



Early Public-Health Campaign

Women disinfect
Syracuse sidewalks

Smallpox

The Speckled Monster



An ICU Summer School Event

Bugs In Bikinis

Date: July 1-Sept 1



Place: NGH Intranet

Plan: Log on to the intranet site and follow the instructions to complete the 4 modules that make up this package.

Topics:

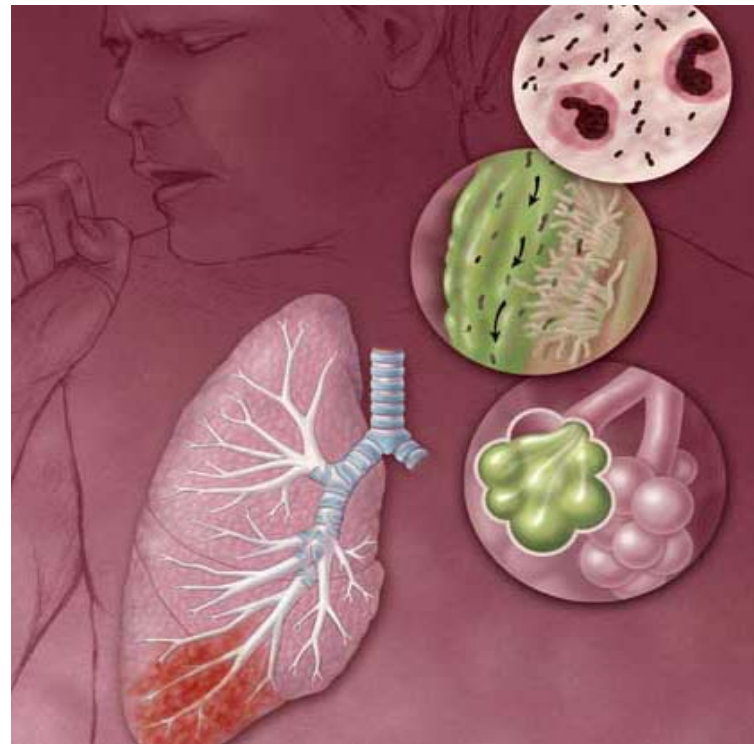
**Featuring
special guest
appearance by**

**“ THE POOL OF
GOO ”**

- 1. You’ll breathe easier after completing “ Ventilators are our Friends” .**
- 2. You will have a gas with “The 1,2,3s of ABGs”**
- 3. You’ll be shocked and dismayed by “The pool of Goo & You”**
- 4. And finally, you will learn to relax and unwind with “Patient Sedation ; This Ain’t no Ventilator Vacation”**

THE POOL OF GOO & YOU

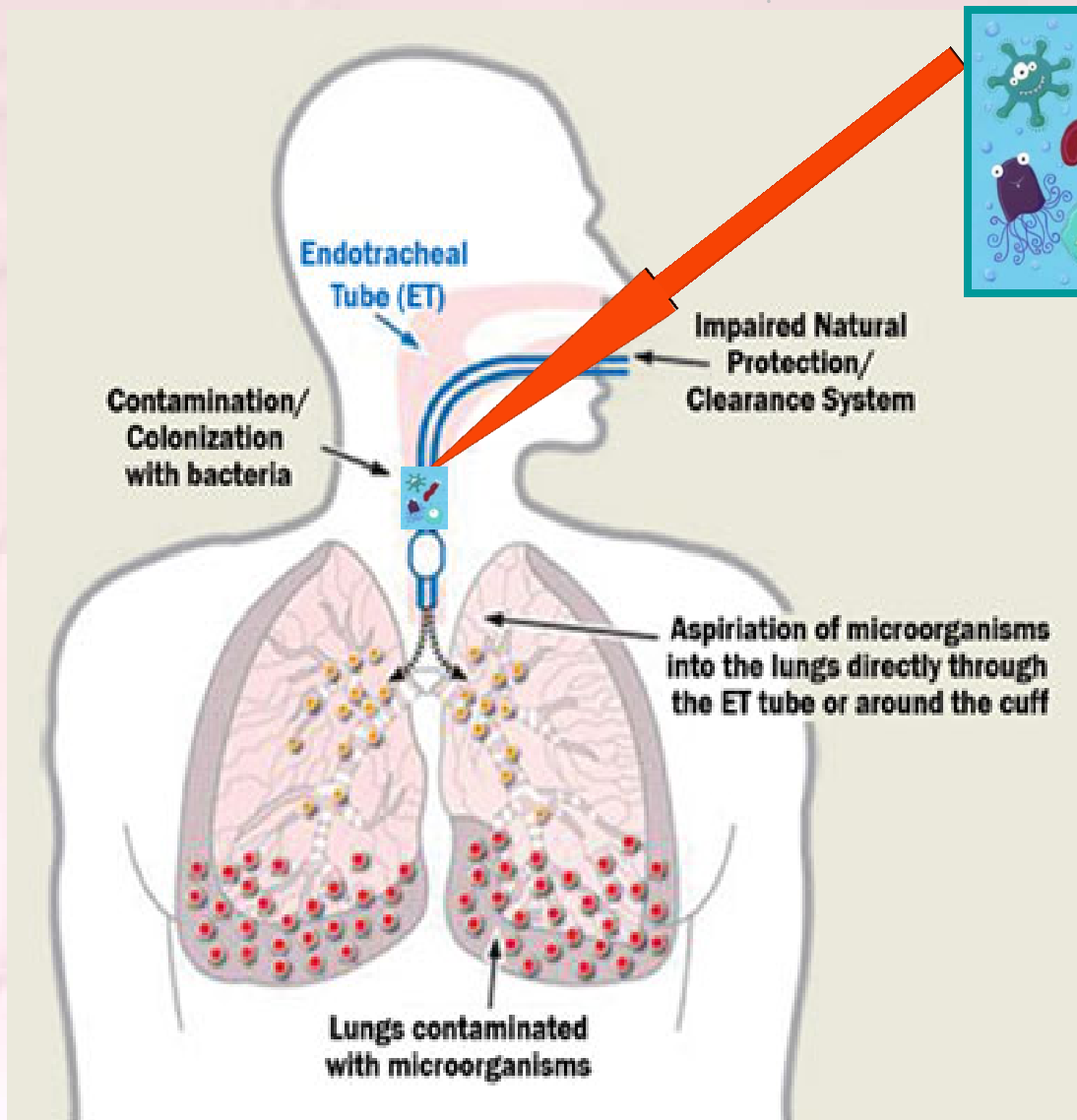
Ventilator Associated Pneumonia (VAP)



Based on Safer Healthcare Now Recommendations

VAP: How does it Happen?

THE POOL OF GOO



The resulting virulent bacterial colonization in mouth and oropharyngeal secretions, is positioned around the cuff, through cuff folds and gain access to the lungs. With cough reflex and other normal respiratory defense mechanisms incapacitated in the ventilated patient, the "drop-in" bacteria rapidly hold and initiate an infection pneumonia.