



**HEALTHCARE
STERILE PROCESSING**
ASSOCIATION

CHAPTER **RESOURCE** GUIDE



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OVERVIEW:

This chapter resource guide serves as a reference tool for the chapters and members of HSPA and addresses many aspects of running a chapter.

HSPA CHAPTERS

If you're looking for local or regional educational and networking opportunities, HSPA chapters are for you. HSPA chapters provide Sterile Processing (SP) professionals with an ideal opportunity to stay educated in the profession, participate in various chapter events and committees, and network with fellow SP peers in their region. Currently, there are more than 50 HSPA chapters across 40 states and five countries, a far-reaching presence that provides SP professionals in virtually any location with more direct access to meetings, educational events and networking opportunities.

CHAPTER LISTING

Chapter meetings and other educational and social events held throughout the year feature well-respected speakers who address a range of pertinent and timely topics impacting the SP profession. Vendor sponsors and exhibitors are also often on hand to educate attendees and share their latest product and service offerings. Collectively, chapter involvement affords an opportunity for SP professionals to build enduring relationships with their peers, while engaging in satisfying professional development programs that advance the SP discipline and foster continued chapter growth and success.

WITH GRATITUDE

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CHAPTERS 101

TYPES OF HSPA MEMBERSHIPS

ACTIVE

Active members are those who are employed in a healthcare Sterile Processing department (SPD).

ASSOCIATE

Associate members are those determined by virtue of their occupation to have an allied relationship with SPDs.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For more information on the benefits of HSPA membership, visit:

<https://myhspa.org/membership/member-benefits.html#MemberTypes>

MANAGING YOUR LOCAL CHAPTER: GUIDELINES AND RESOURCES

All HSPA constituent chapters act autonomously and are responsible for providing programs of regional interest, collecting local dues, and handling all business relevant to the chapter.

ANNUAL RECHARTER PROCESS

All HSPA chapters are required to complete the Annual Chapter Recharter by February 1 of each year to continue affiliation with HSPA.

Recharter form: [Recharter Form PDF](#)

FREQUENTLY ASKED CHAPTER QUESTIONS

Questions about chapters? Visit: https://myhspa.org/images/Chapter_Images/Chapter_Resources/FAQs.pdf

LOCAL CHAPTER OFFICER DUTIES

Examples of the basic duties and responsibilities of local chapter officers (on the local chapter's board) are as follows:

All Board Members:

- ◆ Agree to serve for the time of their appointment, if possible.
- ◆ Attend the majority of board meetings and contribute ideas to benefit the local chapter.
- ◆ Serve as a chairperson or coordinator on a local chapter committee if requested by the chapter President.
- ◆ Participate in projects of the local chapter if requested by the President. *Note: The Immediate Past-President may serve as an advisor to the board because of his/her past experience with the local chapter.*

President:

- ◆ The President should be familiar with the local chapter's bylaws and have a basic understanding of parliamentary procedure; however, it is important to be tactful and use common sense, especially with small groups and when board members are unfamiliar with parliamentary procedure.

Other potential duties and responsibilities of the President may include:

- ◆ Assisting board members in the planning and scheduling of chapter meetings.
- ◆ Coordinating correspondence with the local chapter secretary.
- ◆ Consistently complying with local chapter bylaws.
- ◆ Coordinating the formulation of a proposed annual budget.
- ◆ Coordinating the development of short- and long-term goals and the plans to attain them.

Vice President:

- ◆ Assist the President with his/her responsibilities when requested to do so.
- ◆ Act as chairperson, coordinator or advisor on committees as appointed by the President.

Secretary:

- ◆ Write appreciation letters to speakers, those organizing meetings, and the representatives of facilities that sponsor meetings.
- ◆ Assure the bylaw amendments and/or additions are recorded in the bylaws.
- ◆ Maintain each member's activity record.
- ◆ Send a welcome letter and membership certificate to new members and maintain a record of certificates distributed.
- ◆ Gather information from surveys and studies and input the results into a report form.

Treasurer:

- ◆ Maintain a balanced checkbook and proof of receipts, bills, bank statements, and other financial records.
- ◆ Assure that paid members have a current membership card.
- ◆ Prepare renewal notices to be sent to members.
- ◆ Submit records to auditors as directed by the local chapter's board.
- ◆ Develop reports of receipts, advertisements, assets, liabilities, and cash balances.

CONFERENCE PLANNING EXAMPLES, IDEAS & INFORMATION



What's a standard?

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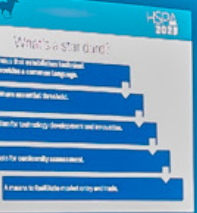
A statement of consensus that establishes technical specifications and provides a common language.

Provides a minimum essential threshold.

A foundation for technology development and innovation.

A basis for conformity assessment.

A means to facilitate market entry and trade.



TIMELINE PLANNING

| | |
|--|--------------------|
| Select date | 6 mo + /(22 weeks) |
| Select location | 6 mo + /(22 weeks) |
| Add to website/notify KHA | 6 mo + /(22 weeks) |
| Identify topics | 5 mo /(18 weeks) |
| Develop agenda | 5 mo /(18 weeks) |
| Contact speakers/confirmation letters or e-mails | 5 mo /(18 weeks) |
| Are CEs needed? | 5 mo /(18 weeks) |
| Develop budget | 5 mo /(18 weeks) |
| Draft brochure contents | 11 weeks |
| Brochure to designer or KHA | 10 weeks |
| Brochure to printer | 7 weeks |
| Mail brochure/email to membership | 6 weeks |
| Finalize details with hotel (food, AV, etc) | 5 weeks |
| Speaker follow-up (handouts, travel, etc) | 4 weeks |
| Start tracking registration | 4 weeks |
| Register speakers | 4 weeks |
| Check on sleep room pick-up at hotel | 4 weeks |
| Courtesy call to speakers (confirm AV) | 2 weeks |
| Copy handouts/draft evaluation | 1 week |
| Final count to hotel | 2-3 days |
| Prepare speaker introductions | 2-3 days |
| Print name tags, participant list, certificates | 1 day |

POST EVENT

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Enter any on-site registrations | 1 day post |
| Tabulate evaluations | 1 week post |
| Thank you letters to speakers, hotel, sponsors, endorsers | 1 week post |
| Complete CE requirements | 1 week post |
| Prepare financial summary | 1 month post |

PROGRAM BROCHURES

Dates

Hotel or meeting location information

- ◆ Facility name
- ◆ Address
- ◆ Phone number
- ◆ Hotel room block rate
- ◆ Hotel room block cut-off date

Agenda

- ◆ Start and stop times for each session
- ◆ Title for each session
- ◆ Speaker for each session
- ◆ Description for each session (if needed)

Speaker bio information (if included)

Special event info (if needed)

Registration form information

- ◆ Registration fees – member/non-member/special events
- ◆ Where to send registrations – do you accept fax and/or email?
- ◆ How to make checks payable
- ◆ Who to contact with questions
- ◆ Cancellation policy/refund policy

Continuing education information (what kind, number of hours)

List of board members (if included)

Logos to be included (send if designer doesn't have them)

CONFERENCE PLANNING CONTINUED

EXAMPLE BUDGET PLANNING

1-DAY WORKSHOP AT HOTEL

Fixed Costs

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Speaker fees/honorariums | |
| Speaker travel | 3,000.00 |
| Facility costs – rental and AV | 1,000.00 |
| Brochure/postage | 1,500.00 |
| Staff travel | 500.00 |
| Total | 6,000.00 |

Variable Costs (Per Attendee)

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Supplies (badge, certificate, folder, etc.) | 2.00 |
| Facility costs - food | 40.00 |
| Handouts | 5.00 |
| Total | 47.00 |

200 Estimated Attendees

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Fixed costs per person | 30.00 |
| Variable costs per person | 47.00 |
| Total | 77.00 |

100 Estimated Attendees

| | |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Fixed costs per person | 60.00 |
| Variable costs per person | 47.00 |
| Total | 107.00 |

50 Estimated Attendees

| | |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Fixed costs per person | 120.00 |
| Variable costs per person | 47.00 |
| Total | 167.00 |

HOTEL CONTRACTS

Sleeping rooms

Are dates of meeting accurate?

Does the tentative agenda fit with what you want to do?

Is the amount of space reserved match up with anticipated attendance?

Are room rental fees being charged?

- ◆ Is the number of rooms reserved realistic?
- ◆ Is the rate information clear?
- ◆ Does it explain how attendees make reservations?
- ◆ Is there a cut-off date?
- ◆ Is there any attrition charged for rooms not utilized?

Catering

Is the contract clear on when you can cancel and what kind of penalties may be imposed for cancellation?

Does the contract include a clause about pandemic events?

Is it clear on how billing for the event will be handled?

- ◆ Do you have a menu to anticipate what food charges will be?
- ◆ Are the catering needs listed on the contract accurate and realistic?
- ◆ Is there any attrition for anticipated food and beverage not being met?



PACKING LISTS

- ◆ Education program agendas
- ◆ Handouts
- ◆ Evaluation forms
- ◆ Financial report for meeting (who still needs to pay)
- ◆ Membership roster (for verification – if needed)
- ◆ Participant lists
- ◆ Name tags/badge holders
- ◆ Sign-in sheets
- ◆ Certificates of attendance
- ◆ Registration form for walk-ins
- ◆ Name tags for speakers
- ◆ Signage
- ◆ Membership forms
- ◆ Hotel/meeting location information [contracts, Banquet Event Orders (BEOs), etc.]
- ◆ Speaker contact information
- ◆ Supply packet
 - ◆ Tape
 - ◆ Scissors
 - ◆ Pens
 - ◆ Paper clips
 - ◆ Sticky notes
 - ◆ Notepad
 - ◆ Receipt book
 - ◆ Blank nametags
 - ◆ Marker
- ◆ AV
- ◆ Scripts
- ◆ Staff assignment list

SPEAKER INFO

Program: _____

Speaker: _____

Time slot: _____

Room location: _____

Microphone: ☐ handheld wireless ☐ lapel
☐ wired on stand ☐ podium

☐ PowerPoint

☐ Speaker is bringing PowerPoint

☐ Speaker is sending in advance via email or dropbox (load on laptop/take back up)

☐ Speaker is ok sharing presentation as handouts

☐ Laptop (test presentation to ensure it it functions properly)

☐ Audio connection for laptop

☐ Screen

☐ Power strip and extension cord

☐ Flip chart

☐ Internet

☐ Podium

EVALUATION EXAMPLES

(1 = strongly disagree; 5 = strongly agree)

The agenda covered topics of interest to me.

The round table discussions provided useful information.

Attending this meeting was a good use of my time.

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How did you learn about this event?
(website, email, brochure, word of mouth, etc.)

I will attend this event again.
(Yes, No, Maybe)

Why did you come to this event?
(education, networking, boss made me, personal development, continuing education)

What suggestions do you have for improving this event?

Which topics would you like to see at future events?

Do you have any additional comments or suggestions you would like to share?

VIRTUAL MEETING BEST PRACTICES

1) Before Scheduling Your Meeting

Answer these questions:

- ◆ Date of meeting, start time, duration
- ◆ Anticipated number of people
- ◆ What is the meeting's title?
- ◆ Will the call portion be open lines or operator assisted?
- ◆ There will need to be some kind of registration process, so we know where to send connection instructions.
 - ◆ Who will do that?
- ◆ Will there be any handouts that need to be sent to participants in advance, along with connection instructions?
 - ◆ Who will provide them?
- ◆ Will the speaker(s) be with you or in a remote location?
- ◆ Do we need to do training in advance with speakers?

Communicate. Bring your answers to the questions above to KHA Education department, so they can advise you on the appropriate platform for your needs. They can assist you with estimating costs, so you can be sure this fits into your budget.

2) Before the Meeting

- ◆ **Test.** Download and try needed software if you have never used that platform. Schedule a test with staff/speakers. Conduct the test while sitting in the same place you will be for the meeting.
- ◆ **Stage.** Have a wall behind you instead of an open room. Make sure your room lighting is bright, so you can be seen easily. If you have light in front of you rather than behind you, people will see you more clearly. Set the angle of the camera so your face is centered on screen, but not too big to be uncomfortable for participants.
- ◆ **Connect.** Consider hardwiring your internet connection to avoid Wi-Fi issues.
- ◆ **Listen.** Use a headset or ear buds to cut down on background noise and hear more clearly. Double-check the audio and visual settings before launching the meeting.
- ◆ **Assign.** Set roles before beginning the meeting, so someone else can take notes and stay aware of the time if you are the presenter.
- ◆ **Dress.** Make sure you look professional from the waist up. Collared shirts in plain colors and limited jewelry are recommended.

3) At the Time of the Meeting

- ◆ **Promote.** Ensure all speakers are able to present before the meeting start time.
- ◆ **Focus.** Reduce interference by closing the door to the room and turning off all external sound, including your phone. Announce possible distractions from sounds that you cannot eliminate or control (i.e., nearby children, pets or construction crews).
- ◆ **Verify.** Log in to the meeting 10 minutes before the start time to check that you are able to successfully join the online meeting and that your systems are running properly.
- ◆ **Record.** Have a printed attendee list and verify attendance, so you know when your meeting is ready to start.

4) Actively Participate During the Meeting

- ◆ Look at the computer when other people are speaking.
- ◆ When you have the floor and are doing the talking, look at the camera, so others can feel more engaged with you.
- ◆ Refrain from checking your email.
- ◆ Close unnecessary internet tabs and other apps prior to the start of the meeting.
- ◆ Do not eat or chew gum during the meeting.
- ◆ Maintain the flow of the meeting, so you can mute or unmute participants and speakers, as necessary.
- ◆ **Pause.** Remember, there is usually a two- to three-second delay between you and the others in the meeting, so after you speak, wait for a response.
- ◆ **Enunciate.** Microphones, speakers and Wi-Fi issues can make it more difficult to hear people during virtual meetings, so speak clearly.
- ◆ **Share.** When someone is speaking, avoid interrupting.
- ◆ **Quiet.** Mute yourself and eliminate background noises when you are not speaking. Realize that keyboard sounds are especially loud to other participants unless you use ear buds. Consider taking notes with paper and pen if ear buds are not available.
- ◆ **Stop.** If you need to leave the meeting or take another call, mute yourself and turn off your video.

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SOCIAL MEDIA



IFU FOR SOCIAL MEDIA

Involve for Understanding. Interact for Unity.

Instagram, Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter, TikTok. The list goes on and on. Social media platforms afford us an opportunity to connect with those around us.

Q. WHAT IS A NICHE?

A. A niche represents the segment of the market to which you want to offer your services. Although this feels very sales-y, it is important to be able to speak to the individuals or groups you will want to attract to your content. Remember, speaking to “everyone” is like speaking to no one on the internet. If our message isn’t specific, it will become a background noise amongst the hum of content creation.

Q. HOW DO I DETERMINE MY NICHE?

A. A niche is defined by whom you want to serve. Think of the individual or group you want to connect with. Who are they? What problem are they having? How can you help them? What purpose can they offer your group? Why would they want to interact with you? Answering these questions raises empathy and allows you to better understand how they can be served most effectively.

Q. WHAT IS ENGAGEMENT?

A. Engagement is a verb; an ACTION. To engage means to get involved. This requires purposeful strategy and consistent execution. Posting and delivering consistent content will promote the social media account in the algorithm and allow for more individuals to see it. Engagement is a two-way street. Actively interacting with your niche’s posts, comments, and other social media content is also engagement. Liking a photo, commenting on a post, and interacting with comments in a post’s thread are actionable engagement styles. Don’t be shy. Get in there!

Q. WHAT IS A HASHTAG?

A. A hashtag is your connection to like-minded individuals. When you utilize a # before a key term, word or phrase, it identifies and assigns digital content to a specific topic. The internet is a big place and when you use hashtags effectively, you make your content (i.e., post, blog, comment) searchable to an individual that is trying to source information specifically to it.

Q. HOW DO I CHOOSE HASHTAGS?

A. There is a certain level of ease that comes with utilizing hashtags. The end user simply goes into the social media platform of their choice and searches it in the search bar. Choosing hashtags that link you to the individuals who you will want to see your posts is also strategic. Although generic terms like #goals may pertain to what is being posted, it will also apply to many other posts. When posts are linked to a hashtag, it creates a feed that is refreshed every time another post with the same hashtag is created; therefore, our #goals post would be quickly moved down the feed and lost among all the other content flooding in.

Q. WHAT IS A HASHTAG STRATEGY?

A. A hashtag strategy is the technique and planning adopted to effectively use hashtags in content creation. There is nothing like creating an amazing post and having it get lost among the endless posts on social media and the internet. By developing a strategy for the type of hashtags that will be linked to your comment, you can be sure your post doesn’t become lost or buried.

Q. WHAT SHOULD I CONSIDER FOR MY HASHTAGS?

A. There are many variables to consider when utilizing hashtags effectively. The social media platform’s algorithm will play a significant role in this. Instagram allows up to 30 hashtags on a single post, while Facebook doesn’t promote a post when more than 15 are used. LinkedIn is better served when the hashtags are short and sweet and kept to a maximum of five or six.

CHAPTER SUCCESS ON LINKEDIN

WHY LINKEDIN?

- ◆ Professionals who are serious and curious about professional development are on this platform.
- ◆ Your chapter can network and grow exponentially.
- ◆ You are allotted unlimited opportunities to market your chapter, and it's FREE (aside from a time investment).

HOW TO CREATE YOUR CHAPTER (BUSINESS) PAGE

1. Nominate the top three members in your chapter who have a relevant/growing network to be Page Administrators.
 2. Log into selected members' profiles and click the "WorkTab" in the upper right.
 3. Go to "Create a Company Page" and follow the prompts.
- ◆ Use your logo to create a 300 x 300 pixel profile image and create a banner image 1128 x 191 pixels (this is easiest from your desktop).
 - ◆ Use a free design app like Canva to design these.
 - ◆ Keep the design clear, concise and simple. Avoid creative or script fonts.

- ◆ Go to "Admin Tools" and add the other two individuals who will be allowed to contribute, edit, invite and access your LinkedIn business page.

4. Verify all chapter members; then, go to their personal profile under "Add Experience" and place your newly created page as a featured role.

FREQUENCY

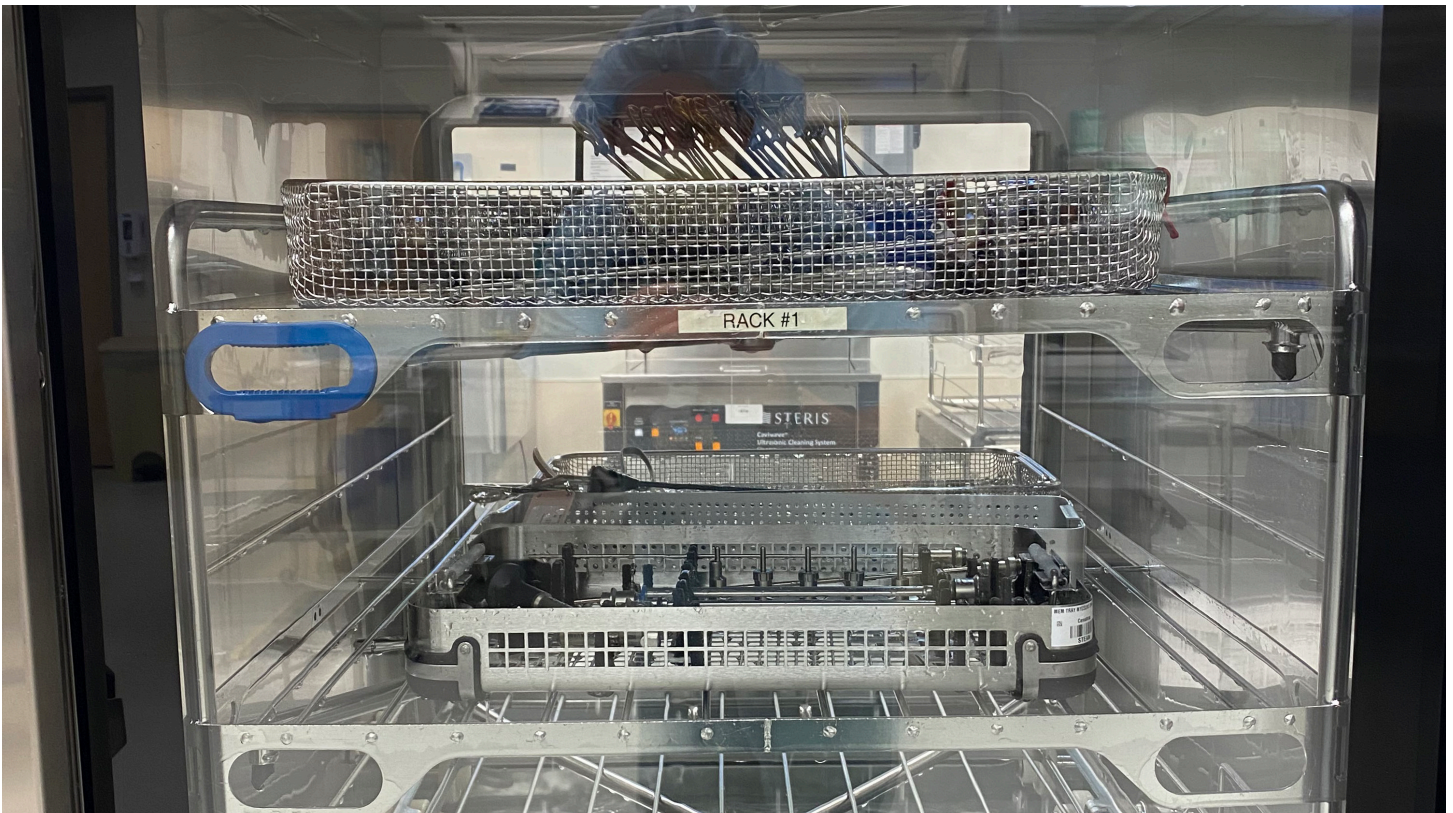
- ◆ Collaborate with your nominated members and aim to create 2–3 pieces of content weekly.
- ◆ Have chapter members share posts to personal pages (this creates organic and targeted growth).

TOP 3 POST IDEAS

1. Upcoming events/chapter meetings
2. Photos from events: Multi-image posts perform best. Brighten up the image pre-post and add your logo.
3. Educational content: This can be key takeaways from your meeting; recorded events, current SP news, CE opportunities, etc.

PRO TIP

Under Admin Tools, the designated Admin can invite 100 people monthly to follow your page.



INDUSTRY EDUCATION & RESOURCES

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Aesculap

Aesculap's Clinical Education Programs provide many opportunities for you and your perioperative staff to maintain credentials, improve competency and gain valuable knowledge in your field. Our programs offer you multiple ways to obtain CE credits, remain up to date with current SPD and OR best practices and optimize employee satisfaction and retention. Aesculap partners with Pfiedler Education to provide several educational offerings. We provide live or virtual seminar presentations, multi-program live workshops and "boot camps, and online self-paced programs. Aesculap specialists and consultants are trained to help you determine the programs and venues that best suit your facility's needs at no additional cost to you. In order to learn more about what courses we offer and contact someone from Aesculap Academy to help coordinate education.

Contact: <https://www.aesculapusa.com/en/healthcare-professionals/aesculap-academy/clinical-education-programs.html>



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Contact: instructors@agilitihealth.com

ASP

ASP can provide in-person or remote/virtual education on a variety of topics. Each presentation is worth 1.0 CE. Please complete the attached form and an ASP Clinical Education Consultant (CEC) will be in contact with you to review the program details.

Contact: regina.hammond@asp.com



Beyond Clean

Beyond Clean will partner with HSPA chapters to host virtual webinar series, half-day, or full-day virtual conferences. Our event platform allows for on-demand viewing of each educational event and we can work with each chapter to host the content on their Chapter website, if desired. Beyond Clean will source sponsors and speakers, help promote the event, and host the event- a free and easy way to engage current and new members. Chapter organizers can be involved as much as they'd like in these responsibilities. Our goal is to assist HSPA chapters in providing members with forward-thinking educational content that engages and excites them and ultimately fuels their passion for Sterile Processing.

Contact: info@beyondclean.net

INDUSTRY **EDUCATION** & RESOURCES

Case Medical

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Contact: <http://www.casemed.com/index.php/resources/education>



Healthmark a Getinge company

Healthmark can provide in-person or remote education on a wide range of sterile processing and infection prevention topics for events ranging from 1.0 hr. programs to full day offerings. We have nationally renowned speakers who can present on a variety of topics. Please complete the following form and a Healthmark educator will be in contact with you to review the program details.

Contact: <https://www.hmark.com/request-a-speaker-form/>



Medline

In addition to the complete Central Sterile portfolio that Medline offers, we recognize the importance of continued education both in-person and virtual. We have an array of resources that include best practices in reprocessing as well as online resources and videos to offer you support. Medline has dedicated specialist team who can assist with your educational needs as well as offering over 200 CE courses through our Medline University with 21 courses specifically designed for Sterile Processing. Please contact us with any questions, we look forward to hearing from you.

Contact: CentralSterileProduc@medline.com



Pure Processing

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Contact: <https://pure-processing.com/education/>



Skytron

Skytron can provide 1 hour clinical education on Ultrasonic Cleaning & Verification as well as UVC Disinfection. We have subject matter experts in these arenas that can shed knowledge and light to your teams, virtually or in person. Come gain CEs and elevate your own expertise today.

Contact: infectionprevention@skytron.com or 1-800-759-8766



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Solventum

Solventum helps transform outcomes through patient-centered science. Solventum focuses on providing better care through patient-centered science. Helping transform outcomes by restoring patients' lives through innovation. From our leading negative pressure and surgical incision management technologies to our comprehensive line of skin and advanced wound care solutions, we are focused on helping you provide the best care for your patients, resulting in the best possible outcomes.

Contact: <https://www.solventum.com/en-us/home/our-company/contact-us/#get-in-touch-with-solventum>



SteelcoBelimed

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Contact: clinicaledu.us@steelcobelimed.com



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