AUSTRALIAN PAIN SOCIETY
& INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM
ON PAEDIATRIC PAIN

• JOINT CONFERENCE 2027 •

APS & ISPP Joint Symposium 2027 Prospectus

Gold Coast Convention & Exhibition Centre
13th - 16th April 2027

Australian Pain Society

PAIN IN CHILDHOOD
IASP Special Interest Group

Welcome

Covenor Message
APS & ISPP 2027 Gold Coast

On behalf of the Australian Pain Society (APS) and the International Association for the Study of Pain (IASP) Pain in Childhood Special Interest Group, it is our great pleasure to welcome you to the Gold Coast, Australia, for the joint APS and 16th International Symposium on Paediatric Pain (ISPP) Conference 2027.

We will gather on the lands of the Yugambeh people, the traditional custodians of the Gold Coast region.

This unique joint conference brings together the APS Annual Scientific Meeting and ISPP in 2027, creating an exceptional opportunity to connect national and international leaders in pain research, clinical care, and lived experience across the lifespan. By combining these two vibrant communities, the meeting will foster new collaborations, strengthen existing partnerships, and accelerate progress in improving pain outcomes for people of all ages.

A central theme of the 2027 meeting is innovation in pain—from translational science and emerging technologies, to the future of pain care and implementation in real-world settings. The Scientific Program Committee is curating an exciting and forward-looking program that will highlight innovative approaches shaping the future of pain research and management across both our pediatric-focused and lifespan pain communities.

Whether you are a clinician, researcher, trainee, person with lived experience, educator or policy maker, this meeting will offer meaningful opportunities to learn, connect, and be inspired, with a strong focus on translating innovation into impact.

The Gold Coast offers an exceptional setting for this joint conference. The region combines world-class conference facilities with a thriving health and research ecosystem, supported by strong partnerships across universities, hospitals, communities, and research institutes. The Gold Coast Convention and Exhibition Centre provides a state-of-the-art venue in the heart of Broadbeach, just moments from accommodation, dining, and the iconic Australian coastline.

Beyond the conference, the Gold Coast is a spectacular destination. From its renowned beaches to the lush hinterland and unique wildlife experiences, there are countless opportunities to explore and unwind. Whether you're enjoying the ocean, discovering local culture, or connecting with colleagues over exceptional food and hospitality, the Gold Coast offers something for everyone.

Whether this is your first APS or ISPP meeting, or you are a long-standing member of either community, we warmly invite you to join us. This joint conference promises to be a truly special event—bringing together a passionate, collaborative, and global community dedicated to improving the lives of people affected by pain.

As Convenors, we look forward to welcoming you to the Gold Coast in 2027 for what promises to be an outstanding and memorable conference.

Dr Karin Plummer
Co-Chair Scientific Program Committee, APS
Convenor, Local Organising Committee, ISPP 2027

Dr Deirdre Logan
Chair, IASP Pain in Childhood SIG

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About

The **Australian Pain Society** was formed in 1979 as the Australian Chapter of the International Association for the Study of Pain. Annual subscriptions are set at the minimal level necessary to cover administrative costs of the society.

The APS is a multidisciplinary organisation with representatives among its members from many medical specialties, as well as physiotherapy, psychology, nursing, general practitioners, other health professionals and the basic sciences. Its purpose is to advance pain management through education, research, and advocacy for transformational improvements in clinical care.

The membership numbers are in excess of 750, and include investigators and clinicians who are active in the field of pain and its management.

QLD: 147

The **International Association on the Study of Pain** (IASP) is the leading global organization supporting the study and practice of pain and pain relief. IASP brings together scientists, clinicians, health care providers, and policymakers from around the world in pursuit of their mission to bring relief to those who are in pain.

Who will benefit?

- **Pharmaceutical Companies:** Leaders in pharmaceuticals, offering advancements that transform patient care and improve health outcomes.
- **Medical Technology:** Pioneers in medical and health technology, including medical devices.
- **Research, Development, & Education:** Renowned research and scientific organisations, alongside educational bodies dedicated to the pursuit of knowledge and the cultivation of expertise within the healthcare community.
- **Accessibility & Support Technologies:** Specialists in assistive technology, championing innovations that empower individuals with disabilities, fostering independence and promoting an inclusive society.
- **Practice Management:** Technology to help increase practice/hospital efficiency, IT solutions and practice management software. As well as medical and health recruitment, administrative services and virtual assistants.
- **Financial, Insurance, & Legal Services:** Financial, insurance, and medico-legal services, providing the critical support framework that ensures the sustainability and integrity of healthcare practices.
- **Non-Profit Organisations & Associations:** NFPs and professional associations that play a pivotal role in supporting the healthcare industry through advocacy, education, and community services.

APS Sponsorship Principles

Unencumbered sponsorship is an integral part of the APS & ISPP Joint Symposium and is highly valued by our membership.

Sponsorship and exhibition at the APS & ISPP Joint Symposium does not influence the content of the scientific program. All program content is independently produced by the Scientific Program Committee (SPC). The only exception to this is sponsored sessions, where content is generated by working groups but independently reviewed and approved by the SPC. All products advertised within the exhibition area, both onsite and virtually, must be in line with the Terms & Conditions of this prospectus.

The Australian Pain Society expects sponsors & exhibitors to:

- Be aware of the vision, purpose and priorities of the APS
- Provide unencumbered sponsorship
- Understand the scientific program is produced independently by the Scientific Program Committee (SPC)
- Comply with all Australian laws
- Be aware that members of the public may attend this event or receive the promotional materials. The sponsors and exhibitors agree, in promoting their products and services in association with the APS, that they will comply with all relevant laws, including the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth), the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989 (Cth), the Therapeutic Goods Advertising Code and associated legislation, including but not limited to the restrictions on the advertising and promotion of Schedule 3 medicines (pharmacist only medicines), Schedule 4 medicines (prescription only medicines) including medicinal cannabis and Schedule 8 medicines (controlled drugs). The Sponsor acknowledges that unregistered medicines cannot be promoted at the event. Criminal and civil penalties apply for non-compliance with this legislation.
- Disclose any and all breaches of Australian laws and Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) requirements to the APS before entering into a sponsorship/exhibition agreement and/or as soon as they are aware that they are in breach, if applicable
- Notify the APS of any activities which may pose a reputational risk to the APS, or compromise the APS' vision, purpose and priorities

The APS commits to:

- Working collaboratively with sponsors and exhibitors to support best ethical practice within a sponsorship agreement
- Regularly reviewing notifications from the TGA and other relevant bodies to ensure no breaches by sponsors have occurred
- Reviewing or withdrawing from relationships with sponsors and exhibitors where a breach has occurred

APS Board approval

- **Medicinal cannabinoid companies** are required to provide proof of their company's education programs and will need to be approved by the APS Board before their booking is accepted.
- **Not-for-profit association displays** are available to associations approved by the APS Board. Applications will not be accepted where the applying entity is considered to be expressing views which lack robust scientific evidence, or which are contrary to a consensus of expert opinion formed by relevant health professionals.
- All applications to sponsor or exhibit are subject to final approval by the APS Board.

Venue

APS/ISPP 2027 will take place at the Gold Coast Convention and Exhibition Centre (GCCEC), which is conveniently located in the heart of Broadbeach, just a short walk from the pristine white sands of the Gold Coast.

The Gold Coast is conveniently located in the same time zone as much of the Asia-Pacific region, making it an accessible destination for international travellers. Known for its stunning beaches and vibrant city life, the Gold Coast has excellent international and domestic aviation access through the Gold Coast Airport, with direct flights to and from major cities such as Tokyo, Singapore, Kuala Lumpur, Auckland, and more.

The Gold Coast is famous for its pristine beaches, lush hinterland, and numerous outdoor activities. Whether you're exploring the natural beauty of Springbrook National Park, enjoying the surf at Burleigh Heads, or taking a leisurely stroll along the coastline, the Gold Coast offers a perfect blend of relaxation and adventure

There are many attractions and sights to see in the city and plenty of places to explore within the region.



Sponsorship Packages

Overview All pricing is in AUD +GST	**Gold** $25,000	**Silver** $17,000	**Bronze** $10,000
Complimentary in-person registrations (including sessions, morning teas, afternoon teas, lunches)	6	4	2
Complimentary exhibitor staff passes (including morning teas, afternoon teas, lunches)	6	4	2
Complimentary Gala Dinner tickets	6	4	2
Exhibition			
Exhibition Booth with panels, power outlets, lighting and identification sign provided or you have the option of "space and power outlets only" to allow for a custom designed booth	27 sqm (9m x 3m)	18 sqm (6m x 3m)	9 sqm (3m x 3m)
Programme			
Opportunity to select speaker of your own choice for the main program symposium (breakfast, afternoon or evening)	✓		
Promotion			
Verbal acknowledgement of your sponsorship during the opening and closing sessions	✓	✓	✓
Company logo on the Conference Website	Linked to company website	Linked to company website	Linked to company website
Acknowledgement of your sponsorship on the Conference App	✓	✓	✓
Company logo on e-marketing	✓		
Organisation logo and profile on the Conference App with contact details	300 words	200 words	100 words
Company logo on digital signage in the venue	✓	✓	✓
Company logo on slides introducing every session	✓	✓	✓
Copy of in-person participant list (name, Company, country, email). Names are limited to those who have agreed to name disclosure	From 6 weeks prior	From 4 weeks prior	From 2 weeks prior

Gold Sponsor

AUD $25,000 +GST

As a Gold Sponsor you will be recognised as a major sponsor of the APS ISPP Joint Symposium.

Benefits:

Registration

- Six (6) delegate registrations
- Six (6) APS ISPP Dinner Tickets
- Six (6) exhibitor passes

Exhibition Space

- 27 sqm space (premium 9m x 3m location)
- Option for space only (to build a custom booth)

Sponsored Session

- One 60min time slot reserved in the main programme (either breakfast, afternoon or evening)
- Opportunity to run your own session with speaker of your choice (subject to SPC Chair approval – see Sponsored Session Terms)
- Room hire & AV provided
- Catering at the sponsor's cost
- Session to be included in main registration form, website programme and Meeting APP

Profile

- Verbal acknowledgement of your sponsorship during the opening and closing sessions
- Company logo on website with hyperlink to your nominated website
- Company logo and profile (300 words) in the APS ISPP Meeting App
- Company logo on all Meeting signage (where applicable)
- Company logo on holding slide rotations during meeting breaks (where applicable)
- Access to delegate list* 6 weeks prior

*names are limited to those who agreed to name disclosure

Sponsored Session Terms

Included in the Gold Sponsor package

Gold Sponsors receive one 60-minute time slot reserved in the main programme (breakfast, afternoon or evening) to host their own sponsored session.

What is included

- A sponsored session enables you to provide a speaker and put together a program of your choice**
- Room hire and standard AV facilities are provided
- Catering costs are additional and at the sponsor's cost. Catering can be arranged through the Conference Secretariat
- Session to be included in the main registration form, website programme and Meeting APP
- Session to be included in a number of pre-conference marketing emails*
- Opportunity for company branding within the session
- Consenting delegate list of session attendees provided 3 days prior to the session

Approval & compliance

- **Session content, theme and speaker must be approved by the SPC Chair before being included in the conference program
- Approved sponsored session content does not imply APS endorsement of any products or companies
- Sessions must comply with all relevant laws, including the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989 (Cth), the Therapeutic Goods Advertising Code and the restrictions on the advertising and promotion of Schedule 3, Schedule 4 (including medicinal cannabis) and Schedule 8 medicines. Unregistered medicines cannot be promoted
- Members of the public (consumers not defined as health professionals under Section 42AA of the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989) attend the Symposium. Responsibility to verify the status of attendees as health professionals lies with the sponsor
- Sponsored sessions are the only sponsor-hosted events permitted during Symposium hours (see Terms & Conditions, clauses 27–30)

*Number of emails will be based on how early session information is supplied.
**Session content, theme and speaker subject to SPC Chair approval.

Silver Sponsor

AUD $17,000 +GST

As a Silver Sponsor you will be recognised as a major sponsor of the APS ISPP Joint Symposium.

Benefits:

Registration

- Four (4) delegate registrations
- Four (4) APS ISPP Dinner Tickets
- Four (4) exhibitor passes

Exhibition Space

- 18 sqm space (premium 6m x 3m location)
- Option for space only (to build a custom booth)

Profile

- Verbal acknowledgement of your sponsorship during the opening and closing sessions
- Company logo on website with hyperlink to your nominated website
- Company logo and profile (200 words) in the APS ISPP Meeting App
- Company logo on all Meeting signage (where applicable)
- Company logo on holding slide rotations during meeting breaks (where applicable)
- Access to delegate list* 4 weeks prior

*names are limited to those who agreed to name disclosure

Bronze Sponsor

AUD $10,000 +GST

As a Bronze Sponsor you will be recognised as a major sponsor of the APS ISPP Joint Symposium.

Benefits:

Registration

- Two (2) delegate registrations
- Two (2) APS ISPP Dinner Tickets
- Two (2) exhibitor passes

Exhibition Space

- 9 sqm space (premium 3m x 3m location)
- Option for space only (to build a custom booth)

Profile

- Verbal acknowledgement of your sponsorship during the opening and closing sessions
- Company logo on website with hyperlink to your nominated website
- Company logo and profile (100 words) in the APS ISPP Meeting App
- Company logo on all Meeting signage (where applicable)
- Company logo on holding slide rotations during meeting breaks (where applicable)
- Access to delegate list* 2 weeks prior

*names are limited to those who agreed to name disclosure

Exhibitor

AUD $5,000 +GST

Benefits:

- Two (2) exhibitor passes
- 9 sqm space (3m x 3m location)
- Company logo on website with hyperlink to your nominated website
- Company logo and profile (50 words) in the APS ISPP Meeting App
- Company logo on all Meeting signage (where applicable)
- Access to delegate list* from first day of Meeting

Not for Profit Association Booth

AUD $2,500 +GST

Benefits:

- 9sqm space (3m x 3m location)
- 2 complimentary exhibitor registrations including morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea
- 2 complimentary tickets to the Welcome Reception
- Access to delegate list* from first day of Meeting

APS Board approval

Medicinal cannabinoid companies are required to provide proof of their company's education programs and will need to be approved by the APS Board. Not-for-profit association booths are available to associations approved by the APS Board; spaces are limited and will be allocated by the Conference Secretariat. See Terms & Conditions, clauses 25–26.

*names are limited to those who agreed to name disclosure

Gala Dinner Sponsor (exclusive)

AUD $6,500 +GST

As the exclusive Gala Dinner Sponsor, you will have the opportunity to be part of the highlight of the social calendar for the 2027 Meeting.

Benefits:

- 10x Complimentary tickets to attend the Gala Dinner
- Verbal Acknowledgement by the APS President during the dinner
- 2- 3min speaking opportunity during Gala Dinner
- Sponsor logo will be printed on dinner menus
- Sponsor may provide additional branded items* and banners to place prominently in the Gala Dinner room
- Access to delegate list* from first day of Meeting

Welcome Reception (exclusive)

AUD $5,000 +GST

The Conference Welcome Reception will be held in the exhibition area on the evening of Tuesday 13th April providing a great start to the Meeting and 1.5hr of valuable networking.

Benefits:

- 10x Complimentary tickets to attend the Welcome Reception
- Verbal acknowledgement by the APS & ISPP Committee Convenor during welcome
- A 2 – 3 minute speaking opportunity during the Welcome Reception
- Opportunity to provide printed banners and / or light boxes in a prominent location at the Welcome Reception
- Opportunity to provide product (eg. Printed napkins, aprons for staff)*

*Branding items to be signed off by Committee

Full Day Pre-Conference Workshop (exclusive)

AUD $7,000 +GST

There will be one full day pre-conference workshop. This is your opportunity to reach a select group of delegates and make a lasting impression.

Benefits:

- 4 complimentary registrations to the workshop
- 1x trestle table display with 2 chairs at back of room
- Opportunity to have pull-up banners displayed
- Acknowledgement of sponsorship by Chair at opening & closing of workshop
- 3 – 5 minute speaking opportunity during workshop
- Opportunity to provide branded products (eg. pens, notepads)
- Workshop delegate list*

Half Day Pre-Conference Workshop

AUD $4,500 +GST

There will be six half day pre-conference workshops. This is your opportunity to reach a select group of delegates and make a lasting impression.

Benefits:

- 2 complimentary registrations to the workshop
- 1x trestle table display with 2 chairs at back of room
- Opportunity to have pull-up banners displayed
- Acknowledgement of sponsorship by Chair at opening & closing of workshop
- 3 – 5 minute speaking opportunity during workshop
- Opportunity to provide branded products (eg. pens, notepads)
- Workshop delegate list*

*names are limited to those who agreed to name disclosure

Poster Area Sponsorship

AUD $3,500 +GST

Posters will be viewed within the exhibition area for the duration of the conference allowing ample opportunities for branding to be displayed to delegates. Alignment with the posters presents a marketing opportunity for the sponsor to demonstrate their support and commitment to continued research and development within the industry.

Benefits:

- Logo and naming rights on website and Meeting APP
- Naming rights of poster area in the exhibition area
- High bar table space for company merchandise and information to be displayed
- Spaces for 2x pull-up banners
- Logo printed on poster board signage

Meeting APP Sponsorship (exclusive)

AUD $4,000 +GST

Be recognised as the Meeting APP Sponsor, fostering innovation and sustainability excellence. With no printed handbook, the APP will be the one go-to source of information at the Meeting for all attendees.

The APP will provide attendees access to the program, speakers, sponsor and exhibitor profiles, resources, engagement through attendee connections, with news and alerts keeping information up to date.

Benefits:

- Logo presence on the front 'splash' page of the APP, highlighting the meeting – this page will appear every time anyone opens the APP.
- Logo/banner presence on navigation/ home page (bottom of APP). This will also be hyperlinked to the company website.
- Logo presence on the APP sponsorship page – this page will also contain other sponsor logos, details and links.
- Promoted as the APP sponsor on the Meeting website

Best Paper, Best Poster & Best Rapid Communication Awards Name Rights

AUD $3,500 +GST

Benefits:

- Company representative to join prize-winners on stage for a photograph, which will appear in the APS Newsletter
- Company logo on website & APP

Conference APP Downloadable Flyer

1 – 2 page $400 +GST
3 – 6 page $550 +GST
7 – 12 page $650 +GST

Benefits:

- All delegates who attend the APSISPP27 Meeting will have access to the conference AP. Increase your exposure during the conference by including a downloadable flyer under your company listing.

Lanyard Sponsor (exclusive)

AUD $3,500 +GST
Please note, Lanyard to be supplied by sponsor.

Benefits:

- One (1) Meeting registration which includes attendance at sessions, tea breaks & lunch.
- Company logo on Meeting lanyards (to be supplied by sponsor)
- Company logo on Meeting website
- Company logo and details in the sponsor section of Meeting APP
- Access to delegate list at time of the Meeting*

*names are limited to those who agreed to name disclosure

Terms & Conditions

1. The term 'Organiser' refers to The Conference Company (TCC) acting as agent for the Australian Pain Society (APS).
2. The terms 'Sponsor' and 'Exhibitor' include any person, firm, company or corporation and its employees and agents identified in the Booking Form or other written request for Sponsorship or Exhibition Space.
3. A "Contract" is formed between the Organiser and Sponsor and / or Exhibitor when the Organiser accepts the signed application form, or full payment, whichever comes first.
4. The Organiser reserves the right to refuse application or prohibit any Sponsor / Exhibitor from participation without assigning a reason for such refusal or prohibition.
5. The Organiser may cancel the contract at their discretion if full payment is not received within 30 days of the invoice issue date. Additionally, the Organiser reserves the right to cancel the contract at their discretion by returning the deposit within 30 days of receipt.
6. The Organiser reserves the right to change the exhibition floor layout if necessary.
7. The Organiser reserves the right in unforeseen circumstances to amend or alter the exact site of the location of the stand.
8. The Organiser may refuse without limitation to permit activity within the exhibition or may require cessation of particular activities at their discretion.
9. The Organiser reserves the right to specify heights of walls and coverings for display areas.
10. The Organiser may determine the hours during which the Exhibitor will have access to exhibition venue for setting up and dismantling.
11. The Organiser will specify conditions relating to the movement of goods and displays, prior, during and after the exhibition.
12. The Organiser will accept no liability for loss or damage of equipment displayed or used by the Exhibitor.
13. The Organiser and the Organising Committee reserve the right to change any part of the prospectus.

OBLIGATIONS AND RIGHTS OF THE EXHIBITOR

14. The Exhibitor must use allocated space only for the display and promotion of goods and /or services within the scope of the exhibition.
15. The exhibitor must advise in writing if they wish to share their booth with another company/organisation, or sell their booth to another company/ organisation. This will be reviewed by the Organiser and a decision advised.
16. The Exhibitor must comply with all directions / requests issued by the Organiser and the venue, including those outlined in the Exhibitor Manual.
17. The Exhibitor will submit plans and visuals of custom designed exhibits to the Organiser for approval at least 40 days prior to the conference start date.
18. The Exhibitor acknowledges that the Organiser will not be able to provide assistance in tracking lost deliveries.
19. The Exhibitor agrees that the Organiser will not be liable for any goods rejected by the venue or lost or damaged prior to the delivery date specified or on return.
20. It is the responsibility of the Exhibitor to ensure that the space hired for their exhibition complies with their company policy or codes of conduct.

TGA APPROVAL REQUIRED FOR MEDICAL DEVICES OR DRUGS FOR PROMOTION

21. The APS accepts requests for promotion (at its conferences, on its website or in its communications) of products or devices which are approved by the TGA, provided that such promotion is compliant with all relevant laws and also registered or listed by the TGA (or otherwise exempt from registration or listing). Advertising prescription medicines (including medicinal cannabis) to the public is prohibited under subsections 42DL(10) and 42DLB(7) of the Act unless a permitted exception applies. Please refer to: www.tga.gov.au/news/mediareleases/updated-medicinal-cannabis-guidance. Please note that the audience of the APS conferences and websites and communications include members of the public.
22. Should there be a TGA ruling between the signing of this contract and the conference that revoke's the Exhibitor's TGA approval and/or finds that the Exhibitor has acted in contravention of TGA approved purposes, the APS reserves the right to cancel the contract. Should that occur, refunds will be assessed based on the amount of exposure already received through preconference marketing.
23. The Organiser reserves the right to reject or cancel a contract if it becomes apparent that association with the Sponsor or Exhibitor, or actions of the Sponsor or Exhibitor, may pose a reputational risk to the APS.
24. Sponsors and Exhibitors are required to advise the APS of any TGA breaches/ infringements within 30 days of the breach/ infringement being known.

MEDICINAL CANNABINOID COMPANIES

25. Medicinal cannabinoid companies are required to provide proof of their companies education programs, and will need to be approved by the APS Board.

NOT-FOR-PROFIT TRESTLE TABLE DISPLAYS

26. Applications for trestles will not be accepted if: the applying entity is considered to be expressing views which lack robust scientific evidence; or where such evidence is

not available, where the views are considered to be contrary to a consensus of expert opinion formed by relevant health professionals.

SPONSOR HOSTED EVENTS

27. The Organiser's encourage sponsors and exhibitors to secure a sponsored session within the conference program if they wish to host a scientific session, education session, meeting, networking function or dinner during the Symposium.

28. Outside of clause 27 sponsored sessions, no events are to be hosted during the Symposium from Tuesday 13th April 7am – 6pm, Wednesday 14th April 6am - 8pm, Thursday 15th April 6am – 11pm, Friday 16th April 6am – 6pm.

29. Outside of the dates and hours in clause 28, sponsors choosing to host a private function, must inform the Organiser for prior approval.

30. Sponsored sessions are subject to the Sponsored Session Terms set out on page 8 of this prospectus.

STORAGE OF GOODS

31. Instructions regarding storage will be outlined in the Exhibitor Manual distributed prior to the exhibition.

STAND SERVICES & CONSTRUCTION

32. Official contractors will be appointed by the Organiser to undertake stand construction plus supply furniture and IT equipment. All non-official contractors wishing to enter the exhibition are required to provide current Certificates of Currency for Insurance, Public Liability. Access will be denied without such documentation.

33. Companies wishing to build a custom stand MUST ensure the stand is no higher than 3m. Custom stand designs and specification are subject to approval by the Secretariat and venue. Companies who design and / or build over this height must cover the costs associated with adjusting their stands to this height specification. For further information, please refer to the Exhibition Manual.

INSURANCE & LIABILITY

34. All Exhibitors must have Public Liability Insurance of at least AUD $20 million for the period of the exhibition and a copy of your Public Liability Insurance Certificate must be sent to the Organisers at least 30 days prior to the commencement of the conference.

35. Exhibition and Sponsorship packages do not include insurance of any kind. In the event of the conference cancelling the Organiser will not accept liability for, but not limited to:

    I. Loss of conference deposits and payment

    II. Costs incurred for freight delivery and/or return to/from the conference

    III. Costs involved with Sponsors and Exhibitors design and build custom stands, standard booths, marketing, graphics and giveaways

    IV. Loss of international/domestic airfares and/ or accommodation

36. Exhibitors must insure, indemnify and hold the Organiser harmless in respect of all damages, injuries, costs, claims, demands, expenses and interest for which the Organiser may become liable.

37. The Organiser, the venue and the Organising Committee cannot accept liability for any loss or damage to property sustained or occasioned from any cause whatsoever.

FORCE MAJEURE

38. The Organisers shall not be held responsible for any delay or failure in performance of its obligations hereunder to the extent such delay or failure is caused by fire, flood, strike, civic, governmental or military authority, acts of God, acts of terrorism, acts of war, epidemics, the unavailability of the venue or other similar causes beyond the its reasonable control and without fault or negligence. For one or more of such reasons, the Organisers may postpone, reschedule or cancel the event without liability on the part of the Organisers. If the event cannot be held or is postponed pursuant to this section, the Organisers shall not be liable for any direct, consequential or accidental damages, costs, or losses incurred, such as, but not limited to, transportation costs, accommodation costs, incidentals or financial losses.

PAYMENT & CANCELLATION

39. If an invoice has been requested, payment must be made within 30 days of receiving the invoice.

40. If an invoice has been requested, your preferred booth allocation will be held for 30 days after the invoice has been sent. After this time, the Organiser reserves the right to reallocate any Exhibitor to another space if payment has not been received in full.

41. All payments and registrations must be confirmed and paid 30 days prior to the conference start date.

42. If payment has not been made 30 days before the conference start date, the Organiser reserves the right to amend your booth location.

43. Cancellation must be advised in writing to the Organiser.

44. If an Exhibitor cancels before they have paid for the booking, the appropriate cancellation fee must still be paid.

45. No Sponsor or Exhibitor shall occupy allocation space until all monies owing to the Organiser by the Sponsor or Exhibitor are paid in full.

46. The Exhibitor accepts that a cancellation fee of:

    I. 25% of the total contracted cost will be retained by the Organiser if cancellation occurs prior to 19 October 2026

    II. 50% of the total contracted cost will be retained by the Organiser if cancellation occurs within the period 20 October 2026 – 19 January 2027

    III. 100% of the total contracted cost will be retained by the Organiser if cancellation occurs on or after 20 January 2027

Sponsor / Exhibitor Booking Form

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Please complete all sections and return to: apsispp27@theconferencecompany.com

Company Details		
Contact Name:	Company Name:	
Position:	Department:	
Address:		
State:	Country:	Postcode:
Phone:	Mobile:	Email:

Declarations (required)		
We will be marketing S3, S4 or S8 drugs at this conference. If YES, please list the names of these drugs: _____	☐ YES	☐ NO
Is the company associated in any way with medicinal cannabis (or other non-TGA approved / special access) products? If YES, proof of your company's education programs must be provided and the application will be referred to the APS Board for approval.	☐ YES	☐ NO
☐ We are aware there will be consumers (being those delegates not explicitly defined as health professionals per Section 42AA of the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989) present onsite and able to view promotional material. We are aware that conference organisers will have in place processes to enable identification of consumers and health professionals; however, we understand that responsibility to verify status as a health professional lies with the exhibitor.		

A. Sponsorship Packages (all prices AUD + GST)		
☐ Gold Sponsor (includes one sponsored session – see page 8)	$25,000	Qty:
☐ Silver Sponsor	$17,000	Qty:
☐ Bronze Sponsor	$10,000	Qty:

B. Program & Social Sponsorship Opportunities		
☐ Gala Dinner Sponsor (exclusive)	$6,500	Qty:
☐ Welcome Reception (exclusive)	$5,000	Qty:
☐ Full Day Pre-Conference Workshop (exclusive)	$7,000	Qty:
☐ Half Day Pre-Conference Workshop	$4,500	Qty:
☐ Poster Area Sponsorship	$3,500	Qty:
☐ Meeting APP Sponsorship (exclusive)	$4,000	Qty:
☐ Best Paper, Best Poster & Best Rapid Communication Awards Naming Rights	$3,500	Qty:
☐ Lanyard Sponsor (exclusive, lanyards supplied by sponsor)	$3,500	Qty:

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Sponsor / Exhibitor Booking Form

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C. Conference APP Downloadable Flyer		
☐ 1 – 2 page PDF	$400	Qty:
☐ 3 – 6 page PDF	$550	Qty:
☐ 7 – 12 page PDF	$650	Qty:

D. Exhibition		
☐ Exhibitor (9 sqm booth)	$5,000	Qty:
☐ Not-for-Profit Association Booth (subject to APS Board approval)	$2,500	Qty:

Payment Summary (AUD, excluding GST)	
A. Sponsorship Packages	AU$
B. Program & Social Sponsorship	AU$
C. Conference APP Flyer	AU$
D. Exhibition	AU$
TOTAL (excl. GST)	**AU$**

Payment Method

☐ Please send me an invoice ☐ Please pay by credit card (a secure payment link will be sent with your invoice)

Compliance & Acceptance of Terms and Conditions

☐ We have a compliance program in place to ensure we meet the legal requirements of advertising consistent with the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989 and the Therapeutic Goods Advertising Code.

☐ We do not have a compliance program in place, but are willing to liaise further with the APS Board to ensure compliance with relevant legal requirements.

☐ I understand that all applications to sponsor or exhibit are subject to final approval by the APS Board.

☐ I confirm our company has Public Liability Insurance to the value of AU$20 million.

☐ I confirm that I have read and understood the APS Sponsorship Principles, the Sponsored Session Terms (where applicable) and the Terms & Conditions set out in this prospectus.

Exhibition declaration: I/we acknowledge that exhibitors are NOT permitted to dismantle their booths before the official exhibition close and that our company representative/s will remain at the exhibition until the designated dismantling time.

Name (print):	Signature:	Date:

Cancellation policy: 25% of the total contracted cost will be retained by the Organiser if cancellation occurs prior to 19 October 2026; 50% if cancellation occurs within the period 20 October 2026 – 19 January 2027; and 100% if cancellation occurs on or after 20 January 2027. Bookings are confirmed in accordance with the Terms & Conditions. Companies will be allocated booths on a first come basis once full payment is received.

Please return this booking form to: apsispp27@theconferencecompany.com

To book and secure your sponsorship and exhibition booth/s, please complete the booking form and return it to the Conference Sponsorship Manager; Nihal Fernandez.

To discuss a tailored sponsorship package, further opportunities, booth availability or for more information, please contact Nihal Fernandez.



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