ANTIMICROBIAL STEWARDSHIP / ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE SUBCOMMITTEE
HEALTHCARE – ASSOCIATED INFECTIONS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Monday June 10, 2019
1:15pm-2pm
Teleconference

Attendance:

Members of Subcommittee:
Marisa Holubar, MD, MS, Associate Medical Director Stanford Antimicrobial Safety and Sustainability Program Stanford University School of Medicine (voting member)
Dawn Terashita, MD, MPH Acute Communicable Disease Control, LA County Department of Public Health (voting member)
Sarah Doernberg, MD, MAS Medical Director, Adult Antimicrobial Stewardship, University of California, San Francisco (voting member)
Keith Bradkowski, MS, RN, NEA-BC, Chief Nurse Officer, George L. Mee Memorial Hospital (voting member)
Matthew Zahn, MD, MPH, California Association of Communicable Disease Controllers (voting member)
Kim Erlich, MD Medical Director, Infection Prevention and Control, Mills Peninsula Health Services (voting member)
Jeffrey Silvers, MD, Medical Director of Pharmacy/Infection Control, Sutter Health
Olga DeTorres, PharmD, FASHP, BCPS-ID, Department of Pharmacy, O’Connor Hospital
Carole Moss

Absent:
Phillip Robinson, MD, Infectious Disease Association of California
Michael Butera, MD, California Medical Association

Member of the Public:
Alex Winans and Suzy Park, Loma Linda University Medical Center

CDPH Staff:
Lanette Corona, Health Program Specialist I

TOPIC: Call to Order
DISCUSSION:
The Antimicrobial Stewardship / Antimicrobial Resistance Subcommittee meeting was held on Monday June 10, 2019 1pm-2pm, via teleconference.

ACTION/OUTCOME: M. Holubar called the meeting to order at 1:15 pm.

TOPIC: Roll Call and Welcome

DISCUSSION:
Dr. Holubar welcomed participants to the meeting, and invited all on the call to state their name and institution. Subject matter expert (SME) in Pharmacy included:
Laura Elliott, PharmD, BCGP Trauma/Surgical ICU Pharmacist Palomar Health

TOPIC: Review of Minutes

DISCUSSION: The April 11, 2019 meeting minutes were deferred.

TOPIC: Update from CDPH: Review of Bagley Keene Open Meeting Act / Update from CDPH/HAI-AC

DISCUSSION: Review of Bagley Keene Open Meeting Act
Members were reminded of the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act 2010 rules. Specifically, to ensure all meeting agenda items are submitted within time to ensure they are included on the published agenda which must be posted 10 days prior of the actual meeting date. In addition, members are to ensure they are not discussing meeting information outside of public meetings with more than one additional member or member of the public to comply with the rules whether it is on the phone, via email or in person. Should members have additional comments or questions regarding meeting information after the meeting ends, they should contact the subcommittee chair directly to address their requests.

Update from CDPH/HAI-AC
The HA! Program has rescheduled the California AR Lab-Epi Alliance webinar to Monday, June 24th, from 12:30-2:00pm PST. CDPH will be joined by representatives from CDC and the Orange County Health Care Agency (OCHCA) to discuss some of their experience with Candida auris in healthcare facilities and lessons learned. Members were also informed of a Doodle poll to be sent for potential meeting dates for members to vote on based on their availability to determine remaining 2019 meetings. Members were reminded of the motion that was presented at the May HAI-Advisory Committee meeting “CDPH review the proposed content for the ASP monitoring tool and determine next steps for implementation.” CDPH accepted the motion and the subcommittee is now awaiting on feedback and next steps from CDPH on the submitted tool.

TOPIC: Discussion Items: “Outpatient stewardship”
**DISCUSSION:** Discussion ensued regarding a need to optimize AS in outpatient settings. A suggestion was made to put literature together to show national and California for antibiotic usage, next come up with a goal to reduce the usage then develop guidance to work towards that goal. Both Dr. Terashita and Dr. Silvers shared the outpatient stewardship projects they are involved with in their facility and county that seem to be working currently. Suggestions made to optimize ASP efforts included, standardizing bioinformatics to gather data, producing antibiograms and creating an AR registry. Members agreed the Washington and Georgia State Honor Rolls for ASPs and Trailblazers Awards were mentioned as efforts which identify organizations and leaders who create solutions that are making headway at safely reducing antibiotic use and who are willing to share their best practices with others. Olga provided ASP awards information that the American Society of Health System Pharmacists (ASHSP) and American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP) host as another resource. A suggestion for an ASP in outpatient settings resource was the MITIGATE ASP toolkit and HSAG QIO also had a resource for outpatient providers ASPs that can be reviewed.

**ACTION/OUTCOME:** Olga to research if any awards were presented in CA and share the information with members. Continue discussion on bioinformatics efforts at next meeting.

**TOPIC:** Discussion Items: “Use of antibiotics in dentistry”

**DISCUSSION:** Members were reminded of the motion that was presented at the May HAI-Advisory Committee meeting “The State Dental Office develop a longitudinal plan to incorporate antimicrobial stewardship in dental practices and share a draft of this plan with the committee by the end of May 2020”. CDPH agreed to take this back to the state Dental Director and will discuss what the subcommittee can work on at the next HAI-Advisory Committee meeting. Members were reminded of the second motion presented regarding ASP in dentistry “The AS/AR subcommittee develop an ASP toolkit for dental practices in conjunction with the California Dental Association and the California State Dental Office”. CDPH agreed to also take this motion back to the state Dental Director and will discuss what the subcommittee can work on at the next HAI-Advisory Committee meeting.

**ACTION/OUTCOME:**
CDPH will inform the subcommittee of the outcome of the motions after speaking with the state dental director. Will await further direction from CDPH on ASP in dentistry.

**TOPIC:** Discussion Items: “Discussion of ASP needs assessment/Spotlight on ASP 2.0”

**DISCUSSION:**
Members to look over the Washington and Georgia state honor rolls and other known efforts to promote stewardship to be discussed further at the July meeting.

**ACTION/OUTCOME:**
The subcommittee will discuss this further at the next meeting. Specifically the statewide Honor Roll concept.

**TOPIC:** Next Meeting: Wednesday July 10, 2019 1pm-2pm

**TOPIC:** Adjournment

**DISCUSSION:**
Meeting adjourned at 2:00 pm.