Invitation to Join

Help shape the future of infection prevention

Continue your Commitment to Infection Prevention, Infection Preventionists, and APIC.

Being a part of the Strategic Partner Program allows your company to stand out as a corporate leader in support of infection prevention and control.

As a thought leader, leverage key relationships with colleagues in the profession, industry, and field at large.
Strategic Partner Program’s Transformational Value

...helping to bring about: strategic change, value-based innovation, forward-oriented movement, and long-range perspective through...

- Enhanced image of company among professionals, field, industry, and marketplace
- Visibility as a good “corporate citizen” and thought leader positioned to influence change
- Ability to have impactful participation in the leading scientific conference and trade show through sponsoring various signature events at APIC’s Annual Conference
- Recognition gained on national and international stage through acknowledgement in multiple APIC communications and website
- Opportunity to bring forward research and innovations

Strategic Partner Program Benefits and Value

Allocate $10,000 of your program dues to activities of your choosing from option provided

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT & VISIBILITY

“Proud Partner” logo provided by APIC: post the logo on your website and include it in company publications, like the Annual Report, to indicate your long-term commitment to infection prevention.

Acknowledgement on APIC.org: Through the year, APIC acknowledges this valuable partnership via a dedicated page on its website. Along with its logo, this page will contain a “Voice of Support” message from each Strategic Partner on its company’s commitment to infection prevention, advancing the field and supporting APIC through the Strategic Partner Program.

Full-Page Ads: in one issue per year of each of its leading and widely-disseminated publications, American Journal of Infection Control and Prevention Strategist, APIC will dedicate a full page in appreciation of and showcasing its strategic partners.

STRATEGIC PARTNER STATUS AT APIC ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Exhibit Space: Special access: priority booth selection provided a year in advance; discount on exhibit hall space; SP decals in exhibit hall

Recognition: Acknowledgement in marketing and onsite materials; venue for showcasing innovations

Registration: 4 complimentary full registrations

PRIME POSITIONING IN THE PROFESSION

APIC Membership: 10 free associate memberships / year to APIC. You may add an unlimited amount of associate members at the special dues rate of $150 / year.

APIC Career Center: Access to the best talent in the field through the use of twelve (12) free 30-day job listings on APIC’s Online Career Center.

Exposure to New CICs: The Competency Advancement Award Program, which supports individuals preparing for the Certification in Infection Control (CIC®) exam, is fully sponsored by the Strategic Partners. Scholarship recipients, as well as APIC membership at large, are fully informed of this support that helps to keep a versatile future pipeline of certified professionals in infection control. Strategic Partners will be invited to the CIC reception at the Annual Conference to be acknowledged and recognized for their support.
LEADING WITH LEADERSHIP DIALOGUE

**Industry Leadership Forum:** hosted biannually and facilitated by the APIC CEO and key board members, who report on demographics, public policy, regulatory landscape, unmet needs, emerging opportunities, etc. in infection prevention. Your participation in this forum allows you to demonstrate your leadership in the area and interact with industry colleagues for ongoing dialogue that helps inform the overall field.

**Opinion-Leader Calls:** hosted 3 times/year by APIC as opportunity to interact with key opinion leaders in infection control and epidemiology

**Government Affairs Calls:** hosted biannually by APIC’s Government & Regulatory Affairs Department to alert you to the latest Public Policy news and let you know when critical action is needed on a federal policy issues.

**NEW Consultative Web-based Calls:** twice a year, a panel of up to 3 members of the APIC board will make itself available in a consultative role to strategic partners seeking expert overall feedback on ongoing innovation and research projects.

**NEW APIC visits with Strategic Partners:** depending on need and logistics, option available to include a representative from the APIC board on visit by APIC to a strategic partner

Strategic Partner Program Added Value

- Live Focus Groups
- Online Surveys for Market Research
- Online Satellite Educational Sessions
- Online Gallery Display

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APIC’s mission is to create a safer world through prevention of infection. The association’s 15,000 members direct infection prevention programs that save lives and improve the bottom line for hospitals and other healthcare facilities. APIC advances its mission through patient safety, implementation science, competencies and certification, advocacy, and data standardization.

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