GETTING TO KNOW PROJECT FIRSTLINE

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OBJECTIVES

• Understand the importance of infection prevention and control in the outpatient pediatric office

• Understand the purpose of Project Firstline and the AAP collaboration

• Identify Project Firstline educational resources and websites
COVID/Infectious Diseases

Office processes

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Ventilation
WHAT IS PROJECT FIRSTLINE?

- National collaborative led by the CDC to provide infection control training and education to frontline healthcare workers and public health personnel

- 75 healthcare, academic, and public health partners

https://www.cdc.gov/infectioncontrol/projectfirstline/index.html
PROJECT FIRSTLINE RESOURCES

Provides information and training for all healthcare workers regardless of role – nurses, certified nursing assistants, environmental services technicians, doctors, allied health professionals, and other frontline staff in healthcare facilities.

Offer videos, infographics, training toolkits and interactive tools online

https://www.cdc.gov/infectioncontrol/projectfirstline/healthcare/educational-materials.html
SC AAP PROJECT FIRSTLINE

- Supported by an educational grant from the AAP in partnership with the CDC’s Project Firstline Program
- SCAAP Project Firstline Ambassador—Infection Control & Prevention
- Project ECHO (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes)
- CME Webinar Series
- Promotion of Project Firstline resources
- Exhibit table with Project Firstline materials
Webinars feature speakers, panelists, and moderators from both Connecticut and South Carolina

- 6 recorded webinars
  - Explore infection prevention from the pediatric practice perspective
  - Provides education, training, and practical tips on how to protect providers, staff, and patients from COVID and other infectious diseases
- CME credits available for each webinar completed
- https://lutinemanagement.com/CT-SC-PFL/
HELPFUL WEBSITES

- https://lutinemanagement.com/CT-SC-PFL/
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QUESTIONS