



Massachusetts Association of Blood Banks

47th Annual Spring Seminar
Tuesday April 2, 2019

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Time	Topic	
8:00-8:30	Registration	
8:30-8:40	Welcome & Announcements	
8:40-9:40	<p>Transfusion Medicine Keynote Address <i>Blood Banking in Wartime – There and Back Again</i> Monique Mohammed, MS(ASCP)SBB Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center</p>	
9:40-10:15	Morning Break & Breakfast in Exhibit Hall	
10:15-11:15	<p><i>Massachusetts Hemovigilance Update 2019</i> Alexandra De Jesus, MPH Mass State Public Health Lab</p>	<p><i>Environmental Monitoring: What Is it, and Why Do We Need It?</i> Ryan Burke & Aaron Bisceglia Microbiology Research Associates, Inc.</p>
11:15-12:15	<p><i>Remote Refrigerators and Blood Trackers</i> Jooveria Syed, MT(ASCP)SBB^{CM} Rhode Island Hospital</p>	<p><i>Reinventing Cryopreservation: Towards non-DMSO Cryopreservation of Cells and Tissues</i> Claudia Zylberberg, MD Akron Biotechnology</p>
12:15-1:00	Lunch – Attendees & Exhibitors in Exhibit Hall	
1:00-2:00	Professional Roundtable Discussion & Dessert in Exhibit Hall	
2:00-2:30	Afternoon Break & Vendor Raffles in Exhibit Hall	
2:30-3:30	<p><i>2019 Case Studies</i> Jonathan Gollan, MLS(ASCP)^{CM}, SBB^{CM} American Red Cross</p>	<p><i>Pluripotent Stem Cell Therapies for Regenerative Medicine</i> Gregory Yavanian, MS Astellas Institute for Regenerative Medicine</p>



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9:40-10:15	Morning Break & Breakfast in Exhibit Hall	
10:15-11:15	<p><i>Hemochromatosis, Testosterone-Induced Polycythemia, and Other Indications for Donating Blood</i> Carolyn Young, MD Warren Alpert Brown Medical School</p>	<p><i>Recent Updates on Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplant for Lymphomas</i> Z. Frank Zhou, MD, PhD Lahey Hospital & Medical Center</p>
11:15-12:15	<p><i>Disaster and Mass Casualty Planning</i> Debra Mraz, MT(ASCP), CQA(ASQ) Yale New Haven Hospital</p>	<p><i>Cord Blood Stem Cells in Transplantation: Tools for Ex-Vivo Culture and Expansion</i> Jackie Damen, PhD STEMCELL Technologies, Inc.</p>
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1:00-2:00	<p><i>Update on the Use of Group A Plasma and Whole Blood for Trauma Resuscitation</i> Nancy Dunbar, MD Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center</p>	<p><i>Your Community Blood Center as a Development Partner</i> Jennifer Chain, PhD Oklahoma Blood Institute</p>
2:00-2:30	Afternoon Break & Vendor Raffles in Exhibit Hall	
2:30-3:30	<p><i>Unusual Cases at MGH</i> Meaghan Colling, MD Massachusetts General Hospital</p>	<p><i>Title TBD</i> Catherine Wu, MD Dana Farber Cancer Institute</p>