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EUCIC Observership topics

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Topics :will follow soon

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Topics:
Patient and laboratory based surveillance
Sterilization-disinfection/ Waste management
Antimicrobial stewardship
Clinical rounds daily and big round perweek with Infectious Diseases and Infection Prevention-Control (IPC) teams

Barcelona Spain
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Topics:
Infection control driven by a multidisplinary team including physicians, microbiologist, nurses and environmental technicians
Clinical management of Healthcare Associated Infections, including osteoarticular and multidrug-resistant infections
Antimicrobial stewardship program driven by a multidisplinary team including physicians, microbiologist, and pharmacists
PK/PD principles applied to complex and multidrug resistant infections in the real world
Research in Healthcare associated infections, including multidrug-resistant infections
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Bucharest, Romania
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Topics (Clinical observership):
Screening for multidrug-resistant germs - evidence, policies and practice
MRSA as etiological agent of fulminant vs. chronic biofilm-driven infections - when and how to look at virulence and aggressiveness traits
When and how to use biofilm-active regimens in clinical practice

Bucharest, Romania
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Topics (Laboratory observership):
Towards an optimal infection prevention and control (IPC) data communication between the clinic and the lab – when, how and which data to collect
Utility assessment and technical performance of different protocols for carbapenemases detection
C. difficile infection – choosing and applying diagnostic protocols

Cluj Napoca Romania
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Topics:
Antimicrobial resistance
Clostridium difficile diarrhea
Infections in immunocompromised hosts
Infections in ICU
Crete Greece
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Topics:
- Review the local infection prevention policies and guidelines. Discuss and evaluate their strength and weakness.
- Gain experience by observing the daily routine IPC activities in a large university hospital.
- Gain experience on organizing and implementing prevalence surveys of healthcare-associated infections and antimicrobial use.
- Identify healthcare-associated infections in accordance with the ECDC surveillance criteria.
- Manage, analyze and communicate prevalence data on healthcare-associated infections.
- Gain training on clinical laboratory methods to support surveillance of healthcare-associated infections.
- Critically discuss how to utilize surveillance data to implement national action plans.
- Gain experience on organizational aspects and practical challenges in hospital epidemiology and infection prevention and control in a large university hospital.

Groningen The Netherlands
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Topics:
- Antibiotic stewardship
- Infection and resistance prevention ( & regional)
- NGS
- Network analysis of regional outbreaks

Kiev Ukraine
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Topics:
- Surveillance of Healthcare-associated infections.
- Outbreaks of Healthcare-associated infections.
- Control and prevention of surgical site infections.
- Desinfection in Hospitals and hand hygiene.

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Sevilla Spain
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Topics:
Programme for the control of multidrug-resistant (MDR) pathogens
Coordination with antimicrobial stewardship programme
Integration with other infection control activities
Visit to regional reference laboratory for typing of MDR organisms

Tel Aviv Israel
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Topics:
Surveillance of HAI at the national level
Surveillance of AMR at the national level
Designing and implementing infection control and antibiotic stewardship Interventions at the national level
Confronting CPE

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Topics: will follow soon

Umea Sweden
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Topics:
Antibiotic stewardship using guidelines, educational activities, and clinical rounds
In-patient automated surveillance using electronic health record data (catheter, HAI, and antibiotic use)
Technical hygiene management and governance
Program for microbial monitoring of air in surgical theaters

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Topics:
Working in multidisciplinary teams with IC, ID and CM specialists
Evaluation of the evidence in the field of IC
ID consultancy in patients with MDR infections including implementation of IC measures
Audit in IC

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