

# PA LYME MEDICAL CONFERENCE 2018

#### NEW FRONTIERS IN LYME AND RELATED TICK-BORNE DISEASES

#### **Conference Description and Goals:**

- Provide an update on evolving perspectives and research on Lyme/Tick-borne diseases.
- Discuss critical challenges in addressing the epidemic of Lyme/Tick-borne diseases in PA.
- Share the latest in diagnosis and treatment strategies.
- Explore less recognized manifestations of Lyme and other tick-borne diseases, including neuropsychiatric and cognitive and CNS/neurological with case discussions.
- Explore common co-infections in PA, including Babesiosis and Bartonellosis.
- Enhance knowledge-sharing between researchers, tick-borne disease medical experts, with front-line practitioners, and foster development of networks for improved patient care.

A collaboration of ILADS, PA Lyme Resource Network and the Drexel University College of Medicine.







## April 6&7, 2018

**The Hershey Lodge** 325 University Drive Hershey, PA 17033

#### **CME Credits**

See website for CME updates, www.ilads.org

## Registration (includes dinner & CME):

\$375 ILADS Members \$425 Non-ILADS Members See <u>www.ilads.org</u> for student discount.

#### **Target Audience:**

MDs, DOs, NDs, DMD, DVM, PhDs, PsyDs, RNs, NPs, PAs, LCSW, DC's and other health care providers.

## Exhibitor Information Available at <a href="https://www.ilads.org">www.ilads.org</a>

Fee: \$750 Space for 20 Exhibitors

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### Friday, April 6, 2018

4-9pm Registration

6-7 Welcome Reception

7-9 Dinner with Presentations

Tick and Wildlife Research Updates: Ticks and Diseases in PA

Nicole Chinnici, MS, Forensic Scientist East Stroudsburg University, Northeast Wildlife DNA Research Laboratory

PA Population Data from Laboratory Research: Tickborne Disease Burden Jyotsna Shah, Ph.D., CCLD, MBA President, Laboratory Director, IGeneX Inc.



### Saturday, April 7, 2018

7am Registration and Vendor Exhibits

7-8:30 Breakfast

8:30 Welcome and Introductions
Julia Wagner, MBA (PA Lyme)
Garth Ehrlich, PhD (Drexel)
Robert Mozayeni, MD (ILADS)

Saturday, April 7, 2018 continued

8:45:9:30 *History of Lyme Disease* 

Sam T. Donta, MD

9:30-10:15 Advances in Lyme and Related Tick-

Borne Pathogen Diagnostics and

**Treatment Strategies** 

Garth D. Ehrlich, PhD, FAAAS

10:15-10:45 BREAK

10:45-11:30 Evidence-based Therapeutic Options

When the Science is Uncertain

Elizabeth L. Maloney, MD

11:30-12pm Panel Discussion

12-1:15 LUNCH

**Clinical Perspectives and Strategies:** 

1:15-2:30 The 3 B's in "Lyme" Disease: Borrelia,

Bartonella & Babesia B Robert Mozayeni, MD

Includes presented case studies

2:30-2:45 BREAK

2:45-3:30 The Role of Brain SPECT Imaging in

Diagnosing and Treating Lyme Disease

Joseph A. Annibali, MD

3:30-4:15 Neuro-Psychiatric and Cognitive Impacts

of Tickborne Disease

Robert C. Bransfield, MD, DLFAPA

4:15-4:45 **Pediatric Neuro-psychiatric and** 

Cognitive Impact - Pediatric Case

Studies

Rosalie Greenberg, MD

4:45-5:15 Final Panel Discussion

5:15-5:30 Closing





