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Instructions for Contact hour

Update your Zoom name to
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Zoom name **MUST** match
your evaluation name

Enjoy the entire program

Complete the post-
evaluation by March 1,
2024, 5:00 PM (available
on the last slide)

Certificate will be emailed
to you by March 15, 2024



Welcome

Before we begin, answer in the chat:

**When the weather starts to
warm up, what do you look
forward to doing outdoors?**



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San Diego Skilled Nursing Facility Infection Prevention Collaborative

Grow - Collaborate - Succeed

Coordinated by the County of San Diego
Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAI) Program

Reminders

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Recording is on!



PHS.HAI.HHSA@ sdcounty.ca.gov



Keep your lines muted



Participate in the polls and chat



Use the chat box for questions



Slides will be emailed



"Right click" to rename



Type into the chat your:

- Name
- Title
- Facility



Land Acknowledgement



Public Health Services would like to begin by acknowledging the Indigenous Peoples of all the lands that we are on today. While we are meeting on a virtual platform, I would like to take a moment to acknowledge the importance of the lands, which we each call home. We respectfully acknowledge that we are on the traditional territory of the Kumeyaay. We offer our gratitude to the First Nations for their care for, and teachings about, our earth and our relations. May we honor those teachings.



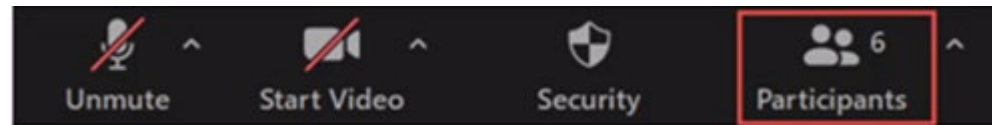
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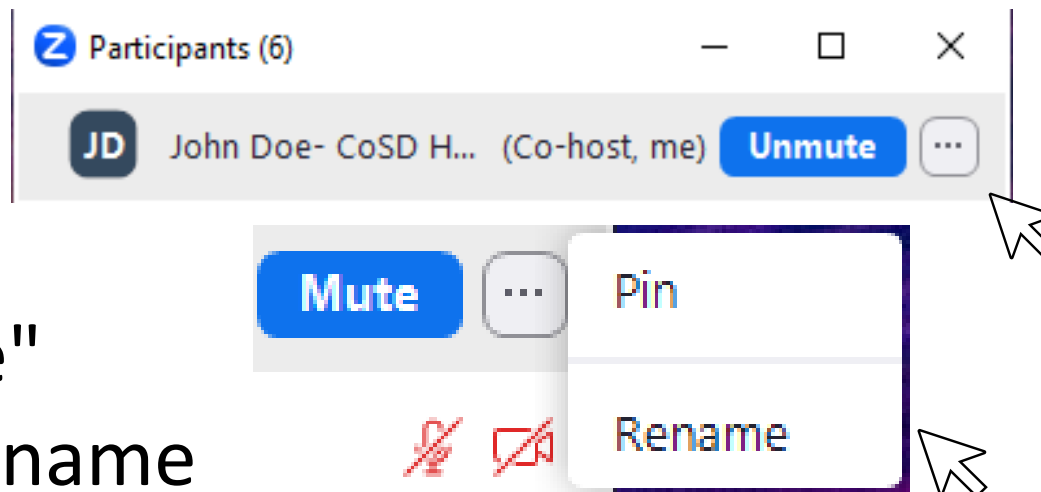


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3. Click "Rename"
4. Type your full name



Agenda

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Welcome

General Updates

Announcements

Featured Topic: "Implementing Decolonization in Nursing Homes to Prevent MDROs and Hospitalizations"

Next Collaborative



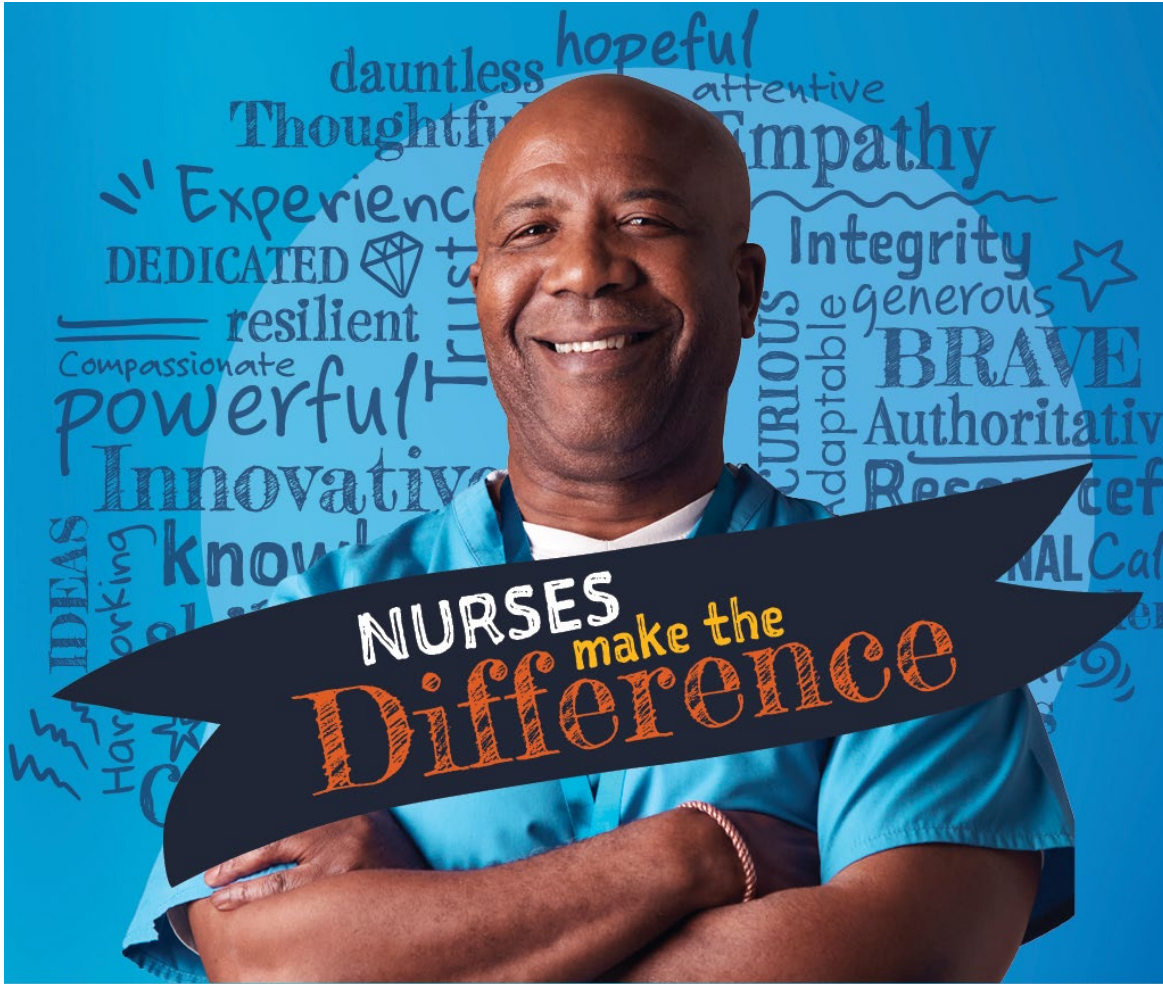
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Bathing Needs Assessment

- The County of San Diego Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAI) Program is working on a project to explore how bathing can impact infection control in nursing homes.
- Your responses will help the HAI program understand the current practices and challenges in nursing homes surrounding bathing. Your responses are confidential and will only be shared in aggregate and deidentified.
- **Please complete by 4/26/24**



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 **NURSES WEEK**
AMERICAN NURSES ASSOCIATION
MAY 6-12, 2024



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To: CAHAN San Diego Participants

Date: April 1, 2024

From: Public Health Services

Health Advisory: Second Measles Case in San Diego County for 2024

CAHAN
Alerts

Key Messages

- An adult with an unclear vaccination status who has returned from overseas travel has developed laboratory confirmed measles not linked to the [1st case in 2024](#).
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recently issued a [Health Advisory](#) to inform clinicians of an increase in global and U.S. measles cases.
- Measles should be considered when individuals present with an acute febrile illness and maculopapular rash.
- All patients with fever and rash should be screened at the point of entry to a healthcare facility. Providers **should immediately institute airborne precautions** on patients suspected of measles to prevent healthcare associated exposures.
- **Providers should immediately report any suspect measles case to the County Immunization Program. Do not wait for laboratory confirmation.**

https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/cahan_san_diego/Alerts.html

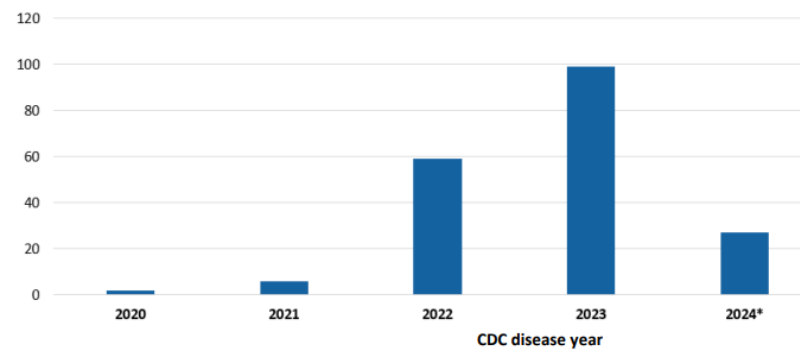


To: CAHAN San Diego Participants
Date: March 22, 2024
From: Public Health Services
Health Advisory Update #2: *Candida auris* in San Diego County

Key Messages

- *Candida auris* (*C. auris*) has been identified in San Diego County (SDC), since March 2020, with increasing reports since September 2021.
- California Department of Public Health (CDPH) has updated the [guidance for surveillance and screening](#) among high-risk populations.
- The County of San Diego reminds that rigorous adherence to infection control measures, including the routine use of Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) registered disinfectant effective against *C. auris* are critical for mitigation.
- Confirmed or suspected *C. auris* cases, identified in SDC, should be reported to Epidemiology Unit during business hours, Monday to Friday 8AM-5PM, within one working day of identification. Also, isolates should be saved for potential confirmatory testing and/or further characterization.

Figure 1. *Candida auris* Cases, San Diego County, 2020-2024,* N=193



*2024 data are year-to-date; current as of 3/20/2024. Data are provisional and subject to change as additional information becomes available. Case counts include confirmed cases.

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Respiratory Virus Update



San Diego County Respiratory Virus Surveillance Report

Prepared by Epidemiology and Immunization Services Branch

www.sdepi.org

April 18, 2024

COVID-19

Cases
43,608

Deaths
314

Outbreaks*
434

7/2/2023 – 4/13/2024

Influenza

Cases
17,444

Deaths
53

Outbreaks*
28

7/2/2023 – 4/13/2024

RSV

Cases
5,784

Deaths
22

Outbreaks*
10

7/2/2023 – 4/13/2024

*In residential congregate settings



Respiratory Virus Update

COVID-19, Influenza, and RSV Cases by CDC Episode Week,* 2023-24 Fiscal Year-to-Date

Figure 1.1. San Diego County COVID-19 Confirmed and Probable Cases (N=43,608)

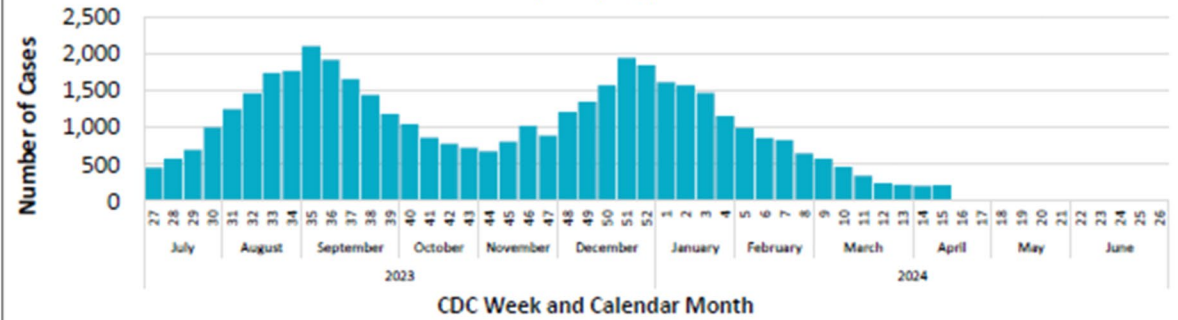


Figure 1.2. San Diego County Influenza Cases (N=17,444)

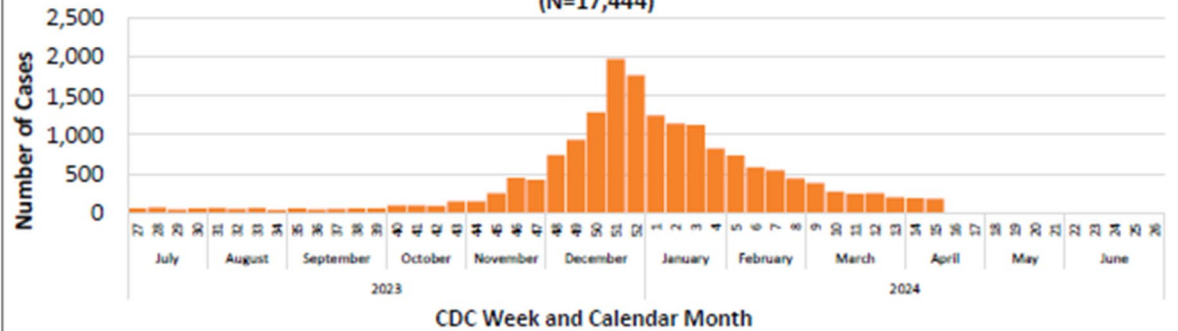
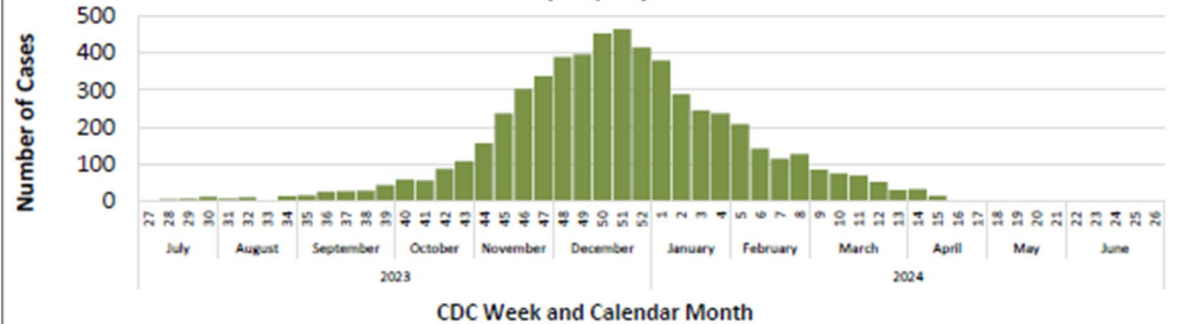


Figure 1.3. San Diego County RSV Cases (N=5,784)



*Episode date is the earliest available of symptom onset date, specimen collection date, date of death, date reported. Data for the most recent week may be incomplete.

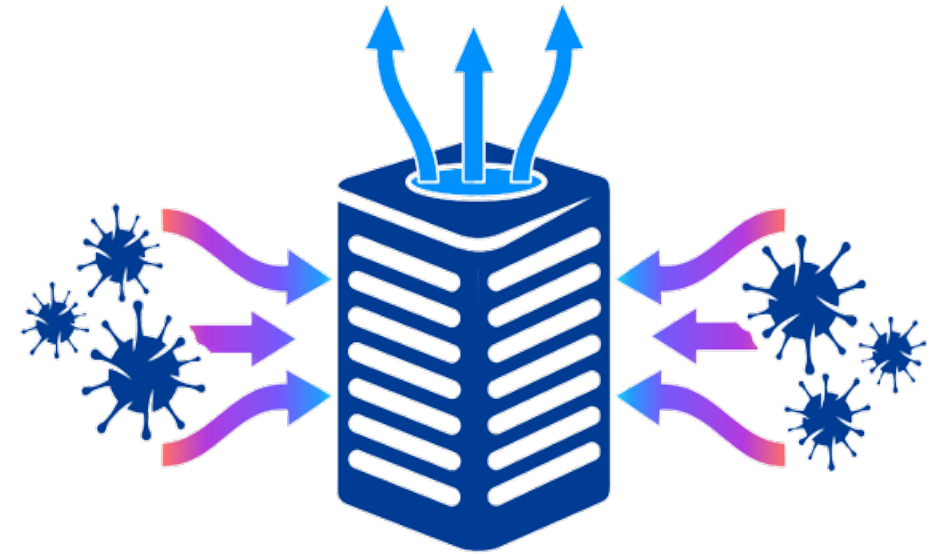
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Apply to Receive Portable Air Cleaners!



From CDPH Occupational Health Branch:

- SNFs can apply to receive up to 6 portable air cleaners or 1 negative air machine
- Supplies are limited; Selection not guaranteed
- Deadline to apply is 5/3/24

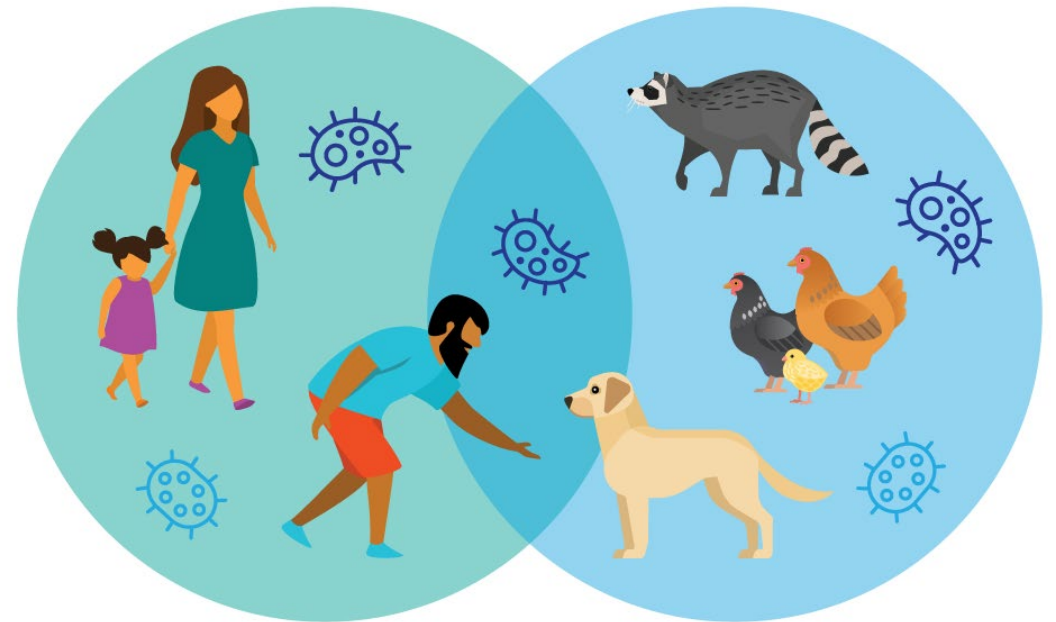


County of San Diego 13th Annual Vector-Borne & Zoonotic Disease Meeting

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- **Wednesday, May 1, 2024, 8:30AM-2:30PM**
- County Operations Center
5520 Overland Ave, San Diego, 92123
Chambers Room
- Continuing education hours available



NHSN Vaccination Team Office Hours

- **Thursday 4/25/24 at 2PM EST (11AM PST)**
- Presentation slides/replays available at the NHSN HPS Module website
- Annual HCP influenza vaccination data reporting deadline: **5/15/24**



County/CDPH Briefings



- **CDPH/HSAG SNF IP Webinars:**
 - Bi-monthly 4th Wednesday @ 3PM-4PM
 - Next webinar is on ****5/29/24****
- **County LTC Sector COVID Monthly Telebriefing:**
 - Bi-monthly 4th Thursday @ 2PM-3PM
 - Next briefing is on **5/23/24**
- **NHSN & HAI Nursing Home Office Hours:**
 - Monthly 3rd Tuesday @ 11:30AM-12:30PM
 - Next session is **5/21/24**



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Vaccine Office Hours with CALTCM and HSAG



Vaccine Challenges Office Hours:

2nd and 4th Thursdays monthly at 12PM-1PM

Next webinar is on 4/25/24

CALTCM Physician experts are available to answer questions about vaccines, challenges, vaccine hesitancy

HSAG is available to provide tools and resources

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUkf-mtrT8jH9JpAKh_qdYOrzRsla10PHZI#/registration



Contact Hour Instructions

Ensure

- Ensure your full name identifies you on Zoom

Enjoy

- Enjoy the full presentation

Complete

- Complete the post-evaluation

Speaker

Susan Huang, MD, MPH

Chancellor's Professor, Division of Infectious Diseases
Medical Director, Epidemiology & Infection Prevention
University of California Irvine School of Medicine



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Next Collaborative

May 22, 2024

11:00AM – 12:00PM

ZOOM

Featured Topic:

“Enhanced Barrier Precautions (EBP) and Enhanced Standard Precautions (ESP)”


1 Contact Hour Offered

Submit questions or feedback about today’s meeting to:
PHS.HAI.HHSA@sdcounty.ca.gov

ENHANCED STANDARD PRECAUTIONS
When providing close contact care or cleaning in the environment, staff must:


MEJOREMOS LAS PRECAUCIONES HABITUALES
Al prestar cuidados de contacto directo o limpiar el entorno, el personal debe:

Clean Hands




Manos Limpias

Wear Gown



Use Bata

Wear Gloves



Use Guantes

1 Morning & Evening Care


2 Cleaning & Disinfecting the Environment

3 Toileting & Changing Incontinence Briefs

4 Caring for Devices and Giving Medical Treatments

5 Wound Care

6 Mobility Assistance & Preparing to Leave Room



Cuidados de mañana y tarde 1



Limpieza y desinfección del entorno 2

Aseo y cambio de ropa interior para incontinencia 3



Cuidado de equipos y administración de tratamientos médicos 4

Tratamiento de heridas 5

Ayuda en movilidad y preparación para dejar la habitación 6

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10/12/2023

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