Terrorism for the Clinician: Diagnosis & Treatment of Exposures to Chemicals, Radiation & Biotoxins

LOCATION/DATE/TIME:

Location: National Capital Poison Center • 3201 New Mexico Avenue, Suite 310 • Washington, DC Date: Chose ONE of these 2016 dates: May 11, 12, 16, 18, 20, 23 Time: 8:45 am – 2:45 pm

There is no charge for this program. Materials and lunch are provided.

OBJECTIVES:

- **1.** List clinical presentations of chemterrorism agent exposures, radiation, and biotoxins for early identification of cases.
- **2.** Describe the role of the Poison Center in surveillance for, and diagnosis and treatment of, individuals exposed to terrorism agents.
- **3.** Discuss treatment modalities for individuals exposed to chemterrorism agents, radiation, and biotoxins.

MEET THE POISON CENTER EXPERTS AND LEARN ABOUT:

- Nerve agents
- Phosphine
- Biotoxins: botulism, ricin, trichothecene mycotoxins
- Radiation
- Cyanide
- Choking/riot control agents: phosgene, chlorine, tear gas
- Vesicants: mustards, Lewisite, phosgene oxime
- Chemical/bioterrorism incident surveillance: role of the Poison Center and role of the clinician.

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TO REGISTER: DO NOT ASSUME YOU ARE REGISTERED until you receive an email confirmation. A confirmation will be emailed after your registration form is processed. Email completed registration form to jkadam@poison.org. Registration forms are available at <u>www.poison.org/course-registration</u>.

CONTINUING EDUCATION: The American Academy of Continuing Medical Education (AACME) designates this medical education activity for a maximum of 6 hours in the Category 1 credit of the AACME Designation (approval pending). Many health professional licensing boards accept AACME accreditation for required CE credits. Check with your licensing board for AACME acceptance.

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