



PPAChicago
10th Annual New Products Idea Show
Thursday, March 1, 2012
Show Hours: 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM

SHOW RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following rules are understood and accepted as part of the contract between PPAChicago and those who attend the New Product Ideas Show.

- 1.) PPAChicago Members and staff who are current on dues may attend the show at no charge if registered before February 16, 2012. Clients may attend at \$8.00 per person prior to February 16, 2012. After the cutoff date of February 16, 2012 staff and clients must register onsite at \$8.00 per staff and \$15.00 per client.
- 2.) Distributors who are not members of PPAChicago may be admitted at no charge by joining PPAChicago no later than February 16, 2012 or may be admitted by pre-registering at the show by paying \$135.00 membership and \$8 per person admittance fee and by meeting Association requirements for membership. Fees and requirements must be submitted by application.
- 3.) Clients are admitted by invitation and advance registration by PPAChicago distributor members. If there is no pre-registered badge, the client must present an invitation from his/her distributor along with a verifying business card in order to be admitted.
- 4.) Any distributor member who authorizes registration of non-industry distributor or suppliers as their own personnel or client or permits any unauthorized use of a badge is subject to a penalty of \$100.00 for each such violation and/or loss of privilege to attend future show.
- 5.) **NO CLIENT OR DISTRIBUTOR REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER FEBRUARY 16, 2012.** ON-SITE registration will be required for admittance: \$8.00 per distributor member and \$15.00 per client.
- 6.) Children UNDER 16 are NOT PERMITTED on the Show Floor
- 7.) Each badge must be picked up at the Registration deck by the person whose name is printed on the badge
- 8.) **NO BUSINESS CARDS ARE TO BE EXCHANGED. This applies to all Exhibitors, Distributors and Distributor Clients.** Anyone seen exchanging business cards on the show floor will be given one warning. A second violation will result in the party being asked to leave the show.
- 9.) **DISTRIBUTORS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO HAND OUT PERSONALIZED, SELF PROMOTIONAL SAMPLES DURING THE SHOW.** Distributors who are seen handing out self promotion samples will be asked to turn them over to the show staff. Confiscated samples will be returned as the owner departs. Continued violation of this rule will result in the violator being asked to leave the show.
- 10.) Distributors are not allowed to put signage of any kind in the Registration area in order to meet with their clients. Please contact your clients prior to the show and set up your meeting place.
- 11.) Members of other Regional Associations may attend the NPI Show with prior registration and confirmation of their membership from another regional association. The cost will be \$75 per company and \$8.00 per client. Additional staff and clients attending after February 16, 2012 will be required to register onsite at \$8.00 per staff and \$15.00 per client.
- 12.) Non-PPAChicago Distributors can attend the NPI Show for a fee of \$175.00 per person and may not bring clients and do not receive any additional membership benefits. Fee may be paid at registration.

THIS IS AN END USER SHOW. FOR THE COMFORT AND CONVIENCE OF ALL MEMBERS, THESE RULES HAVE BEEN SET FORTH TO PROTECT THEIR INTERESTS AS WELL AS YOURS.