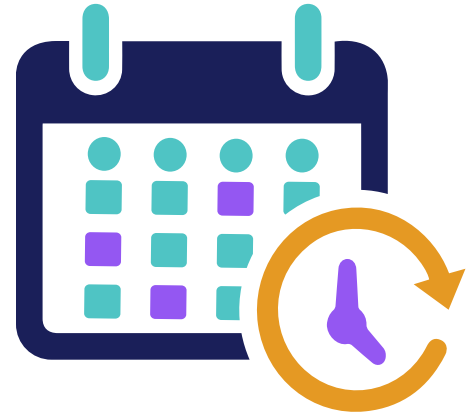




Chapters: Share Your Events with HSPA!



HSPA chapters provide excellent educational and networking opportunities, and it is beneficial to share details about upcoming and past events to drive greater participation and engagement.

HSPA reminds all chapter representatives to provide event details for inclusion in our two publications, *PROCESS* or *Insights*. Submissions for *PROCESS* may include details about upcoming events and those held recently. *Insights* submissions are limited to upcoming events. We send submission reminders for *PROCESS* to all chapter

representatives each publishing cycle, so watch for those emails and be sure to email your event summaries before the deadline stated in the HSPA email. For publishing consideration in *Insights*, which is sent to HSPA's membership every other Wednesday, submissions must be emailed to Editor-in-Chief Julie Williamson (jwilliamson@myhspa.org) no later than the Thursday before the following week's publishing date (for example, for a September 12 publishing date, content must be submitted by September 7).

HSPA and SMEs Begin Process to Update CRCST Exam



Back Row (left to right): Deborah Bunn, Tatyana Loughran (Prometric), Marcy Konja, Jenn Fediuk, Angela Benson, William Romo-Murphy, Donta Davis, Justin Heins, Casey Czarnowski, Johntay Macklin, Middle Row: Elaán Irons (HSPA), Siri Sorensen (HSPA), Adam Okada Front Row: Angie Martinez, Zhan You Li

HSPA held in-person test development meetings July 27–28 in Chicago. We are incredibly grateful for the 12 subject matter experts (SMEs) who participated and dedicated their valuable time and expertise. A job analysis is the first step toward an exam update; HSPA will send an email in September to explain how members can help pave the way for CRCST exam revisions. A pilot exam will take place in June 2024, and the updated exam content outline will be launched then. *Note: When preparing for the CRCST exam, either the eighth edition of the Central Service Technical Manual or the ninth edition of the Sterile Processing Technical Manual may be used through May 2024 (after that, only the ninth edition should be used).*