

PROVIDER CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

A CONFERENCE FOR HOSPITAL O.R. & SURGICAL LEADERS

JOIN US FOR OUR FALL CONFERENCE!































PREMIER **INVITATION-ONLY HOSPITAL CONFERENCES**

Our conferences are invitation only.

This means we hand-pick the top hospital executives and supplier partners in the country to guarantee valuable and meaningful connections with your peers.

Founded in 2006, Health Connect Partners has had the privilege of connecting providers and suppliers through educational meetings and conferences for almost twenty years.

Our mission is to empower healthcare leaders with education and connections to help strengthen their facilities.

By bringing providers and suppliers together through industryspecific conferences, we create the optimum environment for networking and building relationships-whether in-person or online.

EDUCATION

Earn four-six hours of CE credits on timely educational topics with industry-leading speakers. Our educational sessions are selected by a board of your peers in your industry.

NETWORK

Connect with fellow hospital executives from the country's most prestigious hospitals and health systems, plus group purchasing organization (GPO) contracting executives and the industry's leading manufacturers and suppliers.

DISCOVER

Cost-savings, innovative solutions-new products, technologies and medical services-for your department or facility from the nation's leading suppliers during the Supplier Showcases.

SOLVE

be facing today.

REAL OPPORTUNITIES

Peer-to-peer learning to find answers to how similar hospitals to your's have overcome the same problems or challenges you might

APPLY TO ATTEND WITH A FULL SCHOLARSHIP







For qualified Hospital Executives who attend our events, Health Connect Partners will cover some or all of the following (contingent upon application approval):

- Reimbursement of round-trip airfare or driving mileage
- Lodging for two or three nights at the conference hotel
- Ground transportation between the conference airport and the conference hotel
- Scheduled meals during the conference
- Waived or discounted conference registration fees
- Two evenings of fun networking events

Join your peers, hospital executives from the most prestigious hospitals and health systems, for this unique conference experience to receive industry-leading education, unparalleled networking, and our signature Reverse Expo experience.

COMPLIANCE INFORMATION

Health Connect Partners (HCP) Scholarship program is funded by Health Connect Partners, not the sponsors or suppliers. HCP is a neutral third-party event business that has no interest in the business dealings of any hospital or health system, and does not sell any products or services to hospitals or health systems. HCP only hosts educational conferences for hospital executives and their suppliers. Hospital executives who attend are under no obligation to purchase any products or services from any sponsor or supplier. It is the decision of you and your representatives whether to have a business relationship with any of the attending participants.



Providers sit at a table representing their hospital.

Suppliers visit the providers and offer a five minute overview of their products or services.

Providers offer honest feedback to suppliers and tell them whether or not they are interested.

Our REQUEST BOOTH VISIT feature allows you to select specific attending suppliers or products and solutions categories, so you are meeting with people during the **Reverse Expo** that are important to you!



WHAT IS A **REVERSE EXPO?** WELL, IT'S SIMPLE!

CHECK OUT THE LIST OF SOME OF YOUR COLLEAGUES WHO ATTENDED OUR 2025 SPRING O.R. & SURGICAL CONFERENCE

CHRISTUS St. Elizabeth Hospital, Amber Porter, Clinical Director of Surgery, Beaumont, TX Emory Decatur Hospital, Andy Hogan, VP of Procedural Services, Decatur, GA The Christ Hospital, Angela Fogarty, Executive Director of Perioperative Services, Cincinnati, OH Torrance Memorial Medical Center, Armin Balagao, O.R. Manager, Torrance, CA Valley Hospita Nemours Child University Hea **Singing River** Beth Israel Lał Sarasota Mem Children's of A Northside Hos AdventHealth Atrium Health Ephraim McDo **Nemours** Child Beth Israel Lał University Hea **Boston Childre** West Henders AdventHealth Beth Israel De Prisma Health Freeman Heal Memorial Hea AdventHealth Starr Regional Northwestern MultiCare Hea Jefferson Torr AdventHealth

AT HCP TO GET CONVENTION CENTER

Each event hosts two exciting evenings of food, music and networking that are open to all Hospital Leaders to relax and connect with their peers.













emorial Medical Center, Armin Balagao, O.R. Manager, Torrance, CA					
ital Medical Center, Ashley Burnett, Director of Surgical Services, Las Vegas, NV					
hildren's Health - Malvern, Barbara Shannon, Administrator Ambulatory Surgery Center, Malvern, PA	D 4	0.00		11.00	
lealth-San Antonio, Cesar Roman, Director of Strategic Sourcing and Procurement, San Antonio, TX	Day 1	9:00am	_	11:00am	Provider Breakfasts
er Health System, Cheri Borgstede, OR Business Manager, Ocean Springs, MS		11:30am	_	4:00pm	Provider Registration
ahey Health, Clarissa Fox, Executive Director of Clinical Sourcing, 02129, MA					& Supplier Showcase
emorial Hospital, David Patterson, ACNO Cardiovascular & Surgical Services, Sarasota, FL		4.15000		5:30pm	Provider Orientation
of Alabama, Debbie Randau, OR Assistant Director, Birmingham, AL		4:15pm	_	5.50pm	
Iospital Atlanta, Deborah Green, Clinical Director - Surgical Services, Atlanta, GA					& Sponsor Spotlight
lth Sebring, Debra Callender, Administrative Director, Surgical & Ortho Services, Sebring, FL Ith Wake Forest Baptist, Deron Mabe, Associate Vice President, Perioperative Services, Winston-Salem, NC		5:30pm	_	6:00pm	Welcome Reception
Dowell Health, Donna Longmire, Surgical Services Director EMH System, Danville, KY		6:00pm	_	9:00pm	Hospitality Suites
hildren's Hospital - Delaware, Edna Gilliam, AVP, Perioperative Services & SPD, DV, Wilmington, DE		0.00pm		7.00pm	Tospitality Suites
Lahey Health, Elyssa Girard, Senior Contract Sourcing Specialist, Charlestown, MA Scan to VIEW THE					
lealth, Fredrick Knott, Senior Sourcing & Contract Specialist, San Antonio, TX FULL LIST OF 2025	Day 2	7:00am	—	8:00am	Breakfast
dren's Hospital, Heather MacWhinnie, Perioperative Equipment Manager, Boston, MA		8:00am	_	9:30am	Opening Remarks
erson Hospital, Janine Jones, Director of Surgical Services, Henderson, NV					
th DeLand, Jason Rivera, Director Surgical Services, DeLand, FL					& Keynote Address
Deaconess Medical Center, Jeffrey Keane, Director of Perioperative Projects, Braintree, MA th, Jennifer Rogers, Chief Nursing Officer, Greenville, SC		9:30am	—	9:45am	Networking Break
		9:45am	_	10:45am	Educational Session
ealth System, Jessica Thomas, Director of Perioperative Services, Joplin, MO ealth University Medical Center, Jodi Pelkey, Manager Operating Room, Savannah, GA		11:00am	_	12:00pm	Educational Session
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lth Wesley Chapel, Joshua Adams, OR Business Manager, Wesley Chapel, FL 1al Medical Center - Athens Campus, Karen Morrow, Administrative Director of Surgical Services, Athens, TN		11:45am	_	1:00pm	Lunch
rn Medicine Palos Hospital, Larry Creech, Director of Surgical Services, Palos Heights, , IL		1:30pm	—	3:30pm	Reverse Expo Session 1
lealth System, Laurence Urvina, Regional Director of Periop Business Operations, Tacoma, WA		4:00pm	_	5:00pm	Educational Session
presdale Hospital, Maritza Sanchez, Executive Clinical Director Perioperative Services, Philadelphia, PA		•		9:00pm	Dinner & Entertainment
th Orlando, Mark Walters, Director, Surgical Services - Strategic Sourcing, Orlando, FL		6:00pm	_	7.00pm	
P CONFERENCES WE KNOW HOW IMPORTANT IT IS	Day 3	6:45am	_	7:45am	Breakfast
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Educational Session

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> TO REQUEST YOUR INVITATION, VISIT HLTHCP.COM/REQUEST-ACCOUNT

CAN'T JOIN US

We also host **ONLINE** events which provide oneon-one meetings in our custom built platform.



- 14 minute Expo meetings
- Post-conference follow up
- Face-to-face from your office





HOSPITAL O.R. & SURGICAL JULY 22 - 24, 2025

HOSPITAL O.R. & SURGICAL FEBRUARY 10-12, 2026



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