

EARLY RECOGNITION OF INFECTION VIA MOLECULAR PATHOGEN DETECTION AND SEPSIS BIOMARKER TESTING

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Spenger's Fresh Fish Grotto

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Tel: (510) 845-7771

6:00-6:30 pm Networking

6:30-7:30 pm Dinner

7:30-8:30 pm Dr. Nam K. Tran

\$35.00 includes Dinner & Presentation

\$15.00 Special Pricing for CLS & MLT Professionals

Free for CLS Students

Payment (cash/check only – no credit cards) may be made at the meeting. Non-members welcome.

One hour of Category 1 ACCENT credit given

PLEASE RSVP BY Friday, March 04th to Nandu Chindarkar

Email: nandkishor.s.chindarkar@kp.org Tel: 510-559-2396 (leave message)

After attending this session, the participant will be able to:

- 1. Describe the clinical performance of molecular versus microbiological culture pathogen detection techniques**
- 2. Identify the clinical utility of sepsis biomarker testing coupled to an automated electronic health record sepsis alert system**
- 3. Discuss the clinical value of quantitative molecular pathogen detection in critically ill patients**
- 4. Describe the limitations of molecular versus microbiological culture pathogen detection systems in patients with septicemia**
- 5. Discuss the future of pathogen detection and sepsis recognition in at-risk patient populations**

RSVP details: Reservations are due by Friday, March 04th, 2016. RSVP by emailing Nandu Chindarkar, e-mail: nandkishor.s.chindarkar@kp.org (an email confirmation will be returned) or call at 510-559-2396 and leave a message. Please state your name, the names of those attending with you, and an e-mail address or phone number where you can be contacted. Payment can be made by cash or check at the meeting. Non-members are welcome.

NOTE: We are initiating a new pricing level for CLS & MLT professionals. CLS students are welcome to attend free of charge but must make a reservation. Please mention your CLS, MLT or student status when you call or e-mail your reservation.

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