

EPIDEMIOLOGY & PREVENTION OF VACCINE-PREVENTABLE DISEASES (THE PINK BOOK) COURSE

Presented by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Sheraton Denver Tech Center

Co-hosted by the Colorado Children's Immunization Coalition & the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment Immunization Branch

Faculty from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases will present a live, comprehensive review of immunization principles, as well as vaccine-preventable diseases and the recommended vaccines to prevent them. The 2.5 day course will feature the most up-to-date immunization information from the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP). A pre-course workshop featuring an update on the state of immunizations in Colorado will be offered in addition.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

The course is designed for anyone seeking the most comprehensive and current knowledge of immunization, including physicians, nurses, medical assistants, pharmacists, immunization providers, program managers, and nursing and medical students. Participants will need to have a basic understanding of biology and immunization.

OBJECTIVES:

After attending this course, participants will be able to:

- Describe the difference between active and passive immunity
- Compare and contrast the characteristics of live, attenuated vaccines and inactivated vaccines
- For each vaccine-preventable disease, identify those for whom routine immunization is recommended
- Describe characteristics of the vaccine(s) used to prevent each disease
- Describe an emerging immunization issue related to pediatric/adolescent/adult immunization
- Implement disease detection and prevention health care services to prevent health problems and maintain health.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT:

Continuing education will be available through CDC's Training and Continuing Education Online system after completion of each course (CME, CNE, CEU, CECH, CPE, and CPH).

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