

**CDC's Emerging Infections Program
 CDC/USDA/FDA Foodborne Diseases Active Surveillance Network
 Steering Committee Conference Call**

Date: Thursday, August 11, 2005
 Time: 2:00-3:00 pm ET
 Numbers: Number: 888-458-9977 PassCode: 43877

A. Administrative

1. Personnel:
 - a. Welcome Ida Rosenblum (July 5th), Liane Ong-FSIS Fellow (July 18th), Kathryn Teates (Aug. 2nd), Sharon Greene (Aug. 3rd), Stephanie Mickelson (MD), JJ Furuno (University of MD)
 - b. Congratulations to Dr. Carlota Medus (MN) for receiving her PhD!
 - c. Who's who at CDC FoodNet?
 - d. Working Group participants
2. FoodNet Vision Meeting (March 2-3, 2006)
 - a. Pre-Vision Meeting meeting?
3. ICEID abstracts (March 19-22, 2006; Abstract deadline: November 18th)
4. Baytril Final Decision

B. FoodNet Studies/Projects

1. Case-control studies
 - a. In preparation (Infant *Salmonella*, Infant *Campylobacter*)
 - b. In clearance (*Salmonella* Newport, *E. coli* O157, *Listeria*, *Salmonella* Enteritidis)
2. Other studies
 - a. *E. coli* O157 Cohort Study
 - b. Non-Typhi *Salmonella* Clinical Consequences Study
 - c. Population Survey Cycle 5
 - d. *Campylobacter* Laboratory Survey
3. *Campylobacter* trends (1996-2003) manuscript

C. Working Groups

1. Case-control Studies Methodology Working Group
2. *E. coli* O157/HUS Working Group
3. EHS-Net Working Group
 - a. Ideal Complaint System
4. Trends Working Group
 - a. Negative Binomial Model

D. Proposals

1. Does birth weight predict infection with *Salmonella* or *Campylobacter* among infants?

E. Surveillance

1. Active data
2. Outbreak data
3. HUS data

F. Upcoming FoodNet conference calls, meetings, and deadlines

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| 1. Wednesday | August 10 th | 4:00-5:00 | Burden Working Group |
| 2. Thursday | August 11 th | 2:00-3:00 | FoodNet Steering Committee |
| 3. Tuesday | August 16 th | 3:00-4:00 | HUS/STEC Working Group |
| 4. Thursday | August 18 th | 3:00-4:00 | Outbreak Working Group |
| 5. Tuesday | August 23 rd | 2:00-3:00 | Interventions Working Group |
| 6. Tuesday | August 23 rd | 4:00-5:00 | Risky Foods Working Group |
| 7. Thursday | August 25 th | 12:00-1:00 | Population Survey Working Group |
| 8. Thursday | August 25 th | 1:00-2:00 | Antimicrobial Resistance Working Group |
| 9. Thursday | August 25 th | 2:00-3:00 | FoodNet Coordinator call |
| 10. Thursday | September 1 st | 11:00-12:00 | Attributions Working Group |
| 11. Tuesday | September 6 th | 2:00-4:30/ B-19 | Update Meeting |
| 12. Wednesday | September 7 th | 1:00-2:00 | Campylobacter Grocery Store Subcommittees |
| 13. Wednesday | September 7 th | 1:00-2:00 | Campylobacter Laboratory Survey |
| 14. Thursday | September 8 th | 10:00-11:00 | HUS Subcommittee |
| 15. Thursday | September 8 th | 2:00-3:00 | FoodNet Steering Committee |

G. Data Submission Deadlines

1. Surveillance data transmission Friday, August 19th
2. HUS data transmission Wednesday, August 31st