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## "Pharmacist Roles in Antimicrobial Stewardship in the U.S.: A Program Model at a Veterans Health Care System"

## Speaker: Nancy N. Nguyen, PharmD, BCPS, AAHIVP, FCSHP

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It is estimated that nearly 50% of antimicrobial use in hospitals is inappropriate, with adverse consequences such as antimicrobial resistance and complications including C. difficile infections. In addition, infection with resistant organisms is associated with increased mortality, excess hospital days, and increased health care costs. As a result, it is estimated that the cost to United States (U.S.) hospitals is eight million excess hospital days and \$21 to \$34 billion each year.

Antimicrobial Stewardship Programs (ASPs) are thought to be one of the most effective ways to improve antimicrobial utilization. Their purpose is to optimize clinical outcomes, minimize unintended consequences, improve patient safety, and improve the cost-effectiveness of antimicrobial use through a multidisciplinary approach. The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs is the largest integrated health care provider in the United States. As such, the U.S. Veterans Health Administration chartered a National Antimicrobial Stewardship Task Force in May 2011 "to optimize the care of Veterans by developing, deploying, and monitoring a national-level strategic plan for improvements in antimicrobial therapy management." The Task Force developed guidance for the implementation and maintenance of ASPs at all Veterans Affairs (VA) medical facilities.

The VA Palo Alto Health Care System, located in the San Francisco Bay Area in California, serves over 60,000 patients annually. Dr. Nguyen will discuss the model of the Antimicrobial Stewardship Program at the VA Palo Alto Health Care System and the roles that pharmacists, both Infectious Disease specialists and clinical staff pharmacists, play in antimicrobial stewardship efforts at this health care facility.

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