



American College of Nurse-Midwives

60th Annual Meeting & Exhibition

June 27-July 1, 2015 | Washington DC Area GAYLORD NATIONAL RESORT & CONVENTION CENTER







Join Our 2015 Exhibit Hall At The Gaylord National!

CNMs and CMs play a leading role in women's health care and are well-positioned to play an even more prominent role in years to come. Capitalize on this opportunity to reach an audience of nearly 2000 key players in women's health, the colleagues they work with every day, and the women they serve.

Exhibit

Booths were assigned during the 2014 Annual Meeting on a priority point basis. Booth assignments are now being offered on a first come, first served basis. Follow the instructions provided at http://bit.ly/1g5XWfR to register online.

Organization Type	Booth Type	Early Bird Until May 30, 2014	Advance Rate June 1, 2014 thru March 6, 2015	Regular Fee After March 6, 2015
Corporate, Commercial, Company, Hospital	10' x 10' Prime	\$2,500	\$2,600	\$2,900
	10' x 10'	\$2,200	\$2,300	\$2,600
Government Agency,	10' x 10'	\$2,200	\$2,300	\$2,600
Non-profit*	8' x 10'	\$1,500	\$1,600	\$1,800
Tabletop Exhibit**	6' skirted table	\$900	\$1,000	\$1,200
ACNM Affiliate, ACME- accredited Midwifery Education Program	8' x 10' only or tabletop	\$600	\$700	\$900

^{* 501(}c)3 or 501(c)6. Proof of non-profit status is required; please forward a copy of incorporation papers when you apply. **Tabletop exhibits are reserved for companies with 5 or fewer people and in business for 5 or fewer years.

Included for Booths and Tabletops:

- One 6' table draped and skirted, 2 chairs, wastebasket
- 8' high backwall and 3' high side wall (tabletops excluded, but will have 8' drape backwall)
- Standard 7" x 44" identification sign
- 24-hour security service
- 1 full conference badge, and 2 complimentary staff badges (tabletops excluded)

- Product/service listing in Final Program (if received by deadline)
- Exhibit Hall reception, lunches, and refreshments during regular Hall open hours
- * Carpeting not included and must be supplied at exhibitor's cost

DON'T MISS OUT!

The 2014 Exhibit Hall sold out—ensure your participation in next year's 60th Annual Meeting in the Washington, DC area, and take advantage of reduced rates by signing up early!

Exhibit Schedule

Move In:

- Saturday, June 27, 2:00-5:00рм
- Sunday, June 28, 8:00AM-1:00PM

Show Hours:

- Sunday, June 28, 4:00-6:00pm
- Monday, June 29, 11:30AM-3:30PM
- Tuesday, June 30, 9:30AM-2:00PM

Exhibitor Move Out:

Tuesday, June 30, 2:15-6:00рм

Floor Plan

View available, sold, and reserved booths and choose your preferred location on ACNM's active floor plan at http:// bit.ly/1yJL0HT.

Payment

Payment is not due when you request your booth or table. After you submit your application, you will receive a confirmation followed by a link to log in and make your payment. Payments can be made online. ACNM accepts payment via check, Visa, MasterCard, or American Express. A 50% non-refundable deposit must be received within 30 days of being sent your login to the online portal. Final balance is due within 60 days to reserve your booth of choice. All booths must be paid in full by March 6, 2015. No refunds will be given for space cancelled after that date. After March 6, 2015, all new booth registrations must be paid in full.

Midwifery Market

Space in the Midwifery Market (located within the Exhibit Hall) is limited and assigned according to date received and availability. Complete your application for space at http://bit.ly/1g5XWfR.

Tabletop Type	Tabletop Size	Advance Registration*	Regular Registration*
Midwifery Market Table	One Space	\$375	\$450
	Two Spaces (side-by-side)	\$725	\$775

^{*} ACNM Affiliates and non-profit organizations receive a \$50 discount for 1 table.

Included for Midwifery Market Tables:

- One 8' table
- 2 chairs
- Overhead sign
- Wastebasket
- 2 Exhibit Hall personnel badges (for Hall access only)

Midwifery Market Schedule

Move In:

- Monday, June 29, 8:00-10:30AM
- * Additional hours for Sunday move-in can be arranged by appointment as needed.

Show Hours:

- Monday, June 29, 11:30AM-3:30PM
- Tuesday, June 30, 9:30ам-2:00рм

Midwifery Market Move Out:

Tuesday, June 30, 2:15-6:00рм

Payment

Payment is not due when you request your table. After you submit your application, you will receive a confirmation followed by a link to log in and make your payment. Payments can be made online. ACNM accepts payment via check, Visa, MasterCard, or American Express. A 50% non-refundable deposit must be received within 30 days of being sent your login to the online portal. Final balance is due within 60 days to reserve your booth of choice. No refunds will be given for space cancelled after that date.

Want Exposure Year-Round?

Gold Level—\$10,000 Bronze Level —\$3,750

ACNM in a BIG way! Gold level comes with a complimentary 10'x10' booth at the 2015 Annual Meeting, Bronze level comes with a 50% discount for your booth. Contact Tana Stellato to learn more at ACNMmeeting@stellatosolutions.com.

Can't wait until next year?

Sponsor at Midwifery Works! 2014, ACNM's annual fall business meeting, October 16-19, 2014 in Chicago.

- Table Top on display for 3 days—**\$1500**
- Networking Welcome **Reception** on Thursday, October 16—\$3000
- Break on Friday, October 17 or Saturday, October 18—\$2,500 Includes ACNM recognition at podium, signage, and table top during that break.
- Continental breakfast on Friday, October 17, Saturday break, October 18, or Sunday, October 19—\$3,500 Includes recognition at podium, signage, and table top for that day only.
- **Lunch** on Friday, October 17 or Saturday, October 18—\$4,500 *Includes ACNM recognition at* podium, signage, table top for that day only and material at tables.

If you are interested in any of these opportunities, please contact Krystal Bushell at krystal@ stellatosolutions.com.



Sponsorship Opportunities

If you are interested in any of these exclusive sponsorship opportunities, contact Tana Stellato at 301.996.5316 or StellatoSolutions@gmail.com for further information.
All sponsors receive recognition in ACNM newsletters, Final Program, Annual Meeting website, onsite banners, and slides at various meetings.



CEU Tracking Station — \$4000

The tracking station is a service that members appreciate for months after the Annual Meeting. Your company's logo will be on the front page of

the CEU Tracking Site. A certificate of attendance will be available on demand for all attendees to print out, and as a sponsor, you will be acknowledged for providing this invaluable service.



Town Square/ Internet Lounge — \$5500

Attendees visit the Internet Lounge to check e-mail and network with colleagues during open hours

of the exhibit hall. Sponsor's name, logo, website, and booth number will appear on the home page of all computer screens located in the lounge. Includes signage acknowledging sponsor throughout the lounge.



Registration Bag— \$6000

Place your name, logo, and website on the official ACNM 60th Annual Meeting & Exhibition conference bags, which will also depict the ACNM logo.

Includes one insert valued at \$1250.

Registration Bag Inserts—\$1250

Insert promotional materials into official conference bags distributed to attendees at registration. Literature may be printed on both sides and should measure no larger than 8 ½" x 11." All items will be subject to approval. You provide your printed item and are responsible for shipping and handling.



Welcome Banner — \$2000

Welcome attendees to Washington, DC with an ACNM Annual Meeting & Exhibition banner with your company logo displayed



Mobile App —\$4000

The mobile app is used by hundreds of meeting attendees. This sole sponsorship will provide great exposure through banner ads and front page recognition, and you'll receive a final report showing how often your company information was accessed.

Educational Sponsorship Opportunities

In addition to these opportunities, sponsors may support an already-scheduled workshop, speaker, and/or education session. At a minimum, this includes speaker transportation costs, handout materials, hotel accommodations, and speaker honorariums.

Opening General Session Speaker— \$3500

This sponsorship ties your organization's name with a highprofile guest and helps pay for speaker fees, travel stipends, and honoraria. Your company will be acknowledged as the host of the speaker during the session.

Premier Speakers— \$2000

Nationally known speakers will address major clinical issues in women's health. Sponsors are acknowledged by signage, within Program Highlights (ACNM's promotional mailing, if received by December 1, 2014), and on screen. Your company will be acknowledged as the host of the speaker during the session.

Exam Prep Workshop for Student Midwives— \$4000

Student midwives are recognized by the College as an integral and valued element of the membership, representing the future of the profession. These events provide students with an opportunity to discuss issues of importance to them, as well as time to interact with each other and the ACNM Board of Directors

Research Poster Presentations and Awards or Student Poster Challenge—\$1500

These scientific poster presentations are chosen by the ACNM Division of Research. The posters provide invaluable insight and information to meeting registrants on the current and developing technologies and procedures that influence the practice of midwifery.

Additional Sponsorship Opportunities—

Display your corporate logo on these exclusive opportunities:

Badge Holders — \$3000

Escalator Clings — \$2500

Hotel Key Card — \$4000

Official Conference Pens — \$1500

(plus the cost of pens)

Event Sponsorship Opportunities

Opening Reception — \$10,000 co-hosted with ACNM or \$5000 shared

Kick off the meeting with your company logo displayed at the Opening Reception. Customized entitlements will be offered for this sponsorship.

Awards Dinner and Midwifery Celebration Party — \$10,000 co-hosted with ACNM or \$5000 shared

Treat attendees to an evening of letting loose in honor of the midwifery profession. Your corporate logo will be projected on the dance floor and displayed on the giant screens. Imprinted napkins with your logo will be placed at bar station.

Networking Lunch — \$8000

Corporate logo displayed at the lunch and on napkins in Exhibit Hall. Includes signs acknowledging sponsor.

ACNM Affiliates Leadership Meeting — \$5000

More than 70 CNMs and CMs who plan local meetings, provide clinical education, and have the potential to serve in national leadership positions are offered the opportunity to expand their knowledge and expertise in this program.

Coffee Break — \$2500-\$4000

Refresh attendees between events and education sessions with coffee cups or napkins displaying your corporate logo.

President's Reception — \$3000

Let the ACNM president acknowledge your company at this special invitation-only event. Corporate logo will be displayed in a prominent location.

Product Theater and Symposium Sessions

Sessions are offered to previous year sponsors on a first refusal basis. If interested in hosting one of these "limited offer" events, contact Tana Stellato at 301.996.5316 to be placed on a waiting list (first come first served). Fees range from \$4500-\$7200 depending on event.



Advertising Opportunities

ACNM offers advertising options in the Annual Meeting Final Program, *On Location* (the onsite newsletter), and *Quickening* (the quarterly newsletter of ACNM).

See pricing and deadlines below:

Quickening

Continue your 20% exhibitor discount year-round on advertising in the quarterly newsletter of ACNM, mailed to members before and after the Annual Meeting.

Two-color or black and white. Estimated circulation 7500+. E-mail quick@acnm.org for more information.

Final Program

Comprehensive meeting guide distributed to all attendees onsite. Black and white. Estimated circulation, 1900.

On Location

ACNM Annual Meeting newsletter distributed to all attendees onsite. Full color. Estimated circulation, 1900.

ACNM offers a variety of advertising opportunities

throughout the year. Ask about ACNM's Industry Partner Program, which comes with many benefits including discounts on exhibit space, sponsorships, and advertising. See all the ways you can reach out to our members at www.midwife.org/advertising.



Ad Location and Specs	Final Program To 1900 attendees		Quickening (Select spring or summer issue) To 7000+ members		On Location To 1900 attendees		Combo Package*
Deadline	5/1/2015		Pre-Meeting 3/1/2015 Post- Meeting 6/1/2015		5/1/2015		varies
Back Cover (7.375 x 9.75 inches)	\$1200	+	n/a		\$2000	20% discount =	\$2560
Full Page (7.375 x 9.75 inches)	\$800	+	\$1200	OR	\$1300	20% discount =	\$1600
Half Page (7.375 x 4.75 inches)	\$400	+	\$700	OR	\$700	20% discount =	\$900
Quarter Page (3.625 x 4.875 inches)	\$250	+	\$350	OR	\$350	20% discount =	\$500

^{*} Special pricing for placing a same-sized ad in 2 or more publications. Combo rates apply to ad of same size in the Final Program and your choice of On Location or one issue of Quickening.

Advertising Order Form

Please complete this agreement and return it to Barbra Elenbaas, 8403 Colesville Road, Suite 1550, Silver Spring, MD, 20910; e-mail it to *belenbaas@acnm.org*; or fax it to 240-485-1818. If paying by check, send payment separately, along with an additional copy of this form, to ACNM Annual Meeting & Exhibition, Lock Box P.O. Box 758898, Baltimore, MD 21275-8896. Please e-mail your ad artwork in PDF format to *belenbaas@acnm.org*. See page 5 for ad specifications. If you have any questions, please contact Barbra Elenbaas at *belenbaas@acnm.org* or 240.485.1822.

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SPECIAL OFFER for Annual Meeting	Exhibitors— Sign up to advertise for 1	full year in Quicker	ning and g	et 20% off standard rates!
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For additional advertising and sponsorship opportunities with ACNM throughout the year, visit www.midwife.org/advertising.

Exhibitor Guidelines

The terms "Association" and "ACNM" shall mean the American College of Nurse-Midwives, its officers, committees, agents, or employees acting for it in the management of the Exhibition. The term "Exhibition" shall mean the ACNM Annual Meeting & Exhibition to be held in National Harbor, MD, June 27-July 1, 2015. The term "Exhibitor" shall mean any person, organization, or other entity that is approved to maintain an Exhibit at the Exhibition. The term "Hotel" refers to the Gaylord National Resort and Convention Center and "Operator" refers to City of National Harbor, Maryland, a municipal corporation. Rules and Regulations may be amended at any time by ACNM Management in its sole reasonable discretion. ACNM Management reserves the right to grant or deny its consent in its sole reasonable discretion and the right to apply, interpret, and enforce these rules in its sole reasonable discretion. Any point not specifically covered in these rules is subject to the decision of ACNM Management, whose decision

GUIDELINES FOR PRODUCT PROMOTION: In all cases where products that directly impact the health of women and families are promoted, the promotion must: a) be consistent with available scientific evidence; b) promote the professional image and trusting relationship between women and midwives; c) ensure that attendees receive full disclosure regarding safety of the product; and d) should not conflict with the mission of the College. ACNM reserves the right, without recourse, to absolutely control or prohibit any exhibit or part of any exhibit, which, in its opinion, is not suitable or in keeping with the purpose of the Exhibit Hall. This reservation concerns persons, things, conduct, printed matter, souvenirs, catalogues, etc. Unethical behavior or infraction of the rules on the part of the exhibitor or their representatives will subject the exhibitor/ representatives to dismissal and possible refusal to rent space in the future. Under these conditions, no refund shall be made by ACNM.

ACCEPTANCE AND ASSIGNMENT OF SPACE:

This Contract shall be deemed accepted by ACNM Management upon space assignment.

Booth assignments are generally made on a firstcome, first-served basis, taking into consideration representation at previous ACNM Annual Meetings, the date a request is received, availability of requested area, the amount of space requested, special needs, and compatibility of Exhibitors.

The Association, however, reserves the right in its sole discretion to use other assignment criteria.

Because of the large number of companies exhibiting similar, or related product lines, ACNM cannot guarantee that a company exhibiting similar products or a competitor will not be located in a nearby or adjoining booth space. The Association also reserves the right to reconfigure booth space and relocate an Exhibit as necessary with the understanding that the Exhibitor shall be notified prior to

ELIGIBILITY: The Association reserves the right to determine the eligibility of any company or product for inclusion in the Exhibition. The acceptance of a booth for the Exhibition does not carry the Association's endorsement of the equipment, supply, or service displayed there. Exhibits and the conduct of Exhibits are subject to the approval of the Association. The Association reserves the right to require the modification of any Exhibit which, in its opinion, is not in character with the Exhibition. The Association reserves at all times the right to approve the nature of the Exhibits and conditions under which the Exhibits are displayed.

PAYMENTS: A non-refundable 50% deposit of the space rental fee is due within 30 days of receipt of the Contract. All booth charges must be paid in full by March 6, 2015. If paying a deposit to hold a specific booth, the balance must be paid within 60 days to hold exhibit booth location. Contracts received after this date must be accompanied by full payment, which is nonrefundable. Should Exhibitor fail to remit timely payment, ACNM shall have the right to withhold or cancel a booth reservation without notice and retain any non-refundable amounts paid, unless special arrangements have been made.

CANCELLATIONS: This Contract may be cancelled by Exhibitor by giving written notice to ACNM, subject to the following fees:

- On or before March 6, 2015 50% of the rental space fee will be refunded.
- After March 6, 2015 no refunds

These fees apply in the event of Exhibitor cancellation or failure to participate for any reason whatsoever. Cancellation fees will NOT be applied to any other past, current, or future charges incurred by Exhibitor and are non-transferable. In no event will Exhibitor receive a credit from any revenue later generated by reuse of the reserved space by ACNM Management. Exhibitor may also forfeit all exhibitor privileges, including but not limited to:

- Priority points for ACNM 2016 booth selection
- Booth Personnel and complimentary full conference badges
- Removal of company listing from the Program and Web site

UPSIZING: At any time after signing the original Contract, Exhibitor may enter into a new contract for larger space, subject to availability.

DOWNSIZING: The originally reserved amount of space may be reduced by Exhibitor by giving written notice to ACNM, subject to the following:

- On or before March 6, 2015 Exhibitor must pay 50% of the original Contract price, which amount may be applied against the reduced space.
- After March 6, 2015 Exhibitor must pay 100% of the original Contract price, which amount may be applied against the reduced space. Any payment in excess of the cost of the new space is nonrefundable.

ARRANGEMENT OF EXHIBITS: ACNM follows International Association of Exhibitions and Events (IAEE) Guidelines. Detailed guidelines will be available upon request, but generally, no Exhibit will be permitted to interfere with the light, space, comfort, or view of another Exhibit.

Displays shall comply with the following:

- Back wall shall not be higher than 8 feet overall.
- Side walls shall not be higher than 36 inches.
- All back wall illumination must either be indirect or muted by translucent panels.
- Aisles must be kept clear from flooring to ceiling.

Exposed parts of the display must be finished so as not to be objectionable to other Exhibitors and/or the Association or such parts will be ordered draped by the Association and billed to the Exhibitor. Equipment or products exceeding the height limitation may be permitted for island Exhibitors provided written approval is granted by the association. The Exhibitor must pay all costs incurred in the operation of its booth. This provision specifically covers expenditures incurred for lights, power, water, and other utilities or services in connection with its own booth.

The floor space for all booths must be carpeted or in some other way covered unless the hall is already carneted, with the cost for this covering being the responsibility of the exhibitor. If such floor covering has not been arranged by the Exhibitor prior to the conclusion of move-in, ACNM Management may order carpeting at Exhibitor's expense. The Association shall provide aisle carpeting, unless already carpeted.

Booth purchase includes standard back wall and side wall, one six-foot draped and skirted table, two chairs, one waste basket, a 7"x 44" identification sign, badges as outlined, and a complimentary listing on the website and in the printed program.

CARPETING: Carpeting is required for all 10'x10' and 8'x10' booth spaces, unless the area is already carpeted.

SERVICES: ACNM will select an official contractor to provide service to Exhibitors. The contractor will provide labor, equipment, and supervision. Complete information, instructions, and schedule of prices regarding shipping and drayage, labor for erecting and dismantling, electrical, furniture and carpet rental, cleaning, etc., will be included in the Exhibitor's Service Kit to be posted at www.midwife.org/am approximately 4 months prior to the event. ACNM assumes no responsibility or liability for such

contractors, Exhibitor must use qualified personnel (union or otherwise) for material handling, installing and dismantling exhibits, and other services as required by the Hotel's rules and regulations. If applicable, union regulations for the Hotel will be provided in the Exhibitor Manual.

COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, **RULES, AND SAFETY**

PRECAUTIONS: Exhibitor is responsible for knowledge of and compliance with all federal, state, and local laws, regulations, orders, and requirements applicable to Exhibitor's participation in ACNM. as well as all rules and regulations of the and all related expenses and taxes. Exhibitor shall take all necessary measures to safeguard persons and property in the Hotel from any hazards associated with Exhibitor's exhibit equipment. Exhibitor shall comply with applicable industry safety standards. Exhibitor agrees that if notified by ACNM that the condition of Exhibitor's space is unsatisfactory for any reason, Exhibitor will immediately remedy the

INSTALLATION AND **DISMANTLING:** Until full payment of the space rental fee has been received, Exhibitor will not be allowed to set up, nor will freight be delivered

EXHIBIT SCHEDULE:

Employees manning the booth must have Exhibitor badges. The display area will be closed to Exhibition Attendees except during scheduled Exhibit hours; however, registered Exhibitors

will have access at all hours. ACNM shall have sole control over attendance policies at all times. Exhibitor personnel MUST be properly registered in order to staff a display and must wear (non-transferable) registration badges during move-in and Exhibit

SECURITY: General overall 24-hour access control will be provided for the Exhibition period including move-in and move-out. However, ACNM is not responsible for the loss of any material by or for any cause, and urges the Exhibitor to exercise normal precautions to discourage pilferage. Only registered Exhibition Attendees and Exhibitors and registered guests will be authorized to enter during Exhibit periods.

DELIVERY OF EQUIPMENT: Exhibitors will be responsible for delivery of their own equipment and/ or display material to the Hotel and for removal of equipment and/or display material. The official drayage contractor shall control all traffic into and out of the Exhibit area to minimize delays and tie-ups. The Exhibitor assumes full responsibility for the delivery of its materials to the space, which is assigned for the purpose of exhibiting its product, service, or materials. The Association assumes no responsibility for the performance of services by common carrier, express





services, the US mail, and telephone companies, or any other service for which the Exhibitor may wish

MOVE-IN: Exhibit material cannot be received at the Hotel prior to the move-in date. Exhibitor must complete installation of its exhibit in contracted space no later than 1:00pm EST, June 28, 2015. Should Exhibitor fail to do so. Exhibitor will be deemed a "No Show" and its space shall be subject to reassignment or cancellation without notice (unless ACNM Management has earlier approved Exhibitor's late arrival). Should Exhibitor arrive after this deadline, ACNM Management reserves the right to assign or withhold space, and any new space assigned shall be subject to the terms and conditions of the Contract as if it were Exhibitor's original contracted space.

MOVE-OUT: Exhibitor must not dismantle exhibit nor begin packing before the final closing of the Exhibition on June 30, 2015 at 2:15pm EST. Permission from ACNM is required for delivery or removal of any portion of an exhibit during the open Exhibition hours. Exhibitor shall remove all its property from the Hotel by 6:00_{PM} EST, June 30, 2015. If such property is not removed within the period of time for move out, ACNM may remove such property at Exhibitor's expense. The advance written approval of ACNM shall be required for any additional move-in and/or move-out time. Exhibitor agrees that if ACNM should receive, handle, or have in its care or custody Exhibitor's property, of any kind, shipped or otherwise delivered to the Hotel prior to, during, or following the Exhibition, ACNM shall act solely for the accommodation of Exhibitor and ACNM shall not be liable for any loss, damage, or injury to such property.

"EARLY TEARDOWN" POLICY: Early teardown or dismantling of booths by exhibitors is strictly prohibited. Early teardown or dismantling disrupts the integrity of the show and endangers attendees still in the exhibit hall. By signing the booth space agree ment, exhibitors agree to remain on the exhibit hall floor with their booths fully in place until the official close of the trade show, as stated above. Any exhibitors dismantling their booths prior to the scheduled time will be penalized a \$250 fine and loss of priority points. Show Management will monitor and enforce this policy. Please plan your travel accordingly.

RESTRICTIONS: Exhibitor's activities shall be restricted to Exhibitor's booth space only. ACNM reserves the right to restrict, reject, prohibit, or eject any exhibit, in whole or in part, which becomes objectionable due to noise, safety hazards, or other reasons. ACNM reserves the right to deny access to or eject any person whose behavior becomes objectionable. In any such event, no refunds will be issued

ADVERTISING, CIRCULARS, AND SOLICITA-

TION: ACNM reserves the right to prohibit distribution of souvenirs, advertising matter, or any other materials. Distribution from anywhere other than within Exhibitor's booth is forbidden.

SUBLEASING SPACE: Unless approved in advance and in writing by ACNM, Exhibitor shall not assign or sublet this Contract, in whole or in part, nor exhibit any products or services other than those manufactured or handled in Exhibitor's normal course of business, nor permit any third party to solicit business in Exhibitor's space. Multiple-company sharing of exhibit space shall require advance written permission from ACNM.

COMPETING EVENTS: Exhibitor shall not conduct any competing event of more than 50 people during official ACNM hours. Such meetings must be approved by exhibits manager and are subject to a fee

MUSIC: Due to licensing restrictions, the use of music in presentations, including video presentations, is generally prohibited unless Exhibitor can provide ACNM with proof of Broadcast Music Industry (BMI), American Society of Composers & Performers (ASCAP), or Society of European Stage Authors and Composers (SESAC) certification and licensing.

SOUND LEVELS: Sound levels of presentations must be kept at or below 85 decibels and not interfere with surrounding exhibits.

BOOTH PERSONNEL: Exhibitor must have staff present at booth during all open Exhibition hours. Exhibitor's personnel shall conduct themselves in a professional manner at all times.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEO TAPING: Neither photography nor video-taping are permitted in the Hotel without the express written consent of ACNM.

CHILDREN: In the interest of safety, no person under 18 years of age will be allowed on the show floor during Exhibition set-up and teardown hours. During open exhibit hours, children 12 years old and under must be accompanied by a supervising adult at all times. Parents of younger children may request an exemption from ACNM. No matter what the age of the child, as a condition of the child's admission to the Exhibit Hall, parents must agree to abide by ACNM's rules regarding children and to be responsible for the child and assume all responsibility for damage to exhibits and equipment

FOOD AND ALCOHOL: The Hotel is the exclusive provider of food, beverage, and catering services within the Hotel. Any Exhibitor offering alcoholic beverages at any event held in conjunction with ACNM must (i) carry a minimum of two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) in liquor liability insurance during the event and (ii) comply with all the rules

and requirements of the Hotel as well as the ACNM alcohol policy, which may be obtained from ACNM upon request

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA): Exhibitor is solely responsible for ensuring that its booth is in full compliance with the ADA, and for all

costs related thereto.

FORCE MAJEURE: ACNM may suspend or terminate this Contract without penalty in the event the Hotel becomes unavailable, is destroyed or damaged, or if it becomes inadvisable, impracticable, illegal, or impossible to hold the ACNM Meeting as scheduled due to any event beyond the control of ACNM, including but not limited to the following: strike: lockout: injunction: emergency: act of God: act of war; curtailment of local, national, or international transportation facilities with a significant impact on domestic and/or international travel: and economic factors which make it impractical for ACNM to hold the Exhibit as scheduled or otherwise perform its obligations hereunder (including the unavailability or inadequacy of any convention center, headquarters, hotel(s), or necessary expansion space). In such an event, Exhibitor hereby waives any and all damages and claims for damages and agrees that the sole liability of ACNM shall be to refund to Exhibitor all payments made for exhibit space, less a proportionate share of all expenses incurred and committed by ACNM, such as, but not limited to, advertising, Hotel fees, etc., to the extent any monies remain after payment of such expenses.

INSURANCE: Exhibitor shall carry adequate insurance to protect itself against bodily injury (including death) and property damage claims arising from Exhibitor's participation in ACNM, including but not limited to (i) worker's compensation as required by law and (ii) commercial general liability insurance in such amounts as are adequate, but in no event less than one million US dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit for both bodily injury and property damage. Said insurance shall name ACNM as additional insured's, shall contain an endorsement that such policy shall remain in full force and effect notwithstanding that the insured has waived its right of action against any party prior to the occurrence of a loss, and shall require the insurer to waive all rights of subrogation against ACNM. Further, said insurance shall include a provision for notification to ACNM at least thirty (30) days prior to cancellation. Exhibitor shall furnish ACNM with a Certificate of Insurance verifying such coverage 45 days prior to move in day. Exhibitor shall not do any act or thing in the Hotel which might violate any insurance policy held by ACNM.

DAMAGE TO HOTEL: Exhibitor shall be solely responsible for any and all damage to the Hotel caused by Exhibitor, its contractors, or their respective officers, directors, employees, representatives, servants, agents, invitees, licensees, or subcontrac-

INDEMNIFICATION: Exhibitor agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless ACNM, the Hotel, the Operator, and their respective officers, directors, employees, and agents from and against any and all claims, demands, actions, causes of action, penalties, judgments, and liabilities (including court costs and reasonable attorney's fees) based upon or arising out of any act, omission, negligence, misconduct, or breach of any material condition of this Contract by Exhibitor, its contractors, or their respective officers, directors, employees, representatives, servants, agents, invitees, licensees, or subcontractors.

NO LIABILITY: ACNM and its agents will use reasonable care to protect Exhibitor against loss. The responsibility of ACNM to Exhibitor does not extend beyond such endeavors; provided, however, that ACNM may choose to provide a refund in an amount up to the fees actually paid by Exhibitor, in its sole discretion. In no event shall ACNM be liable for any indirect, consequential, punitive, or incidental damages, even if advised of the possibility of such damages. Exhibitor is solely responsible for the security of its property and the property of others under its control.

WAIVER: Exhibitor acknowledges that ACNM, the Hotel, and the Operator do not carry insurance coverage for Exhibitor's property. Exhibitor agrees to bear all risk of any bodily injury (including death) or property damage or loss which Exhibitor or its contractors, or their respective officers, directors, employees, representatives, servants, agents, invitees, licensees, or subcontractors might sustain as a result of Exhibitor's participation in ACNM. Exhibitor hereby waives any and all rights of recovery, refund, or compensation for bodily injury (including death) or property damage against ACNM, its Sponsors, the Hotel, the Operator, and their officers, directors, employees, and agents based upon or arising out of Exhibitor's participation in ACNM, except such losses as may be the result of the sole gross negligence or willful misconduct of such parties

LAWS: Exhibitor agrees that the sole jurisdiction and enue for any litigation arising from or relating to this Contract shall be an appropriate federal or state court located in the State of Maryland. Exhibitor hereby waives trial by jury in any action, proceeding, or counterclaim brought by or against ACNM with respect to this Contract. In the event that ACNM needs to bring a suit to enforce any of its rights outlined, they shall be entitled to recover all costs from the suit (including attorney's fees) from Exhibitor.

GENERAL: The parties are independent contractors with respect to each other, and nothing herein shall create any association, partnership, joint venture, or agency relationship between the parties. Neither party has any right or authority to assume or to create any obligation or responsibility on behalf of the other party except as otherwise provided herein. The parties agree that all rights and obligations provided in this Agreement which do not expressly terminate pursuant to this Agreement shall survive beyond the term of this Agreement and shall remain in full force and effect in perpetuity. This Agreement represents the entire agreement of the parties and supersedes any other understanding of the parties concerning the subject matter herein. This Contract may be modified only with the written consent of ACNM Management. The waiver of a breach of any of the terms hereof or of any default hereunder, shall not be deemed a waiver of any subsequent breach or default, whether of the same or similar nature, and shall not in any way affect the other terms hereof. No waiver or modification shall be valid or binding unless in writing and signed by the waiving party. All provisions of this Agreement shall be severable and no provision shall be affected by the invalidity of any other provision to the extent that such invalidity does not also render such other provision invalid. All notices required under this Contract shall be considered given when deposited in the US mail, certified, return receipt requested, addressed to the respective parties as listed on the first page of this Contract.