

2026 Nebraska Infectious Diseases Conference

August 28, 2026 - Beardmore Event Center, Bellevue, Nebraska

Tentative Agenda

7:45-08:30 Registration & Breakfast

8:00-8:30 Business meeting for NIDS members

8:35-8:45 Welcome: NIDS President

8:45-9:30 IDSA Keynote

9:30-10:00 Nebraska Antimicrobial Stewardship and Healthcare-Associated Infections Program Update

10:00-10:30 Break, Exhibitors

10:30-11:15 Breakout Session #1

- NIDS Track: TBD
- Antimicrobial Stewardship Track: Inpatient Antibiotic Usage Trends in Nebraska & Common Opportunities
- Long-Term Care Track: Managing Residents with Multiple Drug-Resistant Organisms

11:15-12:45: Lunch, Exhibitors, Poster Session

12:45-1:30: Breakout Session #2

- NIDS Track: Updates in HIV Prevention
- Antimicrobial Stewardship Track: Diagnostic Stewardship Considerations in Pediatric Populations
- Long-Term Care Track: Using Antibiotic Stewardship and Infection Control Data for Quality Improvement

1:30-2:15: Breakout Session #3

- NIDS Track: Updates and Review of Tickborne Diseases
- Antimicrobial Stewardship Track: Outpatient Antibiotic Stewardship Updates – CDC Core Elements and CHARM Dashboards
- Long-Term Care Track: Lessons Learned from Legionella Investigations

2:15-2:45 Break, Exhibitors

2:45-3:30 Breakout Session #4

- NIDS Track: Lessons Learned from Measles
- Antimicrobial Stewardship Track: Common Antibiotic Stewardship Curbside Consults
- Long-Term Care Track: Lessons Learned from Group A Streptococcus Investigations

3:30-4:00

- NIDS Track: Oral Abstract Presentation & Awards (Best Submission for Clinical Case, Best Submission for Research)
- Antimicrobial Stewardship Track: Management of Fever in the Hospitalized Patient
- Long-Term Care Track: Panel: Surveyor Findings for Infection Control and Antibiotic Stewardship