Molecular Diagnostics 101:
Current and Future Applications

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6:00 p.m.  Registration and Light Supper
6:30 p.m.  Presentation
7:15 p.m.  Q & A

Objectives:
• Describe basic DNA structure and function
• Understand basic molecular biology techniques used in clinical diagnostics including PCR.
• List several DNA based assays widely used in clinical practice.
• Give several examples of targeted biological therapies and the corresponding laboratory diagnostic test that are required.

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