# **PROJECT FIRSTLINE**

Eight Part Infection Prevention Series
Oct 22, 29, Nov 5, 12, 19, Dec 3, 10, & 17, 2021
11:00 - 11:30 am CT

**Session 1:** The Concept of Infection Control

Session 2: Basic Science of Viruses

**Session 3:** How Respiratory Droplets Spread COVID-19 **Session 4:** How Viruses Spread from Surfaces to People

Session 5: How COVID-19 Spreads: A Review

**Session 6:** PPE Part 1 – Eye Protection

**Session 7:** PPE Part 2 – Gloves and Gowns

**Session 8:** Hand Hygiene

KFMC Health Improvement Partners has partnered with KDHE to facilitate this eight-part interactive infection prevention series for healthcare workers in communal living settings.

#### Goal:

This comprehensive infection control program is designed to provide foundational and practical knowledge to front line workers. We encourage you to gather your team and take advantage of this 8 week "Lunch and Learn" series to increase your infection prevention knowledge.

Participants will learn the "why" behind infection control to give them the skills and knowledge to make informed decisions to keep themselves, their coworkers and residents/clients safe.

To stop the spread of infectious disease threats—including COVID-19—anyone working in any healthcare setting needs a basic knowledge of infection control and must understand and be ready to use infection control processes and procedures throughout their workday, including during every patient care activity and healthcare interaction. CDC's Project Firstline is a collaborative of diverse healthcare, public health, and academic partners that is working to provide engaging, innovative, and effective infection control training for millions of frontline U.S. healthcare workers as well as members of the public health workforce.

## **Objectives:**

By the end of this series, participants will be able to:

- 1. Articulate at least one (1) primary goal of infection control
- 2. Explain one (1) reason why good hand hygiene and environmental cleaning are important to keep germs from spreading in healthcare
- 3. Describe 2 ways viruses can spread from surfaces to people

### **Program Facilitators:**

Brenda Davis, BSN, RN, CIC, Quality Improvement Consultant Nadyne Hagmeier, RN, Quality Improvement Consultant Brenda Groves, LPN, CADDCT, Quality Improvement Consultant

#### To Register:

Participants must register for **each** of the eight interactive sessions.

- October 22<sup>nd</sup> The Concept of Infection Control: Registration 2021 10 22
- October 29<sup>th</sup> The Basic Science of Viruses: Registration 2021\_10\_29
- November 5<sup>th</sup> How Respiratory Droplets Spread COVID-19: Registration 2021 11 05
- November 12<sup>th</sup> How Viruses Spread from Surfaces to People: Registration 2021 11 12
- November 19<sup>th</sup> How COVID-19 Spreads: A Review: Registration 2021\_11\_19
- December 3<sup>rd</sup> PPE Part 1 Eye Protection: Registration 2021 12 03
- December 10<sup>th</sup> PPE Part 2 Gloves and Gowns: Registration 2021 12 10
- December 17<sup>th</sup> Hand Hygiene: <u>Registration 2021 12 17</u>

Once registered, you will receive a confirmation email that will include the necessary information for you to join the appropriate call.

**Questions:** For questions, please contact Nadyne Hagmeier at 785-271-4174 or email <a href="mailto:nhagmeier@kfmc.org">nhagmeier@kfmc.org</a>.





