



**27th Pennsylvania
Immunization Conference
Thursday, June 15, 2023**

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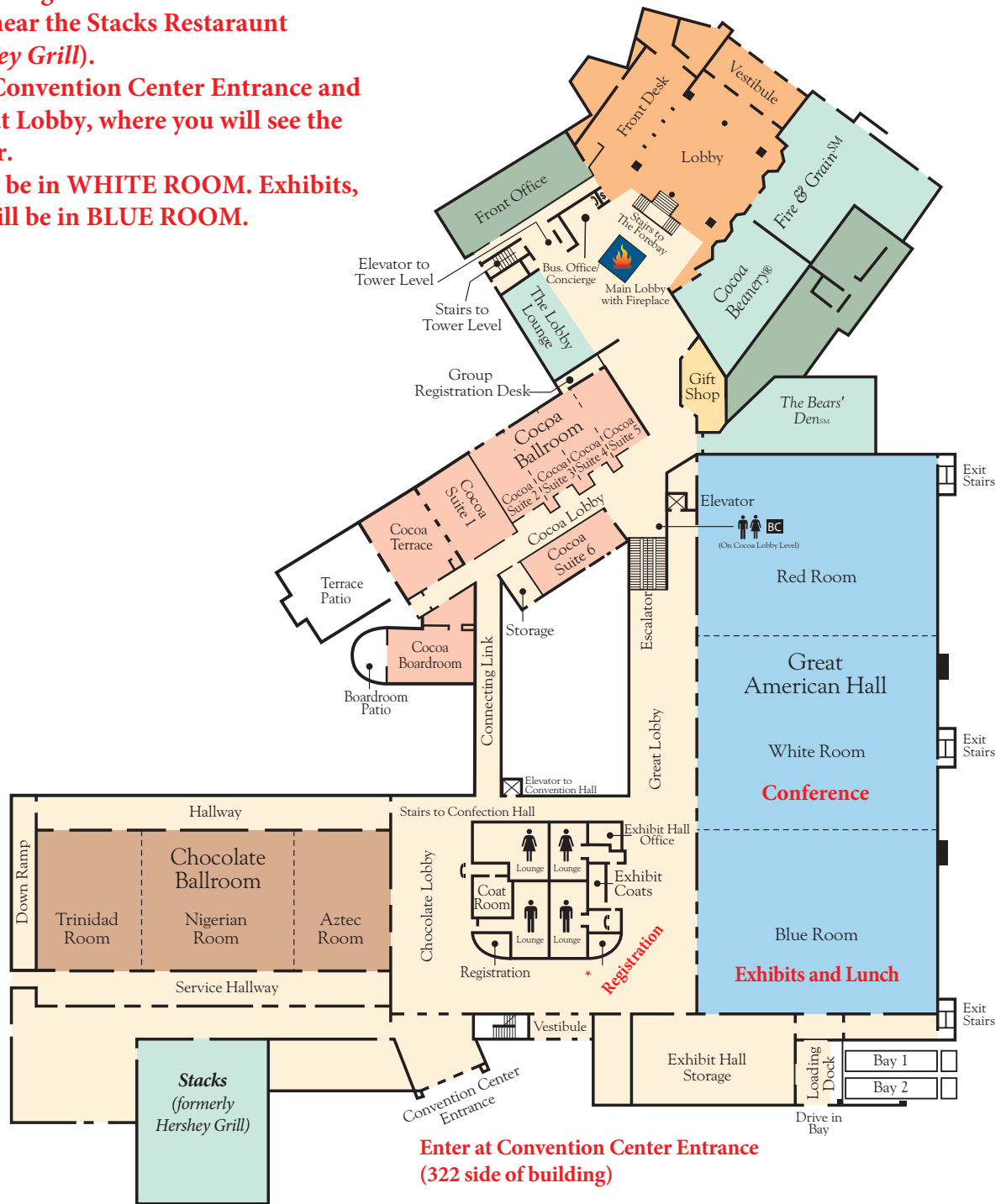
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Main Level

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FAST FACTS

27th Pennsylvania Immunization Conference

Thursday, June 15, 2023, 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Internet Live Course and live at the Hershey Lodge, 325 Univeristy Drive, Hershey, PA 17033
C# J6900

CREDIT

AMA

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of Penn State College of Medicine and the Pennsylvania Department of Health. Penn State College of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Penn State College of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of *6 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*[™]. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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AGENDA AND OBJECTIVES

- 7:30 a.m. Check-in/Refreshments/Visit Exhibits**
- 8:30 a.m. Welcome**
Thomas McCleaf
Debra L. Bogen, MD, FAAP
- 9 a.m. Setting the Course: 2023 Immunization Schedules**
Elisha Hall, PhD, RD
Objectives
Describe updates to the 2023 Childhood and Adolescent Immunization Schedule.
Describe updates to the 2023 Adult Immunization Schedule.
- 10:30 a.m. Break/Refreshments/Exhibitors/Networking**
- 10:45 a.m. Increasing Vaccine Rates Through Pennsylvania Immunization Coalition**
Lyn Robertson, DrPH, MSN, BSN
Objectives
Outline 2022 highlights and 2023 goals and activities.
- 11 a.m. Meningitis B**
Patti Wukovits, BSN, RN, AMB-BC
Alicia Stillman, MBA, MPH
Objectives
Discuss the barriers to Meningitis B prevention and strategies to overcome them.
Outline the two types of meningitis vaccinations needed to be fully immunized against meningococcal meningitis.
- Noon Lunch**
- 1 p.m. Travel Vaccine Medicine**
Leah Turner, CRNP
Objectives
Review pre-travel assessment and counseling.
Review vaccines indicated for travel.
- 2 p.m. Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV), Epidemiology and Vaccines in Development**
Sameh Bektor, MD, MPH
Arlene Seid, M.D, MPH, ACPM
Objectives
Recall current RSV surveillance data and describe seasonal activity levels and trends.
Summarize the epidemiological risk groups most susceptible to RSV complications and adverse outcomes.
Explain the public health importance of developing an effective RSV vaccine and its potential impact on reducing disease burden.
Describe the different types of RSV vaccine candidates currently in development and recall key findings from clinical trials evaluating their efficacy and safety.
- 3 p.m. Break/Refreshments/Exhibitors/Networking**

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3:15 p.m. Vaccine Storage and Handling Disaster Prevention

Beth Smith, BSN, RN

Objectives

Provide viable vaccine to patients to prevent communicable diseases.

Identify the vaccine storage errors that most commonly occur and the corrective action for vaccine storage disasters.

3:45 p.m. Improving Immunizations Rates Through Community Pharmacies

Mayank G Amin, PharmD, MBA

Chichi Ilonzo Momah, PharmD

Marc Ost, BS, CPhT

Objectives

Discuss barriers that exist with vaccinations in our communities.

Describe how community pharmacies strategically help to bridge the gaps.

Outline how partnerships and immunization groups can collaborate to vaccinate the community.

4:15 p.m. Pennsylvania Immunization Vaccine Champion Awards

Beth Smith, BSN, RN

4:30 p.m. Closing Remarks/Adjournment

Thomas McCleaf

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