



MID-ATLANTIC BIOSAFETY ASSOCIATION
31th ANNUAL BIOSAFETY SYMPOSIUM
 Thursday, June 6, 2019
 Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey
 New Brunswick, NJ
Preliminary Program

Register for the Symposium at www.mabsa.org
 Members \$50.00/Non-Members \$70.00

7:15 - 8:30 Registration, Networking & Vendor Session & Continental Breakfast

Time	Presentation Title	Speaker	Moderator
8:30 – 8:35	Welcome Message	Marta Figueroa, Symposium Chair	
8:35 – 8:45	Rutgers University Welcome	Alex Ruiz, Assoc. Director and University Safety Officer, Rutgers University	Marta Figueroa, Symposium Chair
Session 1			
	Human Risk Factors in Laboratory Environments	Sean G. Kaufman, CEO and Founding Partner Behavioral-Based Improvement Solutions, Executive Director BioSafe360	Marta Figueroa, Symposium Chair
	Keeping Laboratory Response Exercises Interesting and Learning from Real Life Incidents	Jessica McCormick-Ell, Ph.D., SM (NRCM), CBSP, RBP University Biosafety Officer, Rutgers University	Marta Figueroa, Symposium Chair
	Morning Break		
	NIH Guidelines, Veterinary Translational Research & IBC Oversight: Navigating a regulatory compliance dilemma	Andrew Maksymowych, M.S., Ph.D., RBP(ABSA), Associate Director Biosafety Programs at University of Pennsylvania Colleen Kovacsics, Ph.D., RBP(ABSA) Assistant Biological Safety Officer	Tom Boyle, Secretary
	Pharmacy's Role in Safe Handling of Gene Therapy and other Biological Infectious Agents (BSL1, BSL2) Therapy Products	Michael P. Kane, RPh, BCOP Director, Oncology Pharmacy Services and Research Pharmacy Shared Resource Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey/RWJBH Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey (Class of '92)	Tom Boyle, Secretary
	Human Gene Therapy Research: Requirements for Protocol Approval	Tracy Pfromm, MPH, RBP, Senior Biosafety Officer, Rutgers Environmental Health and Safety (REHS)	Tom Boyle, Secretary
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch / Exhibits		
1:00 – 1:15	MABSA Council Meeting		Laura Newton, President
Session 3			
	Mumps Outbreak in a University Setting	Ben Hur P. Mobo, Jr. MD, MPH, FACOEM, Medical Director, Temple University Employee Health	Laura Newton, President
	A Day in the Life of a Biosafety Officer for a Major Diagnostic Testing Provider	Tamara McNair, MS, RBP, EHS Coordinator, New Jersey Institute of Technology	Brian Petuch, Councilor-at-Large
	Mid-Afternoon Break Network with our Exhibitors		Marta Figueroa, Symposium Chair
Session 4			
	TBD – Confirmation in Progress		Marta Figueroa, Symposium Chair
	Closing remarks and adjournment	Laura Newton, President, MABSA	Laura Newton, President

