

# Creighton UNIVERSITY

**SCHOOL OF MEDICINE**

**DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL  
MICROBIOLOGY & IMMUNOLOGY**

**CENTER FOR RESEARCH IN ANTI-  
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**OMAHA, NEBRASKA**

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**MINICOURSE**

**ANTIMICROBIAL AGENTS  
AND CHEMOTHERAPY**

**May 16-18, 2017**

**AUDIENCE:**

This is an introductory course on anti-bacterial chemotherapy and resistance. It is designed for individuals with limited experience who may work in a clinical environment or in the diagnostic or pharmaceutical industries, but can also be beneficial for experienced individuals seeking a refresher course.

It begins with basic concepts of antibacterial therapy, pharmacodynamics, and susceptibility testing, and moves into more advanced concepts such as detailed descriptions of mechanisms of antibacterial activity of some drugs, mainly cell-wall active drugs, and of the development of resistance to them. Special emphasis is given to the challenge of accurate detection of resistance with lectures being complemented by an interactive phenotypic and molecular laboratory session.

**TUITION:    \$750.00**

**Please pay in full by  
April 28, 2017 as spaces  
are limited.**

Registration is not refundable, but may be transferred to another individual within the company. For additional information, please contact Gail McNeeley (402) 280-1820, fax (402) 280-1875 or email: [gmcneeley@creighton.edu](mailto:gmcneeley@creighton.edu).

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**ANTIMICROBIAL AGENTS AND CHEMOTHERAPY  
SCHEDULE, MAY 16-18, 2017**

Date	Day	Time	Topic
May 16	Tuesday	8:30-11:30 a.m.	Introductions Drivers of Antibiotic Resistance Introduction to Antibacterials/Mechanisms of Action Pharmacodynamics of Antibacterial Agents Cell Wall Active Agents
		<b>11:30-12:30</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>
		12:30-5:00 p.m.	Protein Synthesis Inhibitors Fluoroquinolones Mobile Genetic Elements Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing and Antibiograms MRSA Issues
May 17	Wednesday	8:30-11:30 a.m.	$\beta$ -lactamases—What you need to know Regulation of CTX-M and KPC $\beta$ -lactamases
		<b>11:30-12:30</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>
		12:30–5:00 p.m.	AmpC $\beta$ -lactamases <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> Molecular Testing—Current and Future Applications
May 18	Thursday	8:30-12:00	Laboratory Session

**Course Director:**

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