PRESENTERS:
Dr. Andrew Kroger, MD, MPH  
National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases  
Dr. Kroger is a Yale and Emory graduate, he is board certified in Public Health and Preventative Medicine. Dr. Kroger has worked for the CDC since 2001. He started his career in Notifiable Disease Surveillance at the Epidemiology Program Office. Presently, he is a traveling trainer for the Education and Information Branch of the CDC.

Dr. Joseph Domachowske, MD  
Upstate University Hospital  
Dr. Domachowske is a Professor of Pediatrics, Microbiology, and Immunology at Upstate Medical University in Syracuse. His research fellowship in Pediatric Infectious Diseases was completed in the Laboratory of Host Defenses, NIAID, at the National Institutes of Health under the auspices of the Pediatric Scientist Development Program. His research focuses on the prevention and treatment of respiratory viral infections.

Cindy Schulte, RN, BSN  
New York State DOH  
Cindy has been in public health for 40 years. During that time her experience has included school nursing, home care, maternal and child health and the WIC program. She was the public health clinic supervisor for Schenectady County. Cindy has provided training through the development of a vaccine administration video and public speaking engagements to community and professional groups. Currently she is working with the NYSDOH Bureau of Immunization with primary responsibility for vaccine preventable disease surveillance.

Dr. Martin Mahoney  
SUNY at Buffalo  
Dr. Mahoney is an Associate Professor of Oncology, Departments of Medicine and Health Behavior, at Roswell Park Cancer Institute, where he also serves as Medical Director of Employee Health Services. In addition, he is an Associate Professor of Family Medicine, SUNY at Buffalo School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences.

Dina Hoefer, PhD  
NYSDOH/NYSIIS  
Dr. Hoefer is the Program Manager of the New York State Immunization Information System (NYSIIS). Dr. Hoefer also oversees the Bureau of Immunization Informatics efforts and the Vaccine Ordering Unit. Prior to joining NYSIIS, she worked in the NYSDOH Bureau of Communicable Disease Control for ten years on outbreak investigations and communicable disease surveillance. Dr. Hoefer completed her PhD in Epidemiology at the University at Albany School of Public Health.

Dr. Colleen Mattimore, MD  
WNY Pediatrics Assoc.  
Dr. Mattimore is a pediatrician and managing partner at WNY Pediatrics. She graduated from the State University of New York at Buffalo /School of Medicine and Harvard University. Dr. Mattimore is a vaccine advocate and works with the American Academy of Pediatrics Chapter 1 to promote vaccine safety for children. She is also a member of the Vaccines Are Safe Coalition and was instrumental in developing a video on the importance of adolescent vaccines that was shown in local theaters.

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WNY Pediatric & Adolescent and Adult Immunization Coalitions’  
8th Annual Immunization Conference  
Wednesday May 21, 2014  
7:30 am to 4 pm

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Moderator:  
Dr. Martin Mahoney  
SUNY at Buffalo, Roswell Park
AGENDA

7:30 am 8:00 am  Registration / Continental Breakfast / Vendor Displays

8:00 am - 8:15 am  Welcome and Introduction  Presentation of the "2014 Dr. Richard Judelsohn WNY Vaccine Champion Award"

8:15 am – 9:30 am  Adult Immunization Update/ACIP: How Immunization Policies Are Decided  Guest Speaker: Dr. Andrew Kroger

9:30 am - 10:15 am  Benefits of NYSIIS  Guest Speaker: Dina Hoefer

10:15am-10:30am  Break / Vendor Displays

10:30 am - 11:45 am  Vaccine Hesitancy - Dealing with Parents  Guest Speaker: Dr. Joseph Domachowske

11:45am-12:30pm  Lunch / Vendor Display

12:30pm - 1:15 pm  Pediatric Immunization Update  Guest Speaker: Dr. Andrew Kroger

1:15 pm – 2:00 pm  Vaccinology 101: History of Vaccines and How They Work  Guest Speaker: Dr. Colleen Mattimore

2:00 pm – 2:15 pm  Break

2:15 pm-2:45pm  Preventing Vaccine Administration Errors!  Guest Speaker: Cindy Schulte, BSN, RN

2:45 pm - 3:45 pm  Movie: “The Invisible Threat”  DVD viewing of vaccine film

3:45pm – 4:00 pm  Concluding remarks  Drawing for movie tickets (must be present to win)

Registration Form
$35 fee (meals included)
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