



SAVE-the-DATE  
Wednesday, October 13, 2010  
9 AM to 4:30 PM



The Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH) Surveillance for Healthcare-Associated and Resistant Pathogens (SHARP) Unit is pleased to offer a FREE hands-on NHSN training to assist you in familiarizing yourself with NHSN which will benefit your compliance with the CMS reimbursement rules as well as enhancing your facilities' surveillance capabilities.

Topics include:

- MDRO/CDAD Infection Surveillance
- CAUTI surveillance
- CLABSI/SSI and the CMS proposed rule
- Analysis capabilities for hospitals
- Case studies from each NHSN module

The training will be offered as a Fall Michigan Society for Infection Prevention and Control (MSIPC) pre-conference activity at the Lexington Hotel in Lansing, MI. A (working) lunch will be provided.

**All participants need to:**

- Be enrolled on NHSN
- Bring their own (WiFi-capable) laptop
- Have their NHSN digital certificate pre-installed on their laptop
- Check that they can access NHSN **PRIOR TO** October 13th

Registration begins: **September 1<sup>st</sup>**, see registration form attached. Space is limited for this exciting training opportunity, please register early! A limited number of guest hotel rooms will be available at a reduced rate for those participants attending the training and the MSIPC fall conference. Also keep in mind that obtaining your digital certificate might take several weeks or longer, so get started on this soon!



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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently enrolled on NHSN?

Y  N  In the process

Will you be bringing your own WiFi-capable laptop? (for hands-on exercises)

Y  N

Is your NHSN digital certificate already installed on the laptop?

Y  N

Have you previously been able to access NHSN on your laptop?

Y  N

If we reach our capacity, we will be giving priority to facilities that participate with MHA's CAUTI initiative, MPRO's MRSA initiative, or whom have signed a Data Use Agreement with SHARP at MDCH. Do you meet any of these categories?

Y  N

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