

Schedule-at-a-Glance

All educational sessions, lunches and exhibits occur in the West Building of McCormick Place Convention Center. Please reference the schedule for events occurring off-property.

DAILY (Beginning Saturday, April 25)

7am - 5pm Registration/Information Desk Open
Main Concourse, Third Floor

SATURDAY, APRIL 25

LABS AND WORKSHOPS

The following Labs and Workshops repeat 4 times:

**9am - 10am, 10:15am - 11:15am,
1pm - 2pm, 2:15pm - 3:15pm**

All Wrapped Up: The Role of Packaging in the
Delivery of Sterile Products to the Patient

Room TBD

Competency: It's Not Just a Checklist
Anymore

Room TBD

How to Write a Successful Manual
Cleaning Policy

Room TBD

Manufacturer's Instructions for Use:
I Have Them, Now What?

Room TBD

Borescope

Room TBD

ATP Testing (Instruments and Environment)

Room TBD

AAMI TIR34: Water for Reprocessing
Medical Devices

Room TBD

The following Workshop repeats 2 times:

9am - 10am and 10:15am - 11:15am

Insulation Testing

Room TBD

The following Workshops are held 1 time each:

1pm - 2pm

Legislative Workshop 101

Room TBD

2:15pm - 3:15pm

Writing / Fellowship Workshop

Room TBD

The following sessions require separate registration and fees:

8am-1pm **STERILE PROCESSING MANAGEMENT**
OR **WORKSHOP**

12pm-5pm **STRENGTHSFINDER WORKSHOP**

**12pm-
4:45pm** **EDUCATORS FORUM**

SUNDAY, APRIL 26

8am - 9am **OPENING REMARKS**

Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor

9am - 10am **OPENING KEYNOTE: Coming Soon!**

Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor

10:15am - **GENERAL SESSION**

11:15am

Medical Device IFU Validations:
What's Going on Behind the Scenes?
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor

11:30am - **WELCOME LUNCH**

12:45pm

Skyline Ballroom DE, Third Floor

1pm - 2pm **GENERAL SESSION**

Advocacy Program
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor

2:15pm - **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**

3:15pm

Protective Clothing: All Gowns are Not
Created Equal
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor

Leaders Eat Last: Building a Strong Culture
Through 'Corps Values'

Room TBD

How Much? What Happened? Costs & Safety
of Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Procedures
Room TBD

Cleaning: The Human Factor
Room TBD

3:30pm -

4:30pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Communicate! It's Service Excellence
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor

Identification & Prevention of Surface
Alterations on Surgical Instruments Caused
by Waterborne Minerals

Room TBD

UDI Panel Presentation
Room TBD

Upping Your Game for Quality Control in SPD
and Endoscopy
Room TBD

7pm

OPENING RECEPTION

Hyatt Regency Wacker Drive

MONDAY, APRIL 27

- 7:30am - 8am** **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**
10 Must-Have Skills for Frontline Central Sterile Colleagues
Room TBD
Topic TBD
Room TBD
- 8:15am - 9:15am** **GENERAL SESSION**
A Guide to the Guidelines: Understanding the AORN Guidelines to periOperative Practice
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor
- 9:30am - 10:30am** **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**
Demystifying Standards: AAMI ST79 - A Journey into Newly Released AAMI Standards and TIRs
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor
Washer Disinfectors: What Goes into a Successful Cycle?
Room TBD
Critical Facts: Vaporized H2O2 Low Temp Sterilization
Room TBD
TBD
Room TBD
Sunday Concurrent Session Video Replays
Room TBD
- 10:45am - 11:45am** **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**
What's New with AAMI ST91? Have You Heard of the Updates?
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor
Crash Course on Process Monitoring and Testing
Room TBD
Audit and Assess: How to Optimize Your SPD
Room TBD
Endoscope Drying: A Detailed Look at Method Effectiveness and Microbial Levels
Room TBD
Sunday Concurrent Session Video Replays
Room TBD
- 11:45am - 12:45pm** **ATTENDEE LUNCH**
Skyline Ballroom DE, Third Floor
- 1pm - 5pm** **EXPOSITION**
Hall F1, Third Floor
- 6:30pm - 7:30pm** **RECEPTION**
Hyatt Regency Wacker Drive

TUESDAY, APRIL 28

- 7:30am - 8am** **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**
What Do I Do with These Dental Instruments?
Room TBD
Making the Decision to Go Off-Site
Room TBD
- 8am - 12pm** **EXPOSITION**
Hall F1, Third Floor
- 12:15pm - 1:15pm** **ATTENDEE BOXED LUNCHES**
Skyline Ballroom DE, Third Floor
- 1:30pm - 2:30pm** **GENERAL SESSION**
Flexible Endoscope Safety: Evidence-based Advocacy for Quality Management
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor
- 2:45pm - 3:45pm** **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**
AAMI Roundtable: Chamberside Chat
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor
How to Evaluate Stains After Steam Sterilization
Room TBD
The Inside View: Internal Endoscope Anatomy and Its Relationship to Effective Reprocessing
Room TBD
Good Germs vs Bad Germs: Our Own Microbiome
Room TBD
Monday Concurrent Session Video Replays
Room TBD
- 4pm - 5pm** **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**
Partners in Prevention: Building the Bond with Infection Prevention
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor
Is Work/Life Balance a Real Thing?
Room TBD
Biological Indicators: The Key to Uncompromised Patient Safety
Room TBD
The "Why" Behind What We Are Required to Do in SPD
Room TBD
Monday Concurrent Session Video Replays
Room TBD

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29

- 8:30am - 9:30am** **GENERAL SESSION**
The Optimal Sterile Processing Department: Blending Technology with Expertise
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor
- 9:45am - 10:45am** **GENERAL SESSION**
The Joint Commission Update
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor
- 11am - 11:15am** **CLOSING REMARKS**
Passing of the Gavel
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor
- 11:15am - 12:15pm** **CLOSING KEYNOTE: Steven Pemberton**
Skyline Ballroom ABC, Third Floor