Description: This program will discuss two interesting transfusion medicine consult cases. The first case involves a request for therapeutic plasma exchange for a pediatric patient with a suspected diagnosis of Streptococcus pneumoniae meningitis and hemolytic uremic syndrome. The second case involves a pregnant woman with unexpected rare antibody and discussion of the steps taken to resolve this complex antibody problem.

Objectives:
1. Discuss hemolytic uremic syndrome with a focus on infection associated hemolytic uremic syndrome.
2. Discuss controversies in the use of plasma exchange in treating infection associated hemolytic uremic syndrome.
3. Identify the resources available to resolve complex antibody cases.
4. Recognize the steps to differentiate between antibodies to a high prevalence antigen and multiple antibodies.

Level of difficulty: Intermediate
Intended Audience: Physicians, Nurses, Technologists, Technicians, Managers, Supervisors

Continuing Education Credits:
PACE Contact Hours - 1
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12:00 PM ET, 11:00 AM CT, 10:00 AM MT, 9:00 AM PT

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