12th Annual

Medical Device Sterilization Conference

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Program Prospectus

Analysis of Ongoing Limitations in Collaborating with Sterilization Facilities & Exploring Practical Solutions to Overcome Challenges, Clarifying Evolving EPA Regulations, all while Diving Deeper in Opportunities with New Modalities & Dose Mapping.

Program Overview

With the constant influx of new medical devices each year, the demand for a fast-paced and highly efficient sterilization ecosystem is more important than ever. Currently, one of the main challenges lies in the capacity constraints faced by sterilization facilities, eventually leading to lengthy time frames and a significant increase in costs. Moreover, professionals feel mounting pressure to transition from traditional sterilization to alternative modalities, driven by both recent and upcoming rulings, as well as the industry's commitment to implement more sustainable processes. As a result, executives and industry professionals are actively seeking practical knowledge and insights from peers to facilitate smooth and efficient transitions to different sterilization methods. By sharing experiences and best practices, they aim to navigate challenges and ensure the continued availability of safe, clean, and effective medical devices.

Core Topics to be Addressed:

- Practical approach to transferring to a new sterilization modality
- Dissecting current complications with sterilization facility capacity
- FDA recent developments & position towards sterilization challenges
- Deciphering the impact of recent rulings from & against the EPA
- Expediting sterilization processes all while improving efficiency
- Navigating methods to validate lower EO concentration levels
- Identifying & applying new map dosing techniques for E-Beam
- Clarifying sterilization for MDR approval in the EU market
- Improving the recruitment and retention process for sterilization talent

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In-Person Program Highlights

Timely, comprehensive agenda topics are designed through **thoughtful end-user research** to address your most critical challenges.

Commitment to industry perspectives keeps the meeting focused on what matters; speakers are industry leaders and attendees are your peers.

Discover effective strategies and easily implement learning into your action plan via the **case study delivery** of agenda sessions.

Intimate program size and engaging Q&A leaves no stone unturned; get your questions addressed directly by our speakers.

Attendee Profile

Executives working within Medical Device and Diagnostic Corporations concerned with the appropriate sterilization of products, as well as meeting evolving regulatory guidance will be best suited to attend and take high value out of this meeting.

Job titles for this meeting include:

- Principal Engineer
- Sterilization Engineer
- E-Beam Strategy
- Research Scientist
- Sterilization Technology
- Quality Assurance

Previous Attendees Include

Sales Manager,**Ametek**
Sterilization Engineer, **Arthrex Inc.**
Sterilization Engineer, **Baxter**
WW Quality Engineering Manager, **Cardiovascular Systems, Inc / CSI**
Sterilization Program Manager, **Baxter Healthcare**
Sterility Assurance Specialist, **Cook Medical**
Senior Sterility Assurance Specialist, **Cook Medical**
Sterilization Engineer, **Cook Medical**
Sr. Corporate Sterilization and Biocompatibility Specialist, **Convatec**
Sterilization Microbiologist, **Corza Medical**
Medical Device Engineer 2, **Dexcom**
As. Director of Resilient Supply Chain & Shortages Prevention, **FDA**
Manager II, Sterilization & QA, **Fenwal, Inc.**
Engineer II, Quality Systems, **Fenwal, Inc.**
Applications Physicist, **Fermilab**
Validation Engineer (Sterility Assurance), **Lifecore Biomedical, LLC**
Sr Manager, Sterility Assurance, **Hollister Incorporated**
Sales Director, **IBA Industrial**
Head of Technical Services, **Philips Healthcare**
Global Director Microbiology Sterilization, **Smith & Nephew**
Project Manager, **Merck Group**
Head of Quality **Multigate Medical Products Pty Ltd**
Program Manager, **National Nuclear Security Administration**
Sr. Laboratory Operations Manager, **Nelson Laboratories**
VP of Quality Assurance and Regulatory Affairs, **Oscor**
Materials Scientist, **Pacific Northwest National Laboratory**
Quality Assurance Engineering Manager, **Penumbra**
Head of Technical Services, **Philips Healthcare**
Sr VP, **Pond & Company**
R&D Senior Manager, Tests & Verification, **Radiometer**
Device Development Engineer, **Regeneron Pharmaceuticals**
Sr. Principal Scientist, **Stryker**
VP, **Taiwan Advanced Sterilization Technology, Inc**
Technical Manager,**Terumo Cardiovascular Systems**
Toxicologist,**Texas Commission on Environmental Quality**
Chemical Review Manager, **US EPA**
BD, QA, RA Manager, **VYGON**
Sr. Sterilization Engineer, **W.L. Gore & Associates**
Director Sterilization Technology EMEA, **Zimmer Biomet**
and many more!

Attendees by Job Title

- 20% - Director
- 26% - Manager
- 13% - VP
- 16% - Engineer
- 15% - Scientist
- 13% - Other

Years of Experience

- 15% - 20+ years
- 22% - 15 - 20 years
- 29% - 10 - 15 years
- 34% - <10 years

Company Size

- 57% - 10K+
- 14% - 1K-10K
- 29% - <100

Unparallelled Networking In-Person

The in-person program provides a matchless venue for you to gather with industry peers, exchange ideas and benchmark best practices through the course of the two-day summit.

Building relationships with peers is easy because the program is laser-focused on one topic area and sponsor participation is limited. Attendees are engaged and the networking experience is unique.

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Sponsorship Opportunities

At this time, there are a variety of sponsorship opportunities available for companies wishing to increase their visibility and support the program, ranging from keynote speaking opportunities to branding options.

Organizations most suitable for this type of exposure provide services and solutions including:

- Electron Beam (E-Beam) Sterilization
- Gamma Irradiation Solutions
- Noxilizer (NO2) Sterilization
- X-Ray Irradiation Technology
- Vaporized Hydrogen Peroxide (VHP)
- Peracetic Acid
- Supercritical CO2
- Sterilization Validation Technology
- Laboratory Sterilization Equipment
- Sterilization Chamber Enclosures
- Third Party Sterilization Partners
- Device Sterile Packaging Solutions
- Sterilization Regulatory Consultants

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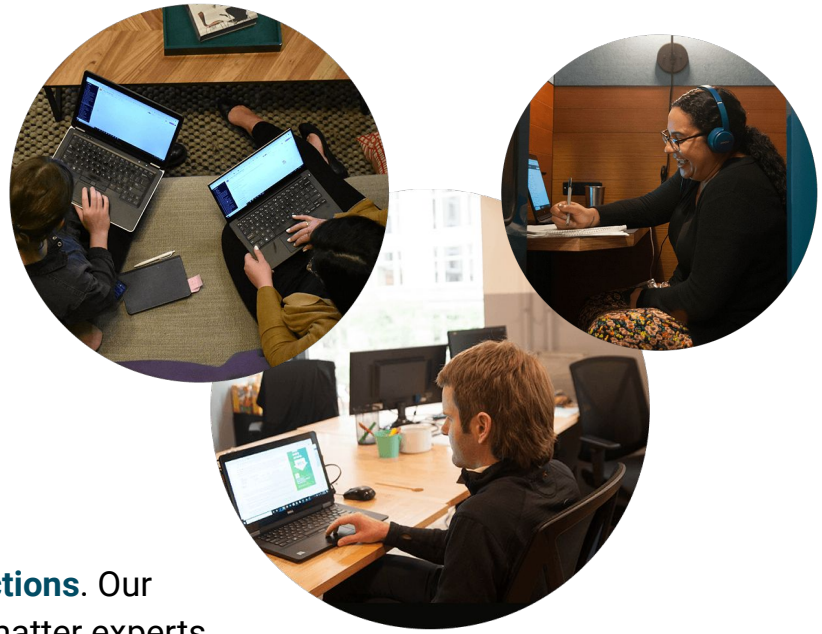
Program Success Story

900+

Over **900** industry executives have participated in the Annual Medical Device Sterilization Conference series, providing educational development, skills training and knowledge share for sterilization and regulatory compliance executives.

Who We Are



We propel highly regulated industries forward through platforms of curated executive education.

Powered by timely end-user research.

Grounded in collaborative knowledge share.

Conferences and webinars - that's our expertise at **Q1 Productions**. Our goal is to help you reach yours via connections with subject matter experts, decision-makers and regulators. With over a decade of experience bringing programs to market, we guarantee timely content, accredited speakers and peer-to-peer networking.

Ready to Register? Contact us.

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