



Connecticut



Infectious Disease Society (CIDS)

42nd Annual Conference Thursday, May 15, 2025
LaBella Vista, Waterbury, CT

7:00 am Registration/Breakfast/Visit with Exhibitors

7:55 am Welcome – Dr. Marjorie Golden

8:00 am ***DPH EPI Anniversary*** - Lynn Sosa, MD, Director of Infectious Disease/State Epidemiologist, CT DPH and Dr. Linda Niccolai, PhD, Professor of Epidemiology (Microbial Diseases), Yale School of Public Health

8:30 am Keynote Speaker – ***Mpox & Smallpox*** - Kevin Ard, MD, MPH, Mass General Hospital Division of Infectious Diseases, Assistant Professor of Medicine at Harvard Medical School

9:15 am ***Seasonal Flu*** – Michael Parry, MD, Stamford Health Medical Group Infectious Diseases

10:00 am Break

10:15 am ***Intersection of H5N1 between Human and Animal Health*** – Dr. Valerie Koenig, DVM, New England Veterinary Medical Officer, USDA APHIS Veterinary Services

11:00 am ***Commissioner Manisha Juthani, MD, CT DPH***

11:30 – Update from CIDS President and Election of Officers

11:45 Lunch – visit poster, exhibitors

12:45 pm ***Food Borne Illness*** – DPH

1:30 pm ***TB: Advances in Diagnosis and Latest Treatment Guidelines***– Kohta Saito, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine - Charles R. Steinberg, M.D. Clinical Scholar in Infectious Diseases, Weill Cornell Medical College

2:15 pm ***What's New and Hot in HIV 2025?*** – Amit Achhra, MPH, PhD, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine (Infectious Diseases), Yale School of Medicine

3:00 – 3:10 pm Break

3:10 pm ***Vaccinations*** - TBA

3:55 pm Presentation of Poster Awards

4:00 pm Closing Remarks

4:15 pm Quiz Bowl