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Featured Guests



Larry Kociolek, MD

Dr. Kociolek, MD, Attending Physician at the Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago and Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, the Medical Director of Infection Prevention and Control at Lurie Children's whereby he coordinates the surveillance for and prevention of infection-related adverse events and leads administrative efforts to optimize patient and healthcare worker safety. Broadly, Dr. Kociolek's academic interests are focused on healthcare epidemiology, particularly pediatric Clostridioides difficile infection and infections caused by antibiotic-resistant organisms.

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Maribeth Nicholson, MD, MPH

Dr. Nicholson, MD, MPH, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Associate Program Director, Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition Fellowship Program. Maribeth R. Nicholson, MD MPH, is an assistant professor of pediatric gastroenterology, hepatology and nutrition at Vanderbilt University Medical Center. a pediatrician, an epidemiologist.

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Thomas J. Sandora, MD MPH

Dr. Sandora, MD, MPH is an Associate Professor of Pediatrics at Harvard Medical School and an attending in pediatric infectious diseases at Boston Children's Hospital, where he has served as the Hospital Epidemiologist and Medical Director of Infection Prevention and Control since 2005. Dr. Sandora's research interests focus on healthcare-associated infections in children, including epidemiology and prevention of pediatric C. difficile infection. He is a co-author of the IDSA-SHEA Clinical Practice Guidelines for C. difficile infection in adults and children, as well as the SHEA Compendium of strategies to prevent C. difficile infections in acute care hospitals.

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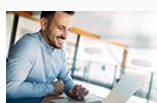
Dr. Blount, Ph. D. CSO at Rebiotix, Inc., a Ferring Company, is a seasoned director of collaborative research programs in biotech, pharma, clinical, and academic research settings, and his scientific expertise includes antibiotics discovery and development, fecal microbiome analysis, translational medical oncology, and RNA-targeting therapeutics. Prior to joining Rebiotix, Dr. Blount coordinated translational urologic oncology research for the Yale Cancer Center. Previously, he was a co-founder and the Director of Biology at BioRelix, a venture-backed Connecticut biotech that developed new antibiotics to target structured bacterial messenger RNAs. At BioRelix, Dr. Blount led a combined force

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