

Sponsor Contract

2012 THT Annual Conference



TEXAS HEALTHCARE TRUSTEES

VENDOR ATTENDANCE:

Vendor attendance is limited to those companies/firms participating for the respective events as a sponsor. Contact bstevens@tha.org for more information.

CONTACT INFORMATION: (please print)

Company Name (EXACTLY as you wish it to appear) _____

Contact Person _____ Title _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Telephone (area code) _____ Fax (area code) _____

Email _____ Website www. _____

CONFERENCE SPONSORSHIP:

- Platinum (\$7,500)
- Gold (\$5,000)
- Event (\$5,000)
- Silver (\$3,000)
- Bronze (\$1,500)
- Friend of THT (\$750)
(does not include exhibit)

GOLF TOURNAMENT SPONSORSHIP:

- Presenting (\$4,000)
- Partner (\$3,000)
- Players (\$2,500)
- Beverage Cart (\$2,500)
- Sign Sponsor (\$2,500)
- Golf Balls (\$2,000)
- Hole in One (\$2,000)
- Golf Cart Sponsor (\$1,500)
- Longest Drive (\$1,250)
- Closest to Pin (\$1,250)
- Straightest Drive (\$1,250)
- Hole Sponsor (\$1,000)

CONFERENCE SPONSOR ADD-ONS:

- Bags (\$1,500)
- Pens (\$1,500)
- Hotel Keys (\$1,500)
- Note Pads (\$1,500)
- Highlighters (\$1,500)
- Coffee Sleeve (\$1,500)
- Bag Inserts (\$500)

REGISTRATION:

For your level of sponsorship, please submit names, titles and e-mail addresses of representatives to servicecenter@tha.org, **by July 2.**

Golf sponsors, for your level of sponsorship, please submit names, titles and e-mail addresses of golf participants to servicecenter@tha.org, **by July 2.**

NOTE: Selection does not guarantee availability. Sponsor levels are limited and are offered on a first come, first served basis based on date **both** contract and payment are received. Full payment is required to reserve a selected level.

PAYMENT:

Full payment is required to reserve a selected level.

Summary of selections

Sponsor level amount: \$ _____

Sponsor add-on amount: \$ _____

Golf sponsorship amount: \$ _____

Total amount due: \$ _____

PAYMENT: Enclosed is my check payable to THT in the amount of \$ _____,

OR I authorize THT to charge my: Visa MasterCard American Express

Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Print Name as shown on card _____

Cardholder's Signature (must be signed to charge) _____

Billing Address of Cardholder (if different from above) _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

SPONSORSHIP GUIDELINES: THT reserves the right to determine the appropriateness of sponsorships and to limit the number of sponsors. Acceptance of sponsorship does not imply THT or THA endorsement of sponsor's products or services in any way.

Signature _____ Date _____

SEND CONTRACT TO:

Fax: 512/692-2653
Texas Hospital Association, Attn: Brian Stevens

FOR INFORMATION:

Brian Stevens
Phone: 512/465-1524
Mobile: 972/768-5755
bstevens@tha.org

IF PAYING BY CHECK, SEND PAYMENT AND COPY OF CONTRACT TO:

Texas Healthcare Trustees
P.O. 679010, Austin, TX 78767-9010

Sponsor Contract Terms and Conditions

- 1) **Complimentary Registrations:** Sponsoring companies qualify for a designated number of complimentary full conference registrations, which include all meals, breaks and educational sessions. The number of complimentary registrations is determined by sponsorship level.
- 2) **Exhibit Space:** Levels that include a display area receive a 6' skirted table with two chairs. Additional exhibitor services, such as electricity, are available through the JW Marriott San Antonio Hill Country Resort and Spa for an additional charge.
- 3) **Vendor Setup:** Move-in times are Thursday, July 26, 2012; 2 p.m. – 5 p.m. Move-out times are Saturday, July 28, 2012; 12 p.m. – 2 p.m. **No breakdown/move-out is permitted until after 12:00 p.m. July 28.**
- 4) **Exhibit Hours:** Friday, July 27, 2012; 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.; and Saturday, July 28, 2012; 7:00 a.m. – 12 p.m.
- 5) **Sponsor Recognition:** To be recognized in the onsite conference program and conference signage, sponsor contract must be received by THT with full payment by **June 15, 2012**. If applicable, artwork, including logos, must be received by THT by **June 15, 2012**.
- 6) **Attendee List:** Sponsors will receive a list of registrants prior to event and printed list will be given at event (per Texas Hospital Association/Texas Healthcare Trustees privacy policy, attendee emails are not provided).
- 7) **Website Listings:** All sponsors will be listed on the 2012 conference pages of the THT website.
- 8) **Contributions:** All sponsor contributions are voluntary. Sponsorships are accepted on a first come, first served basis based on date and time of the receipt of the contract. The Texas Healthcare Trustees reserves the right to limit the number of program sponsors, and may reject any sponsorship for any reason. THT reserves the right to refuse any sponsor that conflicts with the sponsorship public policies or applicable law. Fees collected prior to such refusal shall be returned to the sponsor within forty-five (45) days.
- 9) **Conduct of Exhibitors:** The purpose of the Texas Healthcare Trustees Annual Conference is to educate those persons employed and who volunteer in the health care field in the utilization and development of new products, equipment and/or services. This does not preclude the stimulation by exhibitors of interest in and demand for such products and/or services on the exhibit floor; however, actual selling or order-taking is expressly prohibited. All business activities of the exhibitor must be within the exhibitor's allocated exhibit space. In keeping with the nature of a health care professional meeting, undignified promotional methods and/or materials considered to be objectionable by THT are expressly prohibited. If food products are permitted to be served, the preparation of such foods cannot cause odors considered to be offensive or objectionable to other exhibitors or registrants. In no event shall food stuffs or beverages of any kind be served in individual servings larger than a bite-size sample of food or four ounces of liquid, respectively. Social functions sponsored by exhibitors must be scheduled at a time or place where they will not conflict with official convention activities scheduled by THT. THT is not responsible for loss or damage to the exhibitor for any cause and urges the exhibitor to exercise precautions to discourage damage or loss to the exhibit.
- 10) **Cancellation:** All sponsor cancellations must be submitted to THT exhibits management in writing. Cancellations received by THT on or before June 15, 2012, will be assessed a fee of 50 percent of the total sponsorship cost. No refunds will be given on cancellations received after this date. Notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary herein contained, the Texas Healthcare Trustees shall not be liable for any delay or inability to perform any obligation under this Agreement resulting from governmental emergency orders, judicial or governmental action, sabotage, riots, vandalism, labor strikes, or disputes, acts of God, fires, electrical failure, major computer hardware or software failures, acts of third parties, or any other cause, if such delay or inability to perform is beyond their reasonable control.

I have read and understand the contract terms and conditions.

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