PUBLISHERS SHOWCASE
The American Association of Medical Assistants will host hundreds of medical assisting professionals from all over the United States at the Publishers Showcase 2019. The event will be held Sunday, September 15, at the Sheraton Greensboro at Four Seasons.

Publishers Showcase is the premier resource for the texts and information that medical assisting educators and practitioners need to stay abreast of the latest products, services, and health care information. Medical assisting educators look forward to the opportunity to take the newest technologies and reference materials with them when they return to their classrooms.

PUBLISHER BENEFITS
Complimentary listing in the conference program, conference newsletter, conference app, and CMA Today
Each publisher will have a description and listing in the conference program, in addition to listings in the Conference Daily and CMA Today, the official publication of the AAMA. Also included is a banner ad that will be seen on our conference app.

EXHIBIT SCHEDULE
September 15
Setup
8–10:30 AM
Open
11 AM–4 PM
Dismantling
4–6:30 PM

Get a comp banner ad in our conference app!
Application for space at Publishers Showcase 2019 indicates the applicant’s willingness to abide by all accompanying terms and conditions, as well as such additional rules and regulations the AAMA deems necessary to the success of the Showcase, provided these latter do not materially alter the exhibitor’s contractual rights.

**Prices**
The fee for each table is $325. The fee includes one table, two chairs, and one identification sign. Additional tables can be purchased for $225 each.

**Payment terms**
Full payment must accompany the application and signed contract. Payment must be received by July 1, 2019.

**Admission**
Exhibitor admission to Publishers Showcase will be by badge and business card only, and badges must be worn at all times. Badges can be obtained at the conference registration desk. Badge swapping among personnel is prohibited. Exhibitors without tables may not sell on the floor. The AAMA shall have sole control over all admission policies at all times.

**Showcase information and requirements**
**Location.** The AAMA reserves the right to make any modifications necessary to meet the needs of the exhibitors and Publishers Showcase programs.

**Assignment.** Tables are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. The AAMA will consider all table space preferences, but reserves the right to adjust space assignments should conditions necessitate such action.

**Usage.** Exhibitor items may not exceed tabletops. Interference with normal traffic flow or infringement on neighboring exhibitors is prohibited.

**Local regulations.** All materials and equipment must conform to applicable local building, electrical, fire, and related safety regulations.

**Conference app ad.** Your application also includes a complimentary banner advertisement in the AAMA Annual Conference app. Send in your company logo in vector format, your preferred color specifications, and the hyperlink you would like to attach to your banner ad to MarCom@aama-ntl.org.

**Use of AAMA logo.** Use of the AAMA name (in both its full and abbreviated forms), its logo, and the Publishers Showcase logo by exhibitors is strictly prohibited.

**Subletting space.** Exhibitors may not assign, sublet, or apportion the whole or any part of the space allotted to them and may not advertise or display goods or services other than those manufactured or sold by them in the regular course of their business.

**Supervision of space.** The exhibitor shall provide staffing of Publishers Showcase space(s) throughout the exhibit dates and hours, at no time during those dates and hours leaving the space unattended.

**Care of space.** Exhibitors must, at their expense, keep neat and in good order Publishers Showcase space(s) contracted for herein.

**Prizes.** Prizes are encouraged. Floor prizes may be given from private drawings at any of the Publishers Showcase tables. The exhibitor assumes responsibility for conducting the drawing and the delivery of prizes. In addition, the AAMA will provide a prize ticket to each vendor exhibit for distribution at random to an exhibit attendee.

**Food and beverage.** No liquor may be served from the Publishers Showcase tables.

**Sound devices.** Operation of sound devices that do not project sound beyond the exhibitor’s space is allowed.

**Shipping and storage**
Each exhibitor must assume responsibility for shipping and storage of materials for their tabletops.

**No crates will be accepted by the hotel.**

**Installation and removal**
Setup of exhibits may begin at 8 am on Sunday, September 15. All setups must be completed 30 minutes prior to the opening of Publishers Showcase at 11 am. Dismantling of exhibits may not begin prior to 4 pm on Sunday, September 15, and must be completed by 6:30 pm.

**Headquarters hotel**
The Sheraton Greensboro at Four Seasons is the headquarters for the AAMA 2019 Annual Conference and Publishers Showcase. Please refer to the Annual Conference Registration Brochure for information on housing.

**Contract cancellations**
Notification for cancellation of exhibit table space(s) must be submitted in writing and postmarked no later than August 15. A refund per cancelled space will be issued (minus a $40 administrative fee). No refunds will be made for cancellations postmarked after August 15.

**Failure to occupy space**
Any exhibit space not occupied by noon on September 15 may be canceled or reassigned without any obligation on the part of the AAMA for any refund.

**Use of music**
No exhibitor may use music, whether live or recorded, at its table without the prior written approval of the AAMA, which will require the exhibitor to have appropriate music licensing agreements for the public performance of any copyrighted music used by the exhibitor.

**Liability**
The AAMA, the meeting coordinator, the conference hotel, and the employees or representatives thereof, are not responsible for injury, loss, or damage that may occur to the exhibit or employees of the exhibit or the exhibitor’s property from any cause whatsoever before, during, or after the period covered by the Publishers Showcase contract.

The exhibitor agrees to indemnify those listed above against any claims for such loss, damage or injury. Upon signing the contract, the exhibitor expressly releases the foregoing institutions, individuals, and committees from any and all claims for loss, damage, or injury. This also includes the period of shipping and storage prior to and following the conference.

In addition, the exhibitor agrees to hold harmless and indemnify the AAMA, its officers, directors, employees, and agents from any and all claims, demands, or actions arising out of or as a result of any act or omission on the part of the exhibitor, its officers, directors, employees, agents, or invitees, as a result of its exhibit or otherwise related to the conference.

Small or easily portable articles of value should be properly secured or removed for safekeeping during the hours the exhibits are closed.

Should a situation beyond the control of the AAMA arise to prevent the opening of the conference or exhibits, the AAMA may not be held liable for any expenses incurred except for rental cost of the assigned exhibit space.

**Canvassing by non-exhibitors**
The use of Publishers Showcase space to demonstrate products, solicit orders, or distribute advertising matter is limited to individuals, business firms, manufacturers, and dealers who have contracted and paid for space assignments. No other AAMA meeting space may be used for these purposes and no other persons or concerns are permitted to demonstrate their products, solicit orders, or distribute advertising matter at Publishers Showcase. Any violation of this rule will be followed by ejection from Publishers Showcase of the offending person(s).

**Eligible exhibits**
The AAMA reserves the right to refuse rental of display space to any entity, for any reason, at the sole discretion of the association.
CONTRACT FOR PUBLISHERS SHOWCASE SPACE

Table space is assigned on a first-paid basis.

Full payment for each table space reserved must accompany this application and be received by July 1, 2019.

Checks should be made payable to AAMA. Please provide the information requested on this form and return with your exhibit fee to:

AAMA Publishers Showcase; 20 N. Wacker Dr., Ste. 1575; Chicago, IL 60606
Fax: 312/899-1259. For questions, call: 800/228-2262 or email: Conference@aama-ntl.org

Mailing and contact information  (Please type or print all information.)

Name/Credentials: ___________________________________________ Title: __________________________
Firm name: __________________________________________________
Address: _______________________________________________________
City/State/ZIP: ________________________________________________
Telephone: _______ / _______ Email: __________________________ Fax: _______ / _______

Names of reps who will be at Publishers Showcase: __________________________
(If names are not provided with application, badges must be picked up at the registration desk. Exhibitor admission to Marketplace is by badge and business card only.)

Exhibitors

Fees per table (nonprofits call AAMA).

☐ One table $ 325
☐ Each additional 225

Total number of tables requested: __________________________
Total cost for requested tables: __________________________

Conference program information

You must provide a product description to receive a listing. Write the description below or you may attach a separate sheet with your description written in 25 words or less. Contracts for space without descriptions will not be processed.

Conference app ad

Your application includes a complimentary banner advertisement in the AAMA Annual Conference app. Send in your company logo in vector format, preferred color specifications, and hyperlink address to MarCom@aama-ntl.org.

Payment method

☐ My check is enclosed, made payable to the AAMA in the amount of $ __________________________
☐ Charge my: ☐ American Express ☐ Discover ☐ Mastercard ☐ Visa
Card#: ___________________________ Expiration date: ______________
Name on card: __________________________________________________________
Signature: ____________________________________________________________________
Ad size | Rate | Specs
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Full page (243) | $500 | 7-1/2” x 10”
1/2 horizontal (244) | 400 | 7-1/2” x 4-3/4”
1/2 vertical (245) | 400 | 3-5/8” x 10”
1/4 vertical (246) | 325 | 3-5/8” x 4-3/4”

Trim size
8-1/2” x 11”

Special placement
Only full-page ads are accepted for cover positions.
Ad rates for inside-front and inside-back covers are $550; back cover is $600.

Design
The AAMA production staff will design ad copy free of charge for AAMA state societies only.

Deadline
July 1, 2019

Mailing instructions
Send completed insertion order, ad materials, and payment to:
AAMA MarCom Department
20 N. Wacker Dr., Ste. 1575
Chicago, Illinois 60606
Phone: 800/228-2262
Fax: 312/899-1259
Email: MarCom@aama-ntl.org

Please select one:

- Ad enclosed or emailed separately.
- Ad will follow (deadline: July 1, 2019).

AAMA design required. Select intention of ad:

- In support of a candidate for office.
  Candidate name: ____________________________

- In thanks to a leader for their service.
  Leader name: ____________________________

- Other (e.g., to promote an upcoming conference)
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The AAMA will use the photo/state logo on file, if not included, and send a copy of the ad for review.

Name: ____________________________
Title: ____________________________
State/chapter or company: ____________________________
Address: ____________________________
City/State/ZIP: ____________________________
Daytime phone: ____________________________
Email: ____________________________

With the understanding that preferred positions are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis and are otherwise placed at the discretion of the AAMA, we submit the following order:

Size

- Full page ($500) $ __________
- 1/2 page horizontal ($400) __________
- 1/2 page vertical ($400) __________
- 1/4 page ($325) __________

Special placement

- Inside-front cover ($550) __________
- Inside-back cover ($550) __________
- Back cover ($600) __________

TOTAL: $ __________

Enclosed is a check or money order # ____________________, made payable to the AAMA in the amount of $ __________

Charge my: [ ] AmEx [ ] Visa [ ] MC [ ] Discover in the amount of $ __________

Card #: ____________________________ Expiration date: ____________________________

Name on card: ____________________________

Signature: ____________________________