



### **Rules and Regulations**

All information included in this Prospectus is incorporated by reference into the Tabletop Exhibit & Support Application (the "Application") and becomes part of the contract between the tabletop exhibitor/sponsor and ASAM. These policies have been developed in the best interests of the exhibitors/supporters as a whole. Management respectfully asks the full cooperation of all exhibitors and supporters in observing these policies. All points not covered are subject to the decision of management.

### **Contract and Terms of Payment for Tabletop Exhibit Space**

The Application constitutes a contract for the right to use the tabletop space. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to confirm that their contract and payment have been received by the ASAM meetings office.

Full payment of the tabletop exhibit rental charge MUST accompany the signed Application. Applications not accompanied by full payment will be returned unassigned. Payment is accepted in the form of check or credit card (American Express, MasterCard or Visa).

### **Tabletop Exhibit Cost & Sizes**

Available tabletops are \$1000 for each six-foot table space. The \$1000 tabletop fee also includes the following: two (2) chairs and one (1) wastebasket.

### **Space Assignment**

The floor plan is designed by ASAM's Meetings Department in accordance to Fire Marshal regulations and the facilitation of floor traffic for all exhibitors. Tabletop assignments will be done on a first-come, first served basis. Applications with full payment will be date-stamped. Space assignments will begin on Wednesday, September 19, 2018 and confirmations will be emailed beginning at this date.

Reasonable efforts will be made to accommodate special requests for space and position on the floor. Due to the limited space available, special requests to avoid or be placed next to certain exhibitors must be sent directly to Show Management via email: [ivayner@asam.org](mailto:ivayner@asam.org).

### **Cancellation of Space**

A \$100 cancellation fee will apply to all cancellations received through **Wednesday, September 19, 2018**. There will be **no refunds** on cancellations received after **Wednesday, September 19, 2018**. All cancellation requests must be made in writing and sent to: 11400 Rockville Pike, Suite 200 Rockville, MD 20852 or faxed to: 301-656-3815. Refund will be processed after the program.

## **Liability**

Neither ASAM nor the Renaissance Washington will assume liability for loss of merchandise or of monies received or damaged to exhibitor's property. The exhibitor assumes the entire responsibility and liability for losses, damages, and claims arising out of injury or damage to exhibitor displays, equipment, and other property brought on the premises of the Renaissance Washington and shall indemnify and hold harmless ASAM, the Renaissance Washington, their agents, servants, and employees from any and all such losses, damages, and claims.

## **Badge Registration**

Each exhibitor is provided two complimentary exhibit-only registrations. The fee for additional exhibit-only or registrations is \$200 per badge.

All participants affiliated with exhibits must be registered. Each person will be issued an exhibitor's badge and must be employed by the exhibitor or have a direct business affiliation. The number of badges issued to each exhibitor may be limited by ASAM.

## **Conditions**

All tabletop exhibitors are to remain open during the scheduled hours. Set-up is between 12:00 pm and 5:00 pm on **Wednesday, October 10, 2018**. There will be no set-up during scheduled open hours and no teardown until after the closing on **Saturday, October 13, 2018, 10:30 a.m.**

## **Course Location & Shipping Information**

The State of the Art Course will be held at the Renaissance Washington, 999 Ninth Street NW Washington, DC 20001. Exhibits will be held in the Congressional Ballroom A-C, Ballroom Level. It is the responsibility of each tabletop exhibitor to manage their shipment directly with the hotel. Shipping and other related logistical instructions will be sent to all tabletop exhibitors four weeks prior to the start date of the program.

## **Tabletop Exhibit Activities**

The exhibitor may demonstrate the company's equipment and make formal presentations regarding the product line or service in the booth. The exhibitor must confine all promotional activities to their booth. Sales calls to other exhibitors on the show floor are not permitted.

Exhibitor giveaways should be educational or modest in value.

## **Food and Beverage**

The distribution of food and/or beverage must be approved in advance by ASAM. Exhibitors may not dispense food of any kind, including bottled water of any type, without written permission from ASAM and the Renaissance Washington.

## **Photography in Tabletop Exhibit Hall**

The taking of photographs is strictly prohibited. Exhibitors interested in engaging a photographer for photos of their booth must contact show management for scheduling.

## **Sound Restrictions**

Electrical and other mechanical apparatus must be muffled so that noise does not disturb other exhibitors. Show management reserves the right to determine at what point sound and traffic constitutes interference with others and whether it must be discontinued.

## **General**

ASAM may defer or reject any application for any lawful reason in its sole discretion. By signing this Application, your organization agrees to comply with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations, including but not limited to laws, regulations, and policies administered by the Federal Food & Drug Administration and the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration. All matters and questions not covered by these regulations are subject to resolution at the discretion of ASAM. These regulations may be amended at any time by ASAM, and all amendments shall be equally binding on all parties upon publication.

## **Ethical Promotion and Patient Recruitment**

ASAM recognizes that individuals with addiction as well as their families and others who assist them to access treatment are vulnerable and at high risk for exploitation, particularly at times of crisis when treatment is sought. As such, treatment programs should be held to the highest standard of ethical practice in the marketing of their services and recruitment of patients.

By signing the Application, your organization agrees to use its best efforts to adhere to the terms of the ASAM Public Policy Statement on Ethical Promotion and Patient Recruitment by Addiction Treatment Programs found at: [https://www.asam.org/docs/default-source/public-policy-statements/ethical-promotion-of-treatment-programs-for-bod-vote-clean.pdf?sfvrsn=b82042c2\\_4](https://www.asam.org/docs/default-source/public-policy-statements/ethical-promotion-of-treatment-programs-for-bod-vote-clean.pdf?sfvrsn=b82042c2_4).

## **Termination**

ASAM reserves the right to terminate any accepted Application if the sponsor/exhibitor or its representatives or agents engage in any conduct, including but not limited to product promotion activities, that ASAM reasonably determines is unlawful or unethical or that ASAM otherwise reasonably determines would adversely affect the goodwill and reputation of the ASAM or its affiliates if the exhibitor were allowed to exhibit at the ASAM Review Course in Addiction Medicine. In the event of any such termination, ASAM will relinquish the sponsor/exhibitor contribution and return all unused funds. Upon expiration or termination, no further use may be made by the sponsor/exhibitor of ASAM's name without the written approval of ASAM.

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