

COVID-19 ECHO Program

Ebola in the Age of COVID: PPE

Thursday, July 29, 2021

11 AM – 12 PM (EST)

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Expert Panelist(s):

- Jill Morgan, RN, BSN- *Emory Healthcare; Serious Communicable Diseases Program; National Emerging Special Pathogens Training and Education Center*
- Josia Mamora, RN- *Emory Healthcare; Serious Communicable Diseases Program*
- Amanda Grindle MSN, RN, CNL, CCRN, CPN - *Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta; National Emerging Special Pathogens Training and Education Center*

Target Audience: Physicians, nurses, pharmacists, hospital administrators, etc. involved in Ebola care.

Clinic Objectives:

- To discuss PPE innovations relevant to Ebola;
- To compare and contrast special pathogen/Ebola PPE vs. COVID PPE;
- To answer audience’s questions about PPE protocols for Ebola.

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Time	Topic	Presenter
11:00-11:05	Welcome, Intros, Polls	Harris
11:05-11:30	Didactic: Ebola: PPE Protocols	Morgan
11:30-12:00	Discussion/Q&A <i>(Audience can submit questions and experts will discuss)</i>	Harris, Morgan, Mamora
12:00	Wrap-up, Polls	Harris

Bios:

Jill Morgan, RN, BSN

Jill Morgan has been a member of Emory’s Serious Communicable Disease Unit for more than fifteen years and cared for all four of Emory’s Ebola virus disease patients. During her biocontainment unit experience, Ms. Morgan developed an acute interest in ensuring that clinicians of all kinds can safely do their work. That passion has led to a strong relationship with clinical research, NIOSH, and the National Personal Protective Technologies Laboratory, as well as involvement with PPE standards organizations such as ASTM. She also serves as the in-person education lead for NETEC, the National Emerging Special Pathogens Training and Education Center

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Ms. Morgan served as a judge in this year's BARDA mask challenge, argued in favor of the development of eye protection standards against blood and other potentially infectious materials, and sponsors biomedical engineering students from Ga Tech in their capstone projects. She is currently working on grants involving barrier face coverings and infection prevention for bedside clinicians through Emory's Healthcare Human Factors Lab.

Amanda Grindle MSN, RN, CNL, CCRN, CPN

Amanda Grindle is the Clinical Program Manager for Hospital Readiness at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta in Atlanta, Georgia where she manages the Special Care Unit for pediatric patients with highly infectious diseases. Her responsibilities include overseeing unit operations and logistics, designing and facilitating exercises, developing protocols, managing multiple grants, providing competency-based training and education, and providing subject matter expertise for COVID-19 response. She also serves as task lead of pediatrics, technical assistance, and metric development for the National Emerging Special Pathogens Training and Education Center (NETEC), a federally funded multi-organizational cooperative. Ms. Grindle leverages her strong skills in pediatric nursing and organizational leadership to creatively develop and deliver trainings for healthcare workers and hospitals around the country, sharing best practices and bringing awareness to highly infectious disease preparedness. Prior to this role, Ms. Grindle was the Clinical Nurse Expert for the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta where she led evidence-based practice for staff development, innovation, and research. Additionally, Ms. Grindle serves as a pediatric nursing clinical content expert for LearningMate.

Ms. Grindle obtained her BSEd in Kinesiology from the University of Georgia and MSN from the Medical College of Georgia. She holds certifications as a Clinical Nurse Leader (CNL) from the American Association of Colleges of Nursing, Critical Care Certified Nurse (CCRN) from the American Association of Critical-Care Nurses (AACN), and Certified Pediatric Nurse (CPN) from the Pediatric Nursing Certification Board. She is also an active member of the AACN.

Josia Mamora, RN

Mr. Josia Mamora is a Nurse Clinician III with Emory Healthcare. He has 12 years of nursing clinical experience, including 5 years in the emergency department and the last 7 years within the surgical ICU. Mr. Mamora was a part of the original team during the initial Ebola response in 2014. He has been operationally doing the training and education of the Emory Serious Communicable Diseases Unit team and the current lead nurse since 2015.

Gavin Harris, MD

Dr. Gavin Harris is a faculty member at Emory University School of Medicine. He is dually appointed in Critical Care Medicine and Infectious Diseases with professional interests in disaster preparedness, rapid diagnostics, biosecurity, and the treatment of high consequence pathogens.



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