



REGIONAL TB CONFERENCE-- WORLD WITHOUT BORDERS

MARCH 20, 2008
8:30 AM - 3:15 PM
WALTHAM, MA

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Presented by
The Massachusetts Department of Public Health and the
New Jersey Medical School Global Tuberculosis Institute

This program is an activity of the
**NORTHEASTERN REGIONAL TRAINING &
MEDICAL CONSULTATION CONSORTIUM**

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This regional update conference will focus on new developments and pressing issues in TB including: overseas screening, TB cases among immigrants and refugees, XDR-TB, culture monitoring and HIV testing.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Nurses and physicians who care for patients with tuberculosis

OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course participants will be able to:

- Describe a pandemic
- Describe new recommendations for screening Immigrants and Refugees
- Identify one high risk population
- Describe TB treatment for active disease
- Describe Extensively-Drug Resistant TB (XDR-TB)

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Course is open to nurses, physicians and public health program staff in the Northeastern region.

REGISTRATION PROCESS

Please call: Carolyn Harris or Dysha Johnson at (781)774-6737

FEE

No fee is required for this course.

TRAINING LOCATION

Children's Hospital Boston at Waltham
9 Hope Ave.
Waltham, MA 02453

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

For Physician (CME):

The Bureau of Communicable Disease Control, Massachusetts Department of Public Health, designates this educational activity for a maximum of 5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)[™]. Physicians should claim only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The Bureau of Communicable Disease Control, MA Department of Public Health is accredited by the Massachusetts Medical Society to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

For all other types of continuing education credits:

This program has been offered by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Bureau of Communicable Disease Control. A maximum of 5 contact hours for this program will be provided in accordance with the regulations governing continuing education requirements for the following Boards of Registration:

Board of Registration in Nursing (CMR 244 5.00), Board of Registration of Social Workers (258CMR 31.00et seq), Board of Mental Health Professions (262CMR 7.00), Board of Certification of Health Officers (241CMR 4.03), Board of Registration of Sanitarians (255CMR 5.02).

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