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Re-emergence of Serological Assays as Important Tools in the Diagnosis and Monitoring of Viral Hepatitis

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INTENDED AUDIENCE

This webcast is intended for laboratorians and clinicians responsible for and/or interested in the use of hepatitis B and hepatitis C markers for diagnosis and management of infection.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

After participating in this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Describe hepatitis B and hepatitis C modes of infection, clinical presentation, and the progression of acute to chronic infection, and its differentiation
- Describe how quantitative HBsAg is a marker for HBV activity in certain populations and can be used for HBV treatment monitoring as its clinical utility
- Understand why HCV antigen is a marker of active infection and the clinical implications of early detection of HCV infection
- Recognize the potential applications of an HCV antigen assay

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