



North Carolina Antimicrobial Stewardship Conference

Wednesday, February 18, 2026

Time	Session Type	Speaker	Session Title
8:30 - 9:00	Check-in & Breakfast		
9:00 - 9:15	Welcome	Marty Cooney, Megan Davies and Libby Dodds-Ashley	Why We Care
9:15 - 9:45	Plenary 1	Catie Bryan	State AS Program – Tools and resources
9:45 - 10:00	Break		
10:00 - 10:45	Plenary 2	Vera Luther	Antibiotics in Residency Education
10:45 - 11:00	Break		
11:00 - 12:00	Breakout A	Lisa Davidson and Sarah Steedman	Ask the Experts
	Breakout B	Travis Jones	Literature Review
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch		
1:00 - 1:45	Plenary 3	Lisa Davidson	Words Matter: How Provider Communication Shapes Antibiotic Prescribing - <i>Practical Strategies for Outpatient Antimicrobial Stewardship.</i>
1:45 - 2:30	Plenary 4	Kelly Flett and Jacinta Chin	Antibiogram for Urine
2:30 - 2:45	Break		
2:45 - 3:30	Plenary 5	Melissa Johnson	Dispelling Antibiotic Myths
3:30 – 3:45	Closing	Catie Bryan and Marty Cooney	