

## New Course!

# Treatment of Antimicrobial Resistant STIs: Mycoplasma Genitalium, Gonorrhoea and Others

**Antimicrobial resistance refers to the ability of an infection to resist the effects of medicines used to treat the infection. It is sometimes also referred to as 'drug resistance'. Drug resistance can be caused by the suboptimal or overuse use of antibiotics, non-compliance with treatment regimens and/or poor quality treatment. This session will cover effective methods of testing and treatment in the presence of antimicrobial resistance.**

### Learning outcomes:

- Define the epidemiology and mechanisms of microbial resistance in STIs
- Accurately identify the testing methods for the presence of microbial resistance
- Discuss treatment options for microbial resistant STIs with patients
- Describe other emerging STI resistance possibilities and options for specialist advice and referral in managing treatment

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### Date:

18th August 2022

### Time:

6.30pm- 8.30pm AEST,  
via Zoom

**Cost:** Free

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### Accreditations:

RACGP 4x activity points

ACRRM 2x core PDP points