Lessons Learned During Legionellosis Outbreaks and Development of Best Practices for Investigation

CSTE Pre-Conference Workshop 2015 (1:30-5:00 PM)

This pre-conference workshop is targeted toward legionellosis outbreak investigators, policy makers, and anyone who is involved in decision-making around legionellosis outbreak response. Health departments will share their experiences and lessons learned during legionellosis outbreak investigations through brief presentations and group discussions. This interactive session will help inform development of written best practices for legionellosis outbreak response.

Learning objectives:

Participants will have a greater understanding of the breadth and depth of legionellosis outbreaks and be able to directly apply lessons learned to future outbreak investigations in their jurisdictions.

1:30 - 1:45 Welcome and Introductions
1:45 - 2:15 Outbreak Lessons Learned and Discussion (State #1)
2:15 - 2:45 Outbreak Lessons Learned and Discussion (State #2)
2:45 - 3:15 Outbreak Lessons Learned and Discussion (State #3)
3:15 - 3:35 Break
3:35 - 4:45 Developing Written Best Practices for Legionellosis Outbreak Response (CDC)
4:45 - 5:00 Wrap-Up and Closing Statements