



FLORIDA SOCIETY FOR CLINICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE  
(FSCLS)

## *2016 Spring Symposium Program & Registration...*

*Register to attend this unique continuing education, cutting edge sessions and laboratory professional networking opportunity hosted by FSCLS and Nemours Children's Hospital on:*

**Friday May 6, 2016  
at**

**NEMOURS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL**

**13535 Nemours Parkway, Orlando, FL 32827**

***Early Registration Deadline is April 29, 2016***

*Target audience: Clinical Laboratory Scientists, Directors, Managers, Researchers, Supervisors, Technologists, Technicians, Phlebotomist, Medical Assistants, POCT Coordinators, other POCT professionals and students.*

*Educational sessions: meet Florida Clinical Laboratory Personnel mandatory continuing education requirements for Florida license/biennium license renewal: i.e. program includes Florida Laws and Rules (1 hour/1CEU), Prevention of Medical Errors (2 hours/2 CEUs) and HIV Update (1 hour/1CEU).*

### **Program Highlights**

- Administration
- Blood Bank
- Chemistry
- Hematology
- Immunology/  
Serology
- HIV/AIDS
- Lab Safety
- Laws and Rules
- Medical Errors
- Microbiology
- Point-of-Care
- Quality Control

**Date:**  
**May 6, 2016**

**Place:**  
**Nemours Children's  
Hospital, Orlando, FL**



**FSCLS 2016 Spring Symposium Preliminary Program\***  
**May 6, 2016**

Time	Session #	Topic	CE Credits
7:00 am – 2:00 pm		<b>Registration</b>	
7:00 – 8:00 am		<b>Refreshments/Coffee</b>	
7:50 – 8:00 am		<b>Welcome &amp; Introductions</b>	
8:00 – 8:50 am	<b>1</b>	<b>Your First IQCP Inspection</b>  Jane Smith  Are you ready for your first IQCP inspection? The first segment will be updating IQCP information from CAP, CMS, TJC, and COLA. The second half will be summaries of completed IQCP inspections. At the conclusion, we will take questions, and share IQCP inspection experiences.	<b>1.0 contact hour Sup/Adm</b>
8:00 – 8:50 am	<b>2</b>	<b>HIV/AIDS 2016</b>  Halcyon St. Hill, Ed.D., M.S., MLS(ASCP) <sup>CM</sup> , FASAHP, Professor, Florida Gulf Coast University  HIV/AIDS 2016 Update, laboratory testing and services relevant to safety, post HIV exposure clinical management, HIV/AIDS prevention and treatment will be presented. HIV/AIDS incidence in the US and Florida, relevant laws, and current issues and trends will be discussed. Session meets Florida licensure requirements.	<b>1.0 contact hour HIV/AIDS</b>
9:00 – 9:50 am	<b>3</b>	<b>Autoimmune Serendipity</b>  JoAnne Koch-Owens, DLM, MLS, Phlebotomy Technician(ASCP) <sup>CM</sup> , MT(AMT)  Solving the puzzle of autoimmunity that more than 100 diseases have in common, by questioning etiology and susceptibility to autoimmunity associated with HLA type.	<b>1.0 contact hour Immunology/ Serology</b>
9:00 – 9:50 am	<b>4</b>	<b>Florida Laws and Rules 2016</b>  Brenda Van Der Heyden, Consultant, Compliance Issues and Physician Office Lab. Operations  Review of the current laws and rules governing the licensure of personnel in the State of Florida. There will be a discussion of disciplinary action and how the process occurs. Session meets Florida laboratory licensure requirements.	<b>1.0 contact hour Laws &amp; Rules</b>
9:50 – 10:20 am		<b>Break</b>	
10:20 – 11:10 am	<b>5</b>	<b>Automated Inventory Management</b> Brenda Hastie Ortho Diagnostics A foundation in automated inventory management and the business justification to adopt the approach will be presented.	<b>1.0 contact hour Sup/Adm</b>
10:20 – 12:20 am	<b>6</b>	<b>Medical Errors</b>  JoAnne Koch-Owens, DLM, MLS, Phlebotomy Technician(ASCP) <sup>CM</sup> , MT(AMT)  The key to the prevention of medical errors requires a review of case studies that involve human error, active failures, latent failures and adverse drug events (ADE) in order to understand why root cause analysis improves patient safety. Session meets Florida laboratory licensure requirements.	<b>2.0 contact hours Medical Errors</b>
11:20 am – 12:20 pm	<b>7</b>	<b>POCT Panel Discussion</b>  Mary Jo Grodsky, MLS(ASCP), POCT Coordinator, Orlando Regional Medical Center, and Edwina Szelag, MHM, BSMT(ASCP), Alere Technical Consultant II, Acute Care Group, Gulf Coast Region  This session will be a panel discussion sharing information and ideas, with audience participation, on key POCT topics.	<b>1.0 contact hour, Sup/Adm</b>
12:20 -1:30 pm		<b>Exhibits &amp; Lunch (included in full day registration)</b>	

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12:45 – 1:15 pm	8	<b>Student Session:</b> Heather Crookston and Tripat Kaur  Session on professionalism and careers geared for students.	No CE credit
12:45 – 1:35	9	<b>Rapid Improvements in Clinical Medicine</b>  Michael Bishop, MS, MLS(ASCP) Program director Medical laboratory Science, Keiser University  Need to solve a challenge in laboratory medicine quickly? A Rapid Improvement Event (R.I.E.) may be the answer!!! A Rapid Improvement Event is all-day event with the appropriate team focused on the single task of developing and implementing the solution. This presentation will review the process, issue selection, event planning, the potential outcomes and lessons learned.	1.0 contact hour, Sup/Adm
12:45 – 1:35 pm	10	<b>Factor XII Deficiencies A Risk Factor for Thrombosis</b>  Kyle Riding, Ph. D. MLS (ASCP) – Instructor, Medical laboratory Science, Keiser University  Session will address Factor XII – A risk factor to thrombosis – Abstract/description to be added.	1.0 contact hour, Hematology
1:40 – 2:30 pm	11	<b>Diabetes: HbA1c and Microalbumin</b>  Dr. Steve Suffin, M.D., Ortho Clinical Diagnostics History of the use of HbA1c and Microalbumin tests in diabetes management and the alignment with Guidelines as related to quality metrics will be discussed.	1.0 contact hour Chemistry
1:40 – 2:30 pm	12	Richard Gammon, M.D., Medical Director, OneBlood, Inc.  Session abstract/description to be added.	1.0 contact hour Immuno-hematology
2:35 – 3:20 pm	13	<b>Molecular Diagnostics: The Evolution of Next Generation Sequencing (NGS)</b>  Barbara Sotolongo, Ph.D., Complete Bio Solutions Laboratory, Hialeah, FL NGS in the Molecular Laboratory  Molecular Diagnostics is an emerging area of the clinical laboratory and Next Generation Sequencing (NGS) is one of the newest emerging techniques being used in clinical applications. This is a brief overview of the history of sequencing and the evolution of NGS. A short review of how NGS can be used in the future.	1.0 contact hour Molecular
2:35 – 3:20 pm	14	<b>Food Borne Infection</b>  Karen Kelly, Watson Clinic Session abstract/description to be added	1.0 contact hour Microbiology
3:20 – 3:40 pm		<b>Break</b>	
3:40 – 4:30 pm	15	<b>Pre-Analytical Variables</b>  Shrita Smith, BD Diagnostics  Abstract to be added	1.0 contact hour GEN
3:40 – 4:30 pm	16	<b>Hematology Case Studies</b>  Jill Smith, CLS(ASCP)SH, Medical Technologist, Orlando Regional Medical Center  The session will focus on Hematology case studies from a Hematologist stand point.	1.0 contact hour Hematology
4:45 – 5:40 pm	17	<b>Florida Society for Clinical Laboratory Science Board/Business Meeting</b>	No CE credits

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration is limited and therefore will continue until filled on a first come first served basis. **Fees are non-refundable after April 29, 2016.** To register return this portion of the form with a check or money order made payable to FSCLS to:

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**REGISTRATION QUESTIONS:** Tripat Kaur at 1-863-853-0010 or E-mail: [tripat@gmail.com](mailto:tripat@gmail.com)

## REGISTRATION FEES\*

Days & CEUs	Early Registration Rate - Post Marked Before April 29, 2016		On site at the door or Post Marked After April 29, 2016	
	ASCLS/FSCLS, Central FL POC Network members	Non-members	ASCLS/FSCLS, Central FL POC Network members	Non-members
½ day	\$55	\$80	\$70	\$99
Full Day**	\$70	\$99	\$99	\$120
CE BROKER	CE Broker CEUs is included with registration cost.			
*STUDENT RATE: \$25 PER DAY** Students must have Program Director or Instructor sign registration form to receive this special rate (rate does not apply to masters/graduate level students).				
Membership application is available on the ASCLS website at <a href="http://www.ascls.org">www.ascls.org</a> and go to Join then click on Join/Renew Information				

# FSCLS 2016 SPRING SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION FORM

**Deadline:** Post Marked by April 29, 2016 (To be eligible for reduced rates!).

**Questions:** contact Tripat Kaur at 1-863-853-0010 or E-mail: [tripat@gmail.com](mailto:tripat@gmail.com)

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Please circle sessions desired:

☐ April 29, 2016 – Full Day:    1       2       3       4       5       6       7       Lunch  
   8       9       10       11       12       13       14       15       16       17

**HALF DAY REGISTRATION:** Please check ONE date/day am or pm and circle the sessions desired:

☐ April 29, 2016 – Half Day:   1       2       3       4       5       6       7  
   OR

☐ April 29, 2016 – Half Day:   8       9       10       11       12       13       14       15       16       17

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