FREE FDA Webinar
Hospitals, Manufacturers and FDA Partnering on the Safety of Duodenoscope Reprocessing
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Target Audience:

Healthcare professionals from hospitals and other healthcare facilities where Endoscopic Retrograde Cholangio-Pancreatography (ERCP) procedures are performed, such as:

- Staff working in endoscopy reprocessing units
- Infection control practitioners
- Facility risk managers
- Endoscopy nurses
- Gastroenterologists
- Gastrointestinal surgeons

Is your healthcare facility interested in assessing the duodenoscope reprocessing practices in your hospital? Would you like to partner with FDA and scope manufacturers to address the public health concern of infections associated with contaminated scopes? Would you like to participate in an ongoing study that is designed to evaluate the real-world effectiveness of duodenoscope manufacturers' reprocessing instructions? If so, you'll want to participate in the upcoming MedSun webinar. This webinar may be of interest to infection control practitioners and other healthcare professionals from facilities where Endoscopic Retrograde Cholangio-Pancreatography (ERCP) procedures are performed.

FDA Presenters:

Lauren J. Min, PhD, obtained her graduate degrees from Johns Hopkins University and University of Pittsburgh. In 2011, Dr. Min joined the FDA's Center for Devices and Radiological Health as an epidemiologist in the Office of Surveillance and Biometrics. Dr. Min currently is the lead reviewer for post-market surveillance studies of duodenoscope reprocessing.

Shani Haugen, PhD, is a microbiologist at the FDA's Center for Devices and Radiological Health in the Office of Device Evaluation. She evaluates the safety and effectiveness of reprocessing instructions for gastrointestinal endoscopes. Dr. Haugen worked with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the American Society for Microbiology (ASM), duodenoscope manufacturers, and other experts to develop a validated protocol for surveillance sampling and culturing of duodenoscopes.

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