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Tuesday, October 15, 2013

Robert Kobelski Ph.D.
Chief: Laboratory Response Network
Centers for Disease Control
National Center for Environmental Health

‘Tokyo Subway Attack 17 Years Later Clinical Chemistry Response’

Location: Atlanta Marriott Century Center
2000 Century Boulevard NE
Atlanta, GA 30345

Directions: AtlantaMarriottCenturyCenter.com
Enter from Clairmont Road or I-85 S. access road

Tuesday, October 15, 2013
6:00 pm Meet and mingle (cash bar)
6:45 pm Dinner
7:45 pm Speaker

Menu:
Dinner Buffet:
Salads; Sliced Filet of Beef w Merlot Mushroom Sauce, Parmesan Crusted Chicken w White Wine Caper Cream Sauce, Grilled Mahi Mahi w Fruit Salsa; Grilled Assorted Vegetables, Grilled Vegetables Orzo; Assorted Breads; Chef’s Pastries and Pies Assortment

RSVP by 5:00 pm on 11 October 2013 to John Faes at jsfaes@bellsouth.net

Price:
$30 regular
$15 students, K-12 teachers, retired current ACS members

Payment:
Pay Pal Preferred
(if using Pay Pal, please also RSVP!!!)

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At the door
Cash, or Check to: "Georgia Section ACS"

If you make a reservation and then do not attend, you will be charged for the meal as we have to guarantee the number of meals equal to the number of RSVPs.

Robert J Kobelski Ph.D.

Speaker’s Biography
B.S. Fordham University, 1970
M.S. University of Vermont 1973
Ph.D. SUNY at Buffalo 1986

Robert Kobelski has held various positions in industry: E.I. DuPont, Buffalo Color Corporation, Johnson & Johnson, Hewlett-Packard, and Meta Metrix Clinical Lab. In addition, he has worked as a private consultant, and is currently employed with the Centers for Disease Control. His nine publications span: J. Chromatography; J. Anal. Toxicology; J. Medical Toxicology; J. Am. Soc. Mass Spec.; and J. Org. Chem.

Abstract
During the night of December 2-3, 1984 a massive leak of methyl isocyanate at the Union Carbide plant in Bhopal, India exposed half a million people to this potentially toxic chemical. Exposures to toxic chemicals occur every day and the ability to determine the extent of exposure for diagnosis and treatment presents a challenge to the clinical analysis community. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
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created the chemical component of the Laboratory Response Network (LRN-C), a distributed network of approximately 50 public health laboratories, to address mass casualty chemical exposure incidents, whether accidental or intentional in origin. This presentation will describe the various aspects of the program and how they integrate into an effective emergency response organization.

Publications

- Hamelin EI, Swaim L, Thomas J, Kobelski RJ, and Johnson RC. Quantitation of Tetramethylene Disulfotetramine in Human Urine Using Isotope Dilution Gas Chromatography Mass Spectrometry (GC/MS and GC/MS/MS), Journal of Chromatography B, accepted for publication
- Kobelski, RJ: Laboratory Response Network, Parts 1 & 2, Lab Manager, 2, 11 & 12, (2007)