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Antimicrobial Stewardship Education Program: Transforming Practice, Improving Care

Pfizer Grant to SHEA

FINAL REPORT

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Purpose

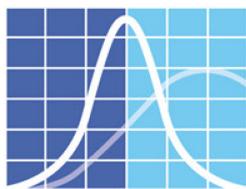
- Define a universal, inter-professional profile of the knowledge and skills required for effective antimicrobial stewardship (AS).
- Work with partner organizations to form a baseline: American Society of Health System Pharmacists (ASHP), Infectious Diseases Society of America (IDSA), MAD-ID, National Foundation of Infectious Diseases (NFID), Pediatric Infectious Diseases Society (PIDS) and Society for Infectious Disease Pharmacists (SIDP)

Scope

- Create a distilled a list of learning needs and priorities to guide initiatives to advance the practice and impact of antimicrobial stewardship in a needs document
- Create a Web resource: www.stewardship-education.org
- Reach pharmacists and physicians who prescribe & fill antibiotics

Results & Impact

- The white paper will be published in the December 2014 issue of Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology –
DISTRIBUTION: 2,000 SHEA Members, 1,200 institutional subscribers, 200 individual subscribers
- Offered free access
- Promoted with SHEA Get Smart for Antibiotics communications plan



Results & Impact

- The Website www.stewardship-education.org is online.
- HITS TO DATE: Average 200/per month, initial hits higher
- Promoted as part of Vital Signs focused on antimicrobial stewardship – in press release and promoted to membership in Newsletter, and promoted by other organizations