



#### Target Audience

Medical doctors, pharmacists, nurses or other healthcare professionals are eligible.

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# Improving Antibiotic Prescription and Infection Control in the Emergency Room

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#### Organizer

European Committee on Infection Control (EUCIC)  
of the European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases

#### Module Coordinators

- Carlos Palos (Lisbon, PT)
- Alejandro Martín Quirós (Madrid, Spain)

#### Module Objectives

Emergency Rooms (ERs) are challenging environments: time is scarce, the workload too high and the medical teams are constantly changing. As a significant number of ER admitted patients are infected, awareness and expertise on antibiotic prescription and infection control is paramount.

This one-day course aims to improve practices on diagnosis, antimicrobial treatment and screening of patients in the ER as well as their isolation if need be. It includes hands-on sessions and simulations to anchor the learned principles.

The workshop is co-organized by Hospital Beatriz Ângelo (LearningHealth Luz Saúde), Portugal and Hospital La Paz, Spain.

We hope to see you in Lisbon, the World's Leading City Break Destination 2017!

# Module Programme

## Saturday, 7 April 2018

Location Casas da Cidade  
Chair Carlos Palos (Lisbon, PT),  
Alejandro Martin-Quirós (Madrid, SP)

- 08:00 – 08:30 Registration and coffee.  
Welcome, objectives and presentation
- 08:30 – 09:00 The burden of infection and antibiotic prescription in the ER: where it all begins!  
Juan González del Castillo (Emergency Service, Hospital Clínico San Carlos, Madrid, SP)
- 09:00 – 09:45 Early detection of severely infected patients in the ER: how to improve?  
Paulo Mergulhão (Intensive Care Department, Centro Hospitalar de São João, Oporto, PT)

09:45 – 10:30 The central role of the laboratory: where are we now with micro-biological testing and biomarkers?  
Paulo Paixão (Nova Medical School of Lisbon, Lisbon, PT)

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 11:45 Antibiotic stewardship in the ER: just do it!  
Céline Pulcini (Centre Hospitalaire de Recherche Universitaire de Nancy, Nancy, FR)

11:45 – 12:15 Screening and isolation: the central role of the ER  
Carlos Palos (Infection Control and Antibiotics Committee, Hospital Beatriz Ângelo, Lisbon, PT)

12:15 – 12:45 New biological threats in the ER: how to deal with them?  
Alejandro Martin Quirós (Emergency Service, Hospital Universitario La Paz, Madrid, SP)

12:45 – 14:30 Lunch

14:30 – 18:00 Hands-on session

Station 1  
Computer-based clinical simulations for decision making and antibiotic therapy

Station 2  
Hand washing and use of protective personal equipment

Station 3  
Invasive procedures

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18:00 Module evaluation, take home messages and closure

# Organization

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## Registration Procedure

Register now online:

- ESCMID website:  
[www.escmid.org/research\\_projects/eucic/training\\_programme/](http://www.escmid.org/research_projects/eucic/training_programme/)
- Hospital da Luz Learning Health website:  
<https://learninghealth.up.events/e/improving-antibiotic-prescription-and-infection-control-on-the-emergency-room>

The registration deadline is 30 March 2018.

## Registration Fee

- EUCIC trainees: included in the fee of the training programme
- ESCMID members: 170 €
- No ESCMID members: 190 €

The fee includes lunch and coffee breaks.

## EUCIC Trainees

EUCIC trainee registration fee and accommodation is organized via the training programme, please see the following link: [www.escmid.org/eucic](http://www.escmid.org/eucic).

## CME Accreditation

This module is worth 5 ECTS points.

