

# live satellite videoconference & webcast

**RAPID HIV TESTING &  
DIAGNOSING ACUTE  
HIV INFECTION**

WEDNESDAY  
APRIL 16, 2008  
12:30-2:30 EASTERN TIME



**Albany Medical College Division  
of HIV Medicine & Albany Medical  
Center Hospital Provider Unit**

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Part of the ongoing series  
*Management of HIV/AIDS in the  
Correctional & Community Setting*

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## Agenda

Noon	Registration
12:30 pm	Welcoming Remarks Douglas Fish, MD & Lester Wright, MD, MPH
12:35 pm	<i>Rapid HIV Testing</i> Sindy Paul, MD, MPH, FACPM
1:10 pm	Live Q & A call in session with speakers
1:20 pm	Break
1:30 pm	<i>Diagnosing Acute HIV Infection</i> Antonio Urbina, MD
2:05 pm	Live Q & A call in session with speakers
2:15 pm	Discussion of case by panel
2:30 pm	Adjourn

As an academic health sciences center, Albany Medical Center unites the many programs of Albany Medical Center Hospital and Albany Medical College.

# Learning Objectives

**By the end of the broadcast, the health care provider should be able to:**

1. Outline the available options to test for HIV.
2. Describe Acute Retroviral Syndrome.
3. Discuss diagnosis and clinical management of Acute Retroviral Syndrome.
4. Explain the role that Acute Retroviral Syndrome plays in secondary HIV transmission.

## Who Should Attend?

Physicians, physician assistants, pharmacists, nurse practitioners, nurses, dentists and other interested health care providers.

## Registration & Viewing Sites

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This individual will provide you with driving directions to the site you select. No food will be provided.

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This program is part of an ongoing satellite videoconference series entitled *The Management of HIV/AIDS in the Correctional & Community Setting*, which addresses clinical issues in the management of HIV-infected patients. This series is a unique, collaborative venture among Albany Medical College, the New York State Department of Correctional Services and the private pharmaceutical industry. Each program addresses a different clinical aspect of HIV infection using the same format: didactic lectures, case presentations and a panel discussion.

