Sunday, April 5, 2020
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm  Exhibitor Set-Up

Monday, April 6, 2020
8:00 am – 1:00 pm  Exhibitor Set-Up
7:30 am – 1:30 pm  Pre-Conference Session: NHIA’s Sterile Compounding Forum (open to APC members, optional ticketed event) **
Includes:
- Overview of USP <795>
- Overview of USP <797>
- FDA – Reviews and Updates
- Lunch
- Future of Compounding

3:00 pm – 6:30 pm  Registration Desk Open
3:15 pm – 4:30 pm  NHIA Opening General Session with John O’Leary (open to APC members)
In 1987, John O’Leary was a curious nine-year-old boy. Playing with fire and gasoline, John created a massive explosion in his home and was burned on 100% of his body. He was given 1% chance to live. His epic story of survival was first showcased in his parents’ book, Overwhelming Odds, in 2006. Originally printing 200 copies for friends and family, his parents have sold 70,000 copies, most in back-of-room sales at John’s speaking events.

It was this book that first invited John to embrace his miraculous recovery and share it with the world. Today, John is an inspirational speaker teaching nearly 75,000 people around the world each year how to live inspired. Consistently described as “the best speaker we’ve ever had,” John’s emotional storytelling, unexpected humor and authenticity make each of his presentations truly inspirational.

4:30 pm – 6:30 pm  Grand Opening of APC/NHIA Exposition and Reception
Joins us for the ribbon cutting ceremony and a welcome reception to start the Expo off right, with fellow industry professionals. Drinks and heavy appetizers will be served.

Tuesday, April 7, 2020
7:00 am – 5:00 pm  Registration Desk Open
7:00 am – 9:00 am  Breakfast Symposium: (open to APC members)
Applying 3M Science and Technology to the Practice of ANTT

Ineffective aseptic techniques in vascular access are a significant cause of healthcare-acquired infections. The application of Aseptic Non-Touch Technique (ANTT®) is a critical skill that protects patients and supports the reduction of healthcare acquired infections1.

We believe there are three key parts to reaching this goal: people, practice, and products. It’s an effort that requires exacting standards of care, a commitment from the care team to methodically adhere to those standards, and technology that adds an additional layer of protection.

Join 3M™ and Stephen Rowley as we apply our innovative vascular access care and maintenance solutions to the practice of Aseptic Non-Touch Technique. 

Whitney Ficocello

8:00 am – 11:00 am 

APC Board of Directors Meeting

10:30 am - 11:30 am  

CE – Question Time with Tosh (a session for early arrivers) 

_Sponsored by the Pharmacy Compounding Foundation_ 

An hour-long session in which Erik recaps questions he’s fielded from IACP members over the past year – everything from compliance to cBHRT to billing codes to compounding peptides. Plus, he’ll take questions from the audience! 

_Erik Tosh, RPh, FIACP, Letco Medical_

11:30 am – 3:00 pm

Expo Hall Open/Lunch

12:00 pm – 2:00 pm 

Pharmacy Compounding Foundation Board Meeting

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Opening Session: State of The Association / Annual Membership Meeting

CE – Compounding Advocacy: At the Table or on the Menu? 

A down-and-dirty update on compounding public policy priorities, challenges and next steps – from Congress to FDA to USP to state capitols. 

_Facilitator: David Pore, Esq., Hance Scarborough LLC_

- Aaron Lopez, JD, FCLS, Medisca
- Lizzie Harbin, VP of Public Affairs, Corp. Communications, Education & Human Resources, PCCA
- Connie Sullivan, PharmD, Chief Executive Officer, NHIA
- Ronna Hauser, RPh, PharmD, Vice President Regulatory Affairs, NCPA
- Lee Rosebush, Esq., Chair, Outsourcing Facilities of America

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

CE – Best Practices for Your cBHRT Practice 

_Sponsored by the Pharmacy Compounding Foundation_ 

With the advent of unlimited access to medical information on the internet, coupled with the growth of personalized medicine, pharmacists are uniquely situated to influence HRT therapy choices and outcomes for their patients. Pharmacists have the training to evaluate the science and preponderance of evidence supporting cBHRT versus ERT and HRT therapy for women. Pharmacists possess connectivity skills to respectfully and effectively discuss with prescribing providers how cBHRT can improve successful patient outcomes. 

_Jim Hrncir, RPh, Las Colinas Pharmacy_
Wednesday, April 8, 2020
7:00am – 5:00 pm  Registration Desk Open
7:00 am – 9:00 am  Breakfast Symposia* (open to APC members) CSL Behring

8:00am – 9:00 am  CE – NCPDP SCRIPT 2017071: Disruptive Changes in e-Prescribing and Beyond
Pharmacists and technicians will learn why the NCPDP Script 2017071 changes apply to their practice setting regardless of third-party status. The presenter will discuss the capabilities of NewRx Request, ChangeRequest and other new transactions that may benefit the compound industry. 
Michelle M. Wong, PharmD, Electric Lab

9:00 am – 10:00 am  CE – Five Fast & Fabulous Ideas to Fire-Up Your Pharmacy Team
Five compounding pros and only ten minutes each to share a fabulous idea about fast-tracking your pharmacy team’s learning, buy-in, and output. That’s the gist of this fast-paced session. Come learn how your pharmacy team can amp -up your compounding operation.
Facilitator: Tara Thompson, PharmD
• Investing in the Future of Pharmacy: Building a Mutually Beneficial Preceptorship and Rotation Site. 
  Tara Thompson, PharmD, VP Innovation Compounding
• Let’s Make A Deal! Pricing Strategies for Cash-Based Compounds 
  Scott Turner, PharmD, MBA, Innovation Compounding
• Let’s Do This! Staff Engagement and Motivation 
  Doug Yoch, PharmD, Stanley Specialty Pharmacy
• Pounding the Pavement: Teamwork and Recruiting Top Talent for Sales and Marketing 
  Erin Michael, MBA, MS, CPhT, PCCA
• A Tried and True Model for Implementing Workflow Strategies 
  Alexander Pytlarz, PharmD

10:00 am – 11:00 am  CE – Patient Safety Ain’t Optional, Folks
Sponsored by Pharmacists Mutual Group
To understand the science behind the laws that govern compounding and help facilities properly implement these regulations. 
Ross Caputo, PhD, Eagle Analytics

10:45 am – 1:15 pm  Expo Open/Lunch
1:15 pm – 9:00 pm  Exhibitor Break down

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm  CE – Putting Safety at the Center of Your Compounding Operation
Sponsored by Alliance for Patient Medication Safety
Do you know how many medication incidents occur in your pharmacy? Do you have tools to effectively manage and reduce them? Do you have a policy in place for when medication errors occur? Do you know when and how to do a root cause analysis? Do you have access to continuing education and training for your pharmacists to help them with risk management? Attend this session and
learn how APMS® Patient Safety Organization (PSO), helps you put safety at the center of your pharmacy operation.

Dr. John Kessler, RPh, PharmD, BS Pharm, Alliance for Patient Medication Safety PSO

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**CE – More Than Counting, Pouring, Licking and Sticking: How to Leverage Your Technicians for Pharmacy Success**

*Sponsored by the Pharmacy Compounding Foundation*

Pharmacy technicians are the backbone of any pharmacy operation and are essential members of the pharmacy team. Every owner knows their pharmacy could not function or survive without their technicians. In this session, sponsored by the Pharmacy Compounding Foundation and completely led by pharmacy technicians, you’ll learn how to depend on and leverage your technicians for pharmacy success. Join us for tips, strategies, and information from eyewitness experiences that will take your pharmacy practice to the next level!

*Facilitator: Jennifer Petska, CPhT, Alliance for Pharmacy Compounding*

- Erin Michael, MBA, MS, CPhT, PCCA
- Brenda Jensen, CPhT, CNMT, MBA, Compounding Consultants LLC
- Stacy Hightower, CPhT, Las Colinas Pharmacy

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

**CE – Meanwhile, Back in the States ...**

*Sponsored by Gates Healthcare Associates*

Sure, federal policy affects your compounding practice, but not nearly as much as state law and regulation do. In this session you’ll get a whirlwind tour of trends in compounding regulation in states across the country – plus a lesson from compounders who’ve joined APC’s Stateside Coalition and influenced the process for good in their states.

*Dave Kosar, Independent Consultant*

*Stephen Snow, JD, Bendin Sumrall & Ladner, LLC*

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

**Concurrent Sessions:**

**CE – Try a Little Strategery: How Strategic Planning Can Fuel Your Pharmacy’s Future**

Having a roadmap for your pharmacy is key to a successful business. This session discusses a strategic planning technique that engages your key opinion leaders on staff and their ideas to build revenues, morale, and quality. We’ll show you how to make it fun while taking your pharmacy to the next level.

*Shawn Hodges, PharmD, CEO, Innovation Compounding*

**CE – Minor Chapters, Major Impacts: What USP <51>, <61> and <1207> Mean for Your Practice**

They’re just as important as the “big” compounding chapters, and they apply to you – but do you really know what some of these lesser-known USP chapters do and say? Learn about the guidelines surrounding antimicrobial (preservative) effectiveness testing, microbial enumeration tests, container closure integrity, and more in this informative panel discussion from USP experts.
Brian Kelley, BS, Director of Business Development, ARL Bio Pharma

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm  **COMP-PAC Cocktail Reception**  
(An investment of $250 or more in 2020 required for admission; make your investment at the APC registration desk.) **

7:00 pm – 10:00 pm  **Joint APC / NHIA Networking Event**  
A night of networking and fun for the compounding and home infusion industry professionals. Join us April 8 at Denver’s Stapleton Punchbowl Social during APC’s 2020 Education and NHIA’s 2020 Annual Conference. There will be something for everyone in the 15,000-square-foot fun factory, with space to network and enjoy entertainment – including shuffleboard, bowling, life-size Jenga, 18-hole putt-putt, and old-school arcade games.

**Thursday, April 9, 2020**
7:00 am – 12:00 pm  **Registration Desk Open**
7:00 am – 9:00 am  **Breakfast Symposia* (open to APC members)**

8:00 am – 9:00 am  **FDA Presentation on DRAFT GFI on Animal Compounding**
Attend this explanation and discussion of FDA’s recently proposed draft Guidance for Industry document addressing animal compounding, presented by FDA staff.

9:15 am – 10:15 am  **CE – Compliance with USP 800 – Sterile Requirements (APC/NHIA joint session)**
This session will review the new USP <800> standard and how attendees can adapt their operation for compliance. Attendees will learn how to conduct a risk assessment, design pharmacy workflow for hazardous drug (HD) sterile compounding, and implement standard operating procedures to protect employees, patients, and the environment.

  *Patricia Kienle, RPh, MPA, FASHP*

9:15 am – 10:15 am  **CE (Concurrent Session for nonsterile compounders) – What Else is in There?! Excipients, Inert Ingredients, and Fillers for Nonsterile Compounding**
Knowing which inert ingredients to add to your formulations is crucial in compounding. Oftentimes, we find ourselves confused with so many options of fillers, preservatives, or other excipient agents. Join us to hear best practices on when, how, where, and with what active ingredients or dosage forms to use inert ingredients. Learn of options available for patients who may be sensitive to gluten or other ingredients, what is suitable and what is required.

  *Dr. Lloyd Allen, RPh, PhD, IJPC*

10:15 am - 11:15 am  **CE – Compliance with USP 800 – Nonsterile Requirements (APC/NHIA joint session)**
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assessment, design pharmacy workflow for hazardous drug (HD) nonsterile compounding, and implement standard operating procedures to protect employees, patients, and the environment.

*Patricia Kienle, RPh, MPA, FASHP*

11:15 am – 12:15 pm  **Sendoff CE – CBD and Compounding: What Was, What Is, and What Might Be Sponsored by Eagle Analytics**

Attend and learn what you need to know to navigate the ever-growing use of CBD-containing products in pharmacies across the United States. The marketplace at this point is rife with significant legal risks and regulatory pitfalls given the novelty of CBD products and their recent de-regulation after the passage of the 2018 Farm Bill. This session will address the legal environment, FDA’s and FTC’s current attempts to regulate the advertising, promotion and distribution of CBD products, and what a pharmacy, pharmacist, or supplier may do to stay out of enforcement crosshairs.

*Karla Palmer, Esq., Director, Hyman, Phelps & McNamara, P.C.*

*NHIA hosted, APC members can attend

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