PRPS Event Health Statement

PRPS is committed to advancing best health and wellness practices, health equity, improving individual and community-level health outcomes, and enriching the quality of life. These ideals extend to our members themselves.

Just as our members work to create safe, welcoming places for people of all diversabilities, PRPS strives to create such a safe and welcoming place at its events for all. In practical terms, PRPS interprets this safe welcoming culture to mean:

- We make accommodations for those with at-risk health limitations.
- We extend respect, courtesy and grace to others who may differ with our personal preferences.
- We follow the most up-to-date guidelines established by the CDC for Events and Individuals, and those of the conference venue: CDC Event Planning FAQs for Event Planners and Individuals, Kalahari Health & Wellness Initiatives, CDC Know Your COVID-19 Community Level

PRPS will provide green, yellow and red stickers for optional use on name badges to signal openness to close personal contact.

Covid-19 Safety Protocols and Acknowledgements

PRPS cannot prevent you from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in the 75th Annual Conference & Expo. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in the Conference & Expo, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

Masks are optional but not required for all conference participants. By your participation in the 75th Annual PRPS Conference & Expo, and its related events and activities, you acknowledge, understand, and agree:

1. To comply with the stated conditions and posted protocols for participation regarding protection against infectious diseases.

2. To respect the indicated comfort level of registrants, speakers, vendors, and staff regarding social distancing and maintain an appropriate distance when interacting with them.

3. Each day I participate, I am free of the following list of symptoms related to COVID-19: fever, chills, cough, shortness of breath, recent loss of taste or smell, headaches, muscle pain or sore throat.

4. Should I become symptomatic while participating, I will notify Tim Herd, PRPS CEO, immediately, and self-quarantine in my assigned room. I may also be required to leave the Conference and premises.

5. PRPS has obligations to report any known cases of COVID-19 to other participants, staff, or partners who may be at risk of exposure. Information on the specific identity of individuals will be kept confidential. PRPS will share only such information about when the participant was potentially exposed; and only on a need-to-know basis.