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CONGENITAL SYPHILIS

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FRIDAY, MAY 1, 2009
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9AM TO 4PM

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The cost for attending this program is \$45.00 for professionals, faculty, and community members and \$15.00 for students. **REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT DEADLINE EXTENDED TO MAY 1, 2009.**

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CONFERENCE AGENDA AS OF APRIL 14, 2009

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MAY 1ST, 2009

- 09:00 – 09:10 AM **Welcome**
Phil Nasca, PhD
Dean, SUNY Albany School of Public Health
- 09:10 – 09:45 AM **Congenital Syphilis: A Historical Perspective**
Bruce Coles, DO
Director, Bureau of Sexually Transmitted Diseases
New York State Department of Health
- 09:45 – 10:15 AM **Overview of Congenital Syphilis in the Americas**
Raul Gonzalez, MD, MPH
Pan American Health Organization
- 10:15 – 10:45 AM **Prenatal Testing for HIV and Syphilis in Latin America**
Arachu Castro, PhD, MPH
Assistant Professor of Social Medicine
Department of Global Health and Social Medicine
Harvard Medical School
- 10:45 – 11:00 Break
- 11:00 - 11:40 AM **Congenital Syphilis. Current Guidelines for Treatment: Developed vs. Developing World**
Pablo Sanchez, MD
Professor of Pediatrics, Division of Neonatology, UT Southwestern, Dallas

- 11:40 - 12:20 PM **Rapid Testing for Congenital and Gestational Syphilis**
Arturo Centurion-Lara, MD
Research Associate Professor, Department of Medicine
Division of Infectious Diseases, University of Washington
- 12:20 – 01:20 Lunch
- 01:30 – 2:00 PM **Role of an NGO in Curbing the Spread of Congenital Syphilis in Rural Haiti**
Kevin Diekhaus, MD
Associate Professor of Medicine
University of Connecticut Health Center
Judy Lewis, MPhil
Professor of Community Medicine
University of Connecticut School of Medicine
Haitian Health Foundation
- 02:00 – 2:30 PM **Improved Gestational Syphilis Surveillance and Rates of Congenital Syphilis in Cali, Colombia**
Juan C Salazar, MD, MPH
Associate Professor of Pediatrics
University of Connecticut School of Medicine
Connecticut Children’s Medical Center
Alejandro Varela, MD
Director, City of Cali Department of Health
- 02:30 – 3:00 PM **Congenital Syphilis in Argentina**
Fabiana Garcia, MD
Liliana Vazquez, MD
Fundación del Centro de Estudios Infectológicos, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 03:00 – 3:45 PM **Round Table Discussion**
From Improved Information to Action:
Strategies to Reduce Congenital Syphilis
- 3:45 – 4:00 PM **Summary/Closing remarks**

