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5:30-6:30 p.m. PT/6:30-7:30 p.m. MT

# VACCINATION AS A TEAM-BASED SPORT

## A Virtual Training for Idaho's Health Professions Students

- ✓ Understand the critical role of the interprofessional team in addressing vaccine hesitancy (*become a HCP vaccination ambassador!*)
- ✓ Learn effective communication strategies to talk with your future patients about vaccines
- ✓ Hear the latest information about COVID-19 vaccines

**FREE!**

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### Questions?

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### Featuring **Carolyn Bridges, MD, FACP**

Dr. Bridges is a board-certified internal medicine physician who has worked on influenza and adult immunization issues for over 23 years. She completed her undergraduate work at the College of Idaho, medical school at University of Washington, and residency in internal medicine at University of Colorado. After working as a primary care internal medicine provider, she joined the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) in 1996. Her work at CDC focused primarily on influenza transmission, vaccine effectiveness, pandemic preparedness and adult immunization policy and implementation.

While at CDC, she co-chaired the National Adult and Influenza Immunization Summit and was the Associate Director for Science in the Influenza Division and then Associate Director of Adult Immunizations. She retired from CDC and US Public Health Service in 2017.

Since retiring from CDC, she has worked as a medical writer/editor supporting CDC's immunization services division, a medical consultant with the Immunization Action Coalition and started Bridges Med-Epi Consulting, LLC.

Dr. Bridges has over 160 publications included peer-reviewed manuscripts, textbook chapters, CDC adult immunization schedules and influenza ACIP recommendations.