journals and continues to remain involved in the day-to-day challenges of infection prevention. She is the recipient of the Daisy Leadership Award for her contributions during the COVID pandemic response at Emory and has received recognition for her leadership and clinical achievements.

Kari received her Nursing Degree from New Mexico State University and her Bachelor of Science and Master of Science degrees in Clinical Management and Leadership from George Washington University. She is certified in infection prevention and control (CIC) has been recognized as a Fellow of APIC (FAPIC) and is currently completing her Ph.D. in Translational Health Sciences at George Washington University. Kari lives in Atlanta with her partner and fur babies and enjoys gardening and travel.



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