Brain Injury Association of Missouri

15th ANNUAL STATEWIDE CONFERENCE

Sponsorship Opportunities

October 3 - 5, 2019
Marriott St. Louis West
Chesterfield, Missouri

This is the only conference in Missouri established to specifically address issues relating to brain injury.

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2019 Conference Information

CONFEREE OVERVIEW

The Brain Injury Association of Missouri 15th Annual Statewide Conference is the only conference in Missouri dedicated to current trends in innovative therapeutic strategies, cutting-edge and best practice treatment options, and research specifically relating to brain injury.

This Conference features national and local experts addressing issues of interest to professionals, survivors of brain injury and family members.

Sessions held Thursday, October 3 and Friday, October 4 will focus on topics of interest to healthcare professionals, rehabilitation specialists, social workers, vocational counselors, physicians, psychologists, mental health professionals, case managers, service coordinators, and others who provide care for persons with brain injury.

On Saturday, October 5, a special seminar will be held for survivors of brain injury and their families.

BIA-MO 15th ANNUAL STATEWIDE PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCE AUDIENCE
Thursday and Friday: Professionals of various disciplines
Saturday: Survivors of brain injury, family members and caregivers

SPONSORSHIP
Sponsorship reflects your commitment to support educational programming for professionals in the field of brain injury. It provides maximum exposure of your support for the Brain Injury Association of Missouri (BIA-MO) through at-conference recognition, printed material, on our website, and through social media.

EXHIBITOR
One-on-one marketing through an exhibit at the BIA-MO Annual Statewide Conference is an effective opportunity to share information about your products and services with professionals, survivors of brain injury and family members.

ADVERTISING
Encourage participants to visit your exhibit table through a full or half-page advertisement in the Conference Program.

 Professionals who attend the Conference may share the printed Program containing your ad with colleagues who are unable to attend.

DONATION
If you are unable to participate as a Sponsor, Exhibitor or Advertiser, your donation is appreciated.

EXHIBIT HALL
Exhibit space includes a six-foot table with draping and two chairs.

Refreshment breaks will be held in the Exhibit Hall to give you more opportunities to visit with participants.

Electricity must be contracted with the Marriott St. Louis West hotel by calling 314-878-2747.

The Exhibit Hall hours:
Thursday, October 3, 9:30 am - 5:00 pm
Setup begins at 7:00 am.

Friday, October 4, 8:00 am - 2:30 pm
Saturday, October 5, 8:30 am - 2:30 pm
Setup begins at 7:30 am.

All Sponsors and Exhibitors must indicate on the Commitment Form which days they will be exhibiting to ensure an accurate count of tables.

Please bring a gift basket for the Conference Raffles. There will be one Raffle on Friday for professionals and another on Saturday for survivor and family participants.

Mission Statement
The Mission of the Brain Injury Association of Missouri is to reduce the incidence of brain injury; to promote acceptance, independence and productivity of persons with brain injury; and to support their families.
Company/Agency Name: ___________________________________________________________
Contact Person: _________________________________________________________________
Address: _______________________________________________________________________
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Telephone: (_____) _____________ Email: ____________________________________________

SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES
All Sponsorships include signage during the Conference, full page advertisement in the printed Conference Program, and recognition during the Welcome Address, in the BIA-MO newsletter and on our website.

___ Co-Host Sponsor — $10,000
• Your logo on Conference Registration Brochure, Event Program, and e-newsletter produced after your Sponsorship is received
• Eight professional Conference registrations
• Prime 12-foot exhibit space in Exhibit Hall
• Sponsorship recognized on BIA-MO social media
• Link from the BIA-MO website

___ Track Sponsor — $5,000
• Your logo on Conference Registration Brochure and Event Program
• Six professional Conference registrations
• Prime exhibit space in Exhibit Hall
• Sponsorship recognized on BIA-MO social media
• Link from the BIA-MO website

___ Lunch Sponsor — $3,000
• Four professional Conference registrations
• Prime exhibit space in Exhibit Hall
• Five-minute (maximum) address at your Sponsored Luncheon

___ Keynote Sponsor — $1,000
• Two professional Conference registrations
• Exhibit space in Exhibit Hall
• Signage displayed during your Sponsored Keynote Session

___ Break Sponsor — $500
• Signage displayed during your Sponsored Refreshment Break or Breakout Session

(Sponsorship is tax-deductible to the extent the law will allow.)

EXHIBIT
___ Full Conference Exhibitor — $385
(No discount for fewer than three days exhibiting.)
___ Survivor and Family Seminar Exhibitor — $125

Days Exhibiting: (Check all that apply to ensure accurate table count.)
Professional Audience
___ Thursday, October 3
___ Friday, October 4
Survivor and Family Audience
___ Saturday, October 5

Representative(s) for Exhibit
(Lunch included for one representative with Exhibit Fee. There is a $45 per person/per day Refreshment Fee for additional Exhibit Representatives who are not registered for the Conference.)
Name: _____________________________________________________________
Name: _____________________________________________________________

ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITY
Conference Program advertising (black & white only):
___ Full Page $100 size 8” x 10 3/4”
___ Half Page $75 size 8” x 5 1/4”

DONATION OPPORTUNITY
Fully tax-deductible donation to underwrite Conference expenses.
___ Donation of $________________________________________________________

METHOD OF PAYMENT
___VISA ___MC ___ Discover ___CHECK Total: $____________
___ Invoice me ___ Online at www.biamo.org
Name on card _____________________________________________________________
Account Number ___________________________________________________________
V-Code on back of Card ___ ___ ___ Exp. Date ______________
Address and zip code if different than billing address for this card _____________________________________________________________

For more information or to receive the Conference Registration Brochure, contact the Brain Injury Association of Missouri at Conference@biamo.org, 1.800.444.6443 or 314.426.4024.
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PROFESSIONAL AUDIENCE SESSION TOPICS

- Trauma and the Brain: A Psychological and Physiological Perspective
- Neurophysiological Optimization: Life and Neurological Health After TBI
- Increasing Independence and Improving Therapy with Technology, Robotics and Adaptive Equipment
- Community Integration Strategies
- Family Dynamics and Role Changes Following Brain Injury
- Finding Life After Brain Injury
- The Role of Vision Therapy in Brain Injury Recovery
- Long-Term Cognitive Impairment Strategies and Memory Techniques
- Methods and Implications of Neuropsychological Evaluations
- Suicide Prevention - Question, Persuade, Refer (QPR) Gatekeeper Training
- Reducing Risk and Readmission Rates of Stroke Survivors
- Behaviors, Emotions, Drugs and Drinking: Coping with Brain Injury
- Brain Repair and Neuroplasticity
- Survivor Keynote Presentation

PROFESSIONAL DISCIPLINES

- Therapists - physical, occupational, speech
- Medical Personnel - physicians, nurses, neurologists
- Mental Health Providers - social workers, counselors, psychologists, neuropsychologists
- Care Coordinators - case managers, service coordinators, discharge planners
- Vocational Experts - vocational counselors, job developers
- Community Support - independent living experts, personal care attendants, home support providers

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