RSNA EXHIBITOR CHECKLIST

Set your company up for success, follow this easy exhibitor checklist.

6-12 Months Prior

- Define Your Budget. Include all expenses such as booth fees, booth services, shipping, travel expenses, marketing, etc.
- □ **Follow Payments Schedule**. Make a schedule of RSNA payment deadlines. If your booth is paid in full by July 1, 2022, you will earn 5 exhibitor priority points.
- Familiarize Yourself With The RSNA Website. Review upcoming important dates, exhibitor rules and regulations, plus other key meeting information. Available at >> RSNA.org/Planning-Your-Exhibit
- Review the RSNA Marketing Tips to ensure your success and maximize potential new sales. Learn about RSNA promotional offerings at >> RSNA.org/Promote

3-6 Months Prior

- □ **Determine Booth Contractors**. Select your booth designer, builder, other booth suppliers, transportation companies, etc. A list of official RSNA contractors will be in the service kit beginning mid-July 2022.
- □ **Set Your ROI**. Develop measurable meeting objectives.
- □ **Finalize Booth Design**. Make sure designs are on schedule and ready for transport to RSNA 2022. Island, Peninsula and Mobile booths must submit their design for review by August 31, 2022.
- □ **Develop Booth Activities**. Consider various booth promotions such as raffles and giveaways. Set aside premium items for VIP customers. Create booth presentations, either video or live, in-person.
- □ **Finalize Staff Travel**. Reserve hotel rooms at special RSNA meeting rates and book your airfare using the RSNA meeting discount code with preferred carriers. Exhibitors who reserve hotel rooms for at least 70% of badged exhibitor personnel through the RSNA Housing Reservation System by November 4, 2022, earn (5) five exhibitor priority points toward RSNA 2023 Space Selection.

2 Months Prior

- Secure Catering. Order catered snacks and beverages for your booth, meeting suite or headquarter office space.
- □ **Order Booth Services**. Coordinate your booth furnishings, carpeting, electrical, internet and lead management requirements through the official contractors found in the exhibitor service kit.
- Register Staff. Order badges for your staff and distributors. Each exhibitor receives 5 complimentary badges per 100 sq. ft. Additional badges can be ordered for a fee.
- □ **Submit RSNA Request Forms**. Review all RSNA request forms found inside the RSNA Exhibitor Service Kit such as forms to conduct raffles, giveaways, booth presentations, live scanning, press conferences, photography/videography etc.



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1 Month Prior

- □ **Schedule Booth Labor**. If you are unsure of your requirements, Freeman can assist with the various union jurisdictions at McCormick Place. Full-time exhibitor employees can also perform work within their exhibit.
- Register Your EAC. If you are not using one of the official RSNA exhibitor contractors, register your exhibitor-appointed contractor (EAC) with RSNA.
- □ **Ship Materials**. Review your target move-in assignment at McCormick Place and ship your booth materials directly to McCormick Place or Freeman's Advance Warehouse.

Upon Arrival

- Check on Your Booth Shipment. Have your booth materials arrived at McCormick Place?
 If not, check-in with the Freeman Freight Desk.
- □ **Set Up Your Booth**. Supervise labor setting up your booth or have full-time employees setup the exhibit. Display marketing materials for the meeting.
- Conduct a Pre-Show Staff Meeting. Meet with staff members working the booth to review your goals for RSNA 2022.

During RSNA 2022

- Locate Exhibitor Welcome Packet. Helpful meeting information will be placed in your booth Sunday morning.
- □ Engage. Booth staff should be engaging with attendees, asking questions, demonstrating products and capturing leads.
- Reserve a Booth for RSNA 2023. Select your exhibit location for next year's meeting and reserve hotel rooms for your team.

After RSNA 2022

- □ **Follow Up With Leads**. Promptly distribute leads to appropriate reps, have a pre-established lead follow-up plan (and tools for reps to use), make reps accountable and measure ROI.
- □ Host a De-Brief Meeting. Review what worked and what didn't. Make adjustments for next year's meeting.

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