

## THE CENTER FOR RURAL HEALTH WEBINAR SERIES

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### Webinar:

Thursday, September 19, 2019

12:00 pm Arizona Time

# *Superbugs are Taking Over... Here's How Telehealth Can Stop Them*

### Learning objectives:

1. The impact of overprescribing antibiotics and how they create superbugs
2. The importance of Infectious Disease specialists
3. Eight steps to bringing in a solution via Telehealth



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