

ACPOC 2027 ANNUAL MEETING

AMWAY GRAND PLAZA
APRIL 7-10th

**ASSOCIATION PROFILE &
SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

WELCOME & CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

On behalf of the Association of Children's Prosthetic-Orthotic Clinics (ACPOC), we invite you to participate in the ACPOC 2027 Annual Meeting, April 7-10, 2027, at the Amway Grand Plaza in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

The ACPOC Annual Meeting is unique in that it is the only major association that focuses on the care of pediatric limb deficiency and other orthopaedic disabilities. ACPOC attracts hundreds of professionals consisting of physicians, occupational and physical therapists, nurses, orthotists, prosthetists, social workers, and researchers from the US, Canada, and the rest of the world. ACPOC has the highest concentration of professionals specializing in the care of children with neurological and musculoskeletal conditions.

ACPOC Board and Members value their Industry Partners, inviting them to become involved through sponsorships, workshops and participating in the meeting.

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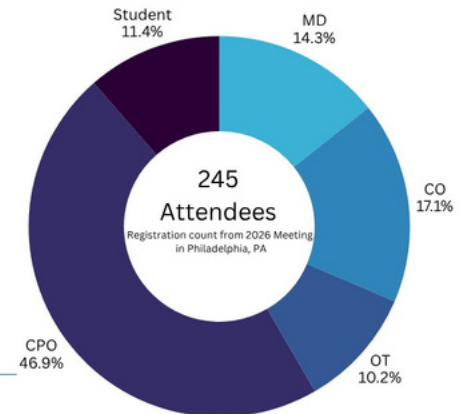
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ASSOCIATION PROFILE

The Association of Children's Prosthetic-Orthotic Clinics (ACPOC) provides a comprehensive resource of treatment options provided by professionals who serve children, adolescents, and young adults with various musculoskeletal differences.

Founded	1980
Headquarters	Fennville, MI
Total Assets	Nearly \$230,000 in 2025
Nonprofit Status	501(c)(3)

2026 Meeting Attendee Info



MEMBERSHIP



300+

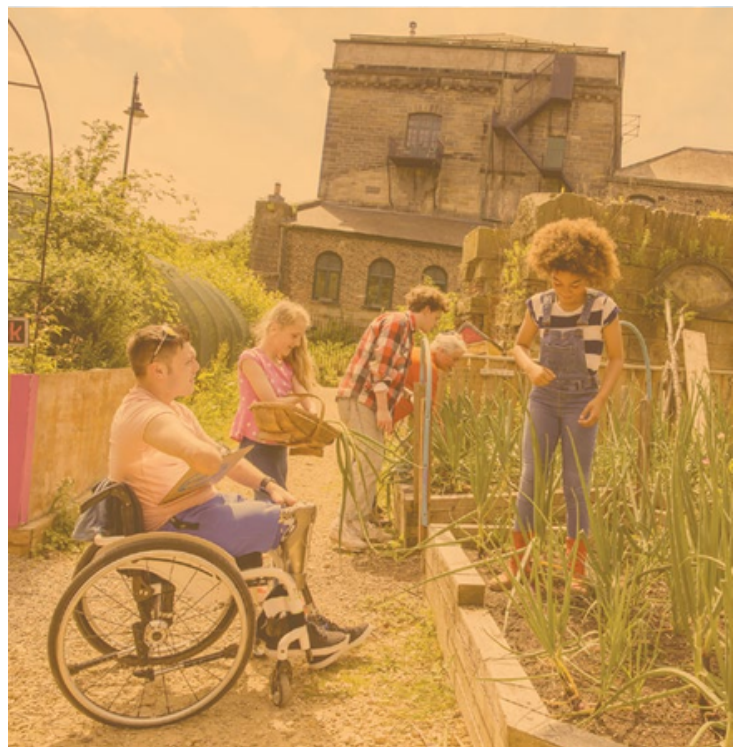
members in hospital, academic, industry, private practice, specialty hospitals, childrens health care systems and other practice settings.

ACPOC is represented by members in integral roles in national and international committees and activities to improve treatment options provided by professionals who serve children, adolescents, and young adults with various musculoskeletal differences.



EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

To advance its mission, ACPOC shall provide quality programming that meets the educational needs of its members and ensure practitioner competence and lifelong learning opportunities.



WHY EXHIBIT

EXHIBITING BENEFITS

ACPOC provides marketing opportunities during the Annual Meeting. Exhibits will be highlighted, with unopposed time, during the Wednesday Evening Reception; Thursday breakfast and lunch, morning and afternoon refreshment breaks, and Friday breakfast, morning and afternoon refreshment breaks.

To maximize the impact of your marketing dollars and receive optimum exposure to our attendees, we encourage you to take advantage of our Wednesday Technical Workshops Program. This will give you 45 minutes to present in front of an audience at a cost much less than a traditional advertisement. This venue gives you the benefit of personal interaction with our attendees. The technical workshops are very popular and may sell out. Act today to confirm your workshop participation. Due to a waiting list for the technical workshops, we are implementing a new policy of one workshop per company.

ADDITIONAL BENEFITS OF BEING A SUPPORTER

- Ability to provide a participant giveaway at any supporter level
- Verbal promotion at ACPOC Annual Meeting by moderators and on main session screen during breaks
- Sign acknowledging supporters prominently located at meeting
- Acknowledgment printed in Annual Meeting Final Program
- Sponsor ribbons distributed at the Annual Meeting
- Recognition on the ACPOC website annual meeting page
- Can attend full meeting and eligible for CE credits
- Access to Attendee list with emails
- Featured in Exhibitor Passport, where over 50% of attendees participate.
- Complimentary Breakfast, Lunch and Break Meals from Thursday-Saturday

THANK YOU TO OUR 2026 SPONSORS!

PLATINUM

- Orthopediatrics Specialty Bracing
- Shriners Children's

Diamond

- Alps South

Silver

- Prosthetic Innovations
- Point Designs, LLC

Gold

- Lawall Prosthetics & Orthotics

BRONZE

- Spinal Technology

EXHIBITORS

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| • AVR Innovation | • Mary Free Bed | • SPIO |
| • Becker Orthopedic | • Invent Medical | • SPS |
| • Clubfoot Solutions | • Orthomerica | • Surestep |
| • Fillauer | • Ossur | • Encore by Thermo-Ply |
| • Hanger Clinic | • Ottobock | |
| • Invent Medical | • Royal Knit | |
| • iFIT Prosthetics | • Scoliosis-US | |
| • JMS Plastics Supply | • Slingshot Bionics | |

HOTEL, TRAVEL, & EXHIBIT INFORMATION

AMWAY GRAND PLAZA

187 Monroe Ave NW
Grand Rapids, MI 49503, USA
Phone: (616) 774-2000

RESERVATION

To make your reservation by phone call
616.774.2000

To make your reservation online click below:

[**MAKE YOUR RESERVATION ONLINE**](#)

A block of rooms is being held at the hotel at the following rates per night:

Single or Double Occupancy: \$209

The above room rates do not include state and local taxes, service fees or hotel fees.

Be sure to make reservations by **Friday, March 16, 2027** to secure these rates. Rates are available three days prior and three days after the conference dates, subject to availability.

Map, Parking & Transportation:

The hotel is located fourteen miles from the Gerald R Ford International Airport.

Parking: On-Site \$41/day \$45/overnight

Click below for more information:

[**HOTEL INFO**](#)



EXHIBIT HALL HOURS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7

6:00AM–5:00PM CSTExhibitor Move-In and Setup
6:30-8:30PMOpen Hours and Events

THURSDAY, APRIL 8

7:00am-5:30PMExhibit Hall Open
7:00-8:00AMBreakfast with Exhibitors
10:00-10:45AMBreak with Exhibitors
12:00-1:00PMLunch with Exhibitors
2:20-3:00PMBreak with Exhibitors

FRIDAY, APRIL 9

7:00am-5:30pm Exhibit Hall Open
7:00-8:00AMBreakfast with Exhibitors
10:00-10:45AMBreak with Exhibitors
12:00-1:30PMLunch with Exhibitor
2:30-3:15PMBreak with Exhibitors
4:00-5:00PMExhibitor Forum
5:00PMExhibitor Tear Down

**Schedule is subject to change.*



SHIPPING AND RECEIVING INFORMATION

Before shipping any materials being used in connection with displays and/or exhibits, please contact your assigned Catering/Convention Service Manager at (616) 776-3221.

Shipments of material, literature, products, as well as cartons and envelopes that are to be used in conjunction with your group's meeting/program should be addressed as follows:

Recipient's (Guest's) Name
c/o Amway Grand Plaza Hotel
187 Monroe Avenue NW
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Please note that the "Recipient" refers to the person who will be picking up the items or package, even if that person is not staying at the hotel. Also, as an added measure, please write the recipient's name and the name of the Convention on the box itself. DO NOT address items to the Catering/Convention Service Manager. All shipments should be prepaid. Regrettably, it is not possible for the Amway Grand Plaza to accept C.O.D. shipments.

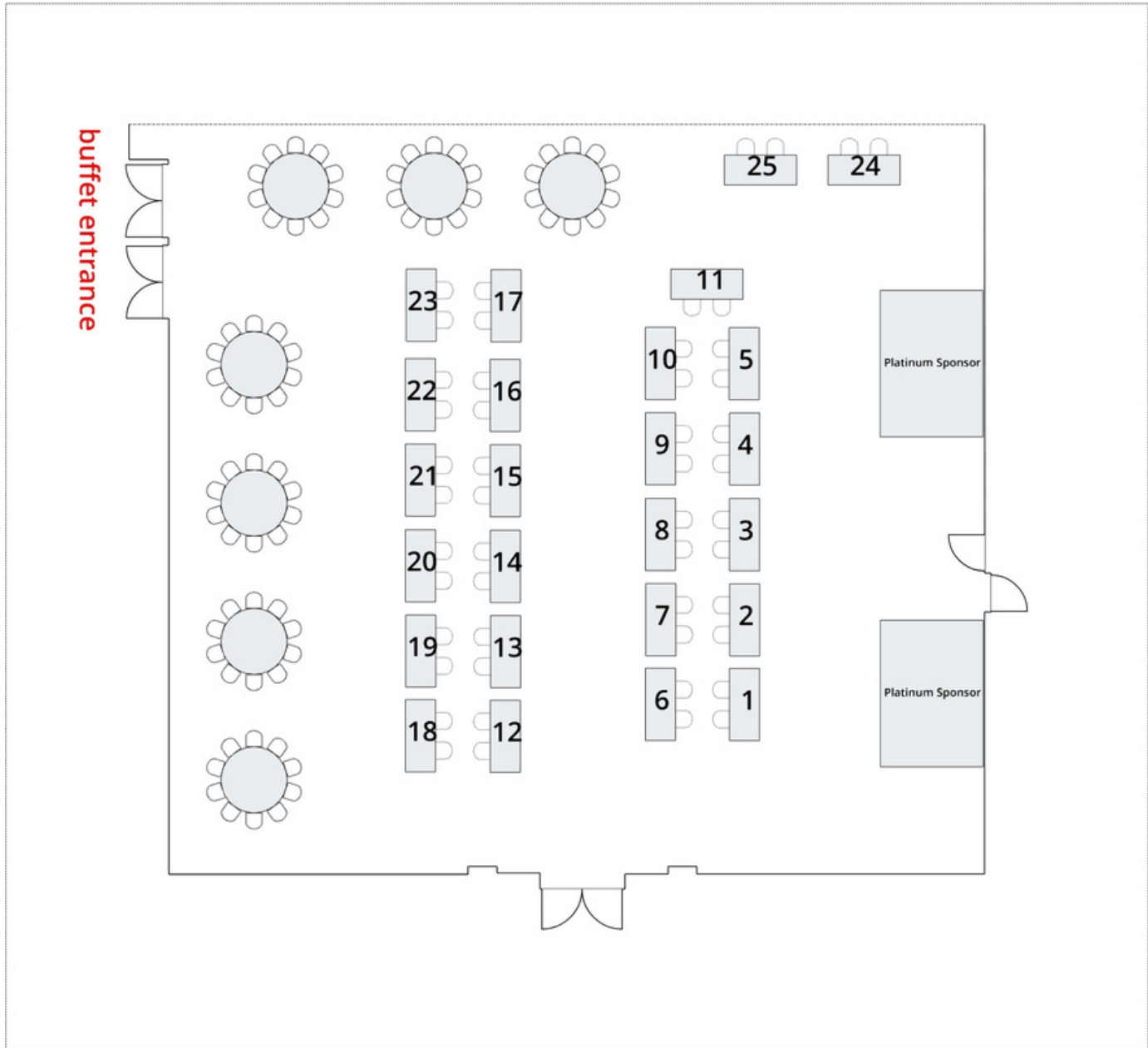
If you are sending more than one package within a single shipment, be sure to number in sequence (example: 1 of 3, 2 of 3, 3 of 3).

Because the Hotel has limited space, items should be sent as close to the meeting date as possible. **(Please do not send any shipments more than 2 weeks before your arrival).** In addition, please make sure to record and bring to the hotel the waybill number of all packages shipped to us.

Only a limited amount of exhibit material (that can be placed on one or two bellman's carts) may be brought through the public Motor Lobby. (All other shipments will be directed to the Hotel's Loading Dock). If assistance from our bellman is needed to deliver your materials/exhibits to any meeting rooms, there will be a \$10.00 per cart or \$25.00 per pallet delivery fee.

If the materials/exhibits being shipped are to be used at DeVos Place, which is the municipally – owned complex adjacent to the Amway Grand Plaza Hotel, those materials/exhibits should be shipped directly to them. The Hotel does not offer shipping or delivery to the DeVos Place. Please contact DeVos Place at (616) 742-6600 for details.

Please note that items shipped to the Hotel for use at DeVos Place may be assessed a storage fee.



ACPOC ANNUAL SPONSORSHIP

There are multiple ways to support your organization at ACPOC:

- Partnership Levels & Benefits
- Exhibitor Table Options
- Additional Opportunities

PARTNERSHIP LEVELS & BENEFITS

\$6,000	Platinum \$9,000	Diamond \$6,000	Gold \$5,000	Silver \$4,000	Bronze \$2,000
Recognition on ACPOC Website, on Meeting Signage, in PowerPoint During Breaks, by Meeting Moderator	√	√	√	√	√
Ad in Meeting Program Book	1/2 Page Color (7.75" wide by 5" high, 300dpi)	1/2 Page Color (7.75" wide by 5" high, 300dpi)	1/2 Page Color (7.75" wide by 5" high, 300dpi)	1/2 Page Color (7.75" wide by 5" high, 300dpi)	1/4 Page Color (3.75" wide by 5" high, 300dpi)
Exhibition Booth Included	√	√	√	√	
Complimentary Meeting Registrations	3	2	1	1	
Company Profile or Product Feature in ACPOC Website	√	√	√		
Priority Selection of Your 2026 Exhibit Space	√	√	√		
Access to Marketing Toolkit	√	√	√		
Technical Workshop	√				

EXHIBITOR BOOTH OPTIONS

Exhibiting Opportunity	\$2,500	Exhibition area for opportunity to engage directly with ACPOC members. Includes the following: • One complimentary exhibitor registration for the meeting (additional exhibitor registrations may be purchased separately) • One 6' skirted table (additional tables or an affiliate company table may be purchased separately) • Two chairs
Single Day Exhibitor Booth	\$1,000	Exhibition area for opportunity to engage directly with ACPOC members on Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday.
Non-Profit Table	\$1,500	Complimentary table included, the cost covers your food & beverage cost for the entire meeting.
Additional Exhibitor Table	\$1,000	
Additional Exhibitor Badge	\$450	

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ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Welcome Reception with Exhibitors	\$5,000	"The first hello", where ACPOC members meet the exhibitors and learn about their products.
Friday Night Social	\$5,000	Gathering of members and exhibitors to share stories and learn more about each other outside the days of the meeting.
New Investigator Research Award	\$5,000	Help Students and Residents in O&P, MD, OT, and PT programs, who are completing or have completed their directed study in the current year to present at the ACPOC Annual Meeting. <i>Maximum of 3 Awards</i>
Workshop Presentation 45 Min	\$1,500	During the exhibitors' technical workshops, commercial devices/products can be presented by the vendor without having to meet any of the normal scientific guidelines required of the scientific workshops. Here, commercial content will not be scrutinized. This is a chance for you to present your techniques, manufacturing tools, devices, etc. to the audience and provide information on indications, fit, repair, solutions, etc.
Company Flyer	\$250	Inserted into the participants' registration packet. Hard copies shipped directly to the hotel by supporter company. Includes recognition on the ACPOC Sponsor webpage.
Job Board Listing on ACPOC Website and Newsletter	\$150/month	Post your job on the online ACPOC Job Board, at the Annual Meeting, or in an email job posting to ACPOC members.

Interested in partnering with ACPOC? Email us at info@acpoc.org if you have further questions

SPONSORSHIP TERMS & CONDITIONS

GENERAL EXHIBIT INFORMATION

We are prepared to furnish individual companies with a draped, 6-foot exhibit table and two chairs. The maximization of your booth space will be key to your attendee traffic. Should an exhibitor want to utilize activities to draw attendees to its table (gifts, samples, food, beverage, demonstrations, etc.), these activities must take place within the confines of the tabletop space. The purpose of the exhibits is to further the education of the meeting attendees through product and service display and demonstrations. Outlying space may not be used for anything other than attendee traffic. Additionally, any activities undertaken must not interfere with traffic to or Interactions at other exhibits. Activities that should be avoided include, but are not limited to, loud music or audio that can be overheard at other exhibits, demonstrations that use up the full break time which prevents attendees from viewing other exhibits, holding attendee events outside of the exhibit hall during sessions, receptions, social events and exhibit hall hours. Gimmicks such as clowns, mimes, jugglers, cartoon characters, etc. may not be used in demonstrations. No one under 18 years old is permitted in the exhibitor hall.

You are responsible for ordering, before the meeting, your own internet, electrical, signs, labor, shipping, and tools necessary for setting up exhibits.

If additional services are needed, it is the obligation of the exhibitor his/her agent to provide for arrangement and payment of these services. Internet and electrical will be provided by the Renaissance Dallas. All audio-visual needs will be handled by our AV company. AV contact information is pending.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

The terms and conditions listed here are part of the exhibit application and constitute part of the agreement between the exhibiting company and ACPOC. By applying for exhibit space, a company, its agents, consultants and employees agree to adhere to all terms and conditions outlined in this prospectus and herein. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all company personnel or 3rd party agents involved in the exhibit arrangements are aware of, and adhere to, these terms and conditions and conduct themselves in a professional manner throughout the annual meeting. Whenever practical or appropriate, in the view of ACPOC, disciplinary action will be progressive according to the violation of the listed terms and conditions. However, ACPOC reserves the right to levy a more severe penalty, including refusal, or termination of the exhibit, at its sole discretion. In the event of such restriction or eviction, ACPOC will not be liable for any refunds on rentals or other exhibit related expenses incurred. Please be sure that your promotional department or anyone else involved in the arrangements of your exhibit has a copy of these terms and conditions. All exhibits must remain fully assembled and staffed as required until the official closing of the exhibit hall.

BOOTH ASSIGNMENT

Assignment of exhibit tables will be on a first-come, first-served basis for exhibitors not designated as supporters, based upon receipt of exhibit applications and full payment. Exhibitors may not let, sublet, share or transfer the exhibit privilege or space in whole or in part without the express written consent of ACPOC. Exhibitors may not exhibit, or permit to be exhibited in their space, any merchandise or advertising materials which are not part of their own products, or those of their subsidiaries.

EXHIBITOR REGISTRATION

Advance exhibitor registration is provided to all exhibitors. All exhibitors are required to register. Sharing or trading of badges is not allowed. A company may register one (1) individual complimentary per one exhibit table. Additional badges may be purchased in advance or on-site. Registration fees must be paid prior to, or at the time of, registration. "No Show" badges are non-refundable. Company badges will not be accepted in lieu of the official badge. Representatives registering on-site will be required to show proof of affiliation (business card) with the exhibiting company and pay a registration fee. Each representative of an exhibiting company must wear the official exhibitor badge at all ACPOC events. Companies registered and paid in full by January 31, 2027, will be listed in the Final Program.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Booth and representative cancellations require written notification by email, fax or mail to the ACPOC office. Cancellations before January 31, 2027 will receive a full refund. Representative cancellations will be charged a 25% administrative fee for each representative cancellation received after January 31, 2027. No refunds will be made on booth registrations after January 31, 2027.

EXHIBIT SPACE POLICY

Exhibit personnel may not enter another exhibitor's space or photograph/investigate another exhibitor's products at any time without the express permission of that exhibitor. Exhibitors may not enter an unstaffed exhibitor space at any time. This is in respect to the rights of other vendors to conduct business during the exhibit hours without interference or improper intervention. ACPOC, its representatives, and staff shall have free access to any exhibit during any time in their performance of their assigned duties. Canvassing outside the exhibitor's designated table area is forbidden. Exhibitors may not distribute materials to other exhibitors at any time. All business must be conducted within each exhibitor's table area.

EXHIBIT SPACE OCCUPANCY

Exhibiting companies are responsible for monitoring their own space. Exhibits must be staffed by registered individuals who are representatives of the exhibitor. An exhibitor is responsible for the conduct and appearance of the exhibitor's employees or agents, and an exhibitor or agent must be present in the exhibit space during all required open hours. An exhibiting company whose booth space is not completed and staffed by the close of the exhibit installation period will forfeit all exhibit rights. ACPOC reserves the right to reassign space without notification or refund.

EXHIBIT MATERIALS

Items considered appropriate for distribution are educational materials, pens, mouse pads, pencils, luggage tags, calendars, note pads, mugs and key chains. Balloons, noisemakers and tobacco products are prohibited, as well as other items at the discretion of ACPOC staff.

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EXHIBITOR MEETINGS/EVENTS

Exhibitors are welcome to hold meetings and events so long as they do not interfere with ACPOC related activities such as the welcome reception, all educational sessions, social event and when the exhibit hall is considered open. ACPOC will have control of assignment of all suites and meeting space contracted at the Amway Grand Plaza will release space to exhibitors on a first-come, first-served basis. Exhibitors may request hotel meeting space by contacting the ACPOC Headquarters office. Space outside of hotel property may be secured directly through that vendor. Under no circumstances, will companies neither exhibiting, nor making ACPOC Annual Meeting contributions equal to the average booth fee, be permitted to sponsor activities during the ACPOC Annual Meeting.

EXHIBITOR LIABILITY

All property of the exhibitor remains under the exhibitor's custody and control in transit to and from the Amway Grand Plaza, during installation and removal, and while it is in the confines of the Amway Grand Plaza. Neither ACPOC, the Amway Grand Plaza nor any other of the officers, directors, agents, or employees of any of the same are responsible for the safety of the exhibitor's property from theft, damage by fire, accident, vandalism, or any other causes, and the exhibitor expressly waives and releases any claim or demand against any of them by reason of any damage to or loss of any property, except where the damage or loss is due to gross negligence or willful misconduct of the person or entities mentioned above, their agents or employees. Exhibitors wishing to insure their exhibit materials, goods, and/or property on exhibit against theft, damage by fire, accident, or loss of any kind must do so at their own expense. We recommend that you take laptops and other electronic valuables with you when you leave the exhibit hall.

The exhibitor expressly releases ACPOC and the Amway Grand Plaza, their directors, officers, agents and employees from any such loss, damage, including that by fire and theft or injury. If ACPOC is made a party to any litigation commenced by or against an exhibitor, or relating to this lease or the premises leased hereunder, then the EXHIBITOR WILL PAY ALL COSTS AND EXPENSES, including reasonable attorneys' fees, INCURRED BY OR IMPOSED UPON ACPOC BY REASON OF LITIGATION. ACPOC recommends that the exhibitor obtain its own insurance at its expense for loss or damage to property or injury to persons.

USE OF ACPOC NAME, INSIGNIA, OR LOGOTYPE

The use of the name, insignia, logotype or other identifying marks of ACPOC may not be used in signs, advertising or promotions in any media or descriptive product literature or products without written permission from the ACPOC staff. The only exception is that exhibitors may reference the Annual Meeting (with date and place) of ACPOC on their materials associated with the Annual Meeting.

RESERVATION OF RIGHT TO MAKE CHANGES

Any matters not specifically covered herein are subject to decision by the ACPOC Board of Directors and staff. ACPOC reserves the right to make such changes, amendments, and additions to these terms and conditions as it considers advisable for the proper conduct of the exhibit, with the provision that all exhibitors will be advised of any changes.