

C.O.P.S. NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON LAW ENFORCEMENT WELLNESS & TRAUMA AND SURVIVING TO THRIVING CONFERENCE

NOVEMBER 5th-NOVEMBER 8th

SHERATON SAN DIEGO RESORT— SAN DIEGO, CA

EXHIBITOR PACKET



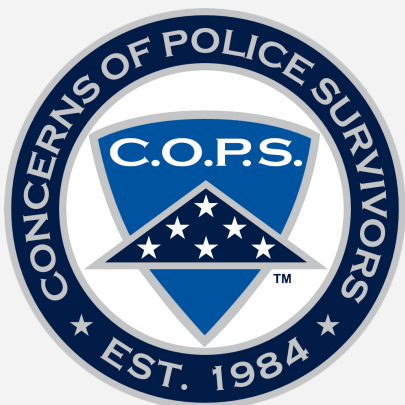
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EXHIBITOR SCHEDULE

EXHIBITOR LOAD IN

Thursday, November 5:

⇒ 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Friday, November 6:

⇒ 7:00 am - 8:00 am

SCHEDULED EXHIBITOR HOURS

Friday, November 6:

Conference Hours: 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Attendees Explore Exhibitor Times:

⇒ 9:30 am - 10:00 am
⇒ 11:30 am - 12:45 pm
⇒ 2:00 pm - 2:15 pm
⇒ 3:30 pm - 3:45 pm

Saturday, November 7:

Conference Hours: 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Attendee Explore Exhibitor Times:

⇒ 8:00 am - 8:30 am
⇒ 10:00 am - 10:15 am
⇒ 11:30 am - 12:45 pm
⇒ 2:00 pm - 2:15 pm
⇒ 3:30 pm - 3:45 pm

Sunday, November 8:

Conference Hours: 8:30 am - 12:00 pm

Attendee Explore Exhibitor Times:

⇒ 8:30 am - 9:00 am
⇒ 10:15 am - 10:30 am

EXHIBITOR LOAD OUT

Sunday, November 8:

⇒ 10:30 am - 1:00 pm

**Times are subject to change.*

**On-site sales are permitted by exhibitors to attendees.*

THANK YOU

Concerns of Police Survivors (C.O.P.S.) would like to thank you for your generosity and participation in this year's annual National Conference in San Diego. There will be TWO conferences being hosted simultaneously. Guests at BOTH conferences will have access to the exhibitor area. Enclosed in this packet is information you will need as an exhibitor. Please review all the information carefully and pay close attention to deadlines.

ABOUT THIS CONFERENCE

C.O.P.S. will host the National Conference on Law Enforcement Wellness & Trauma on the same dates and location as the Surviving to Thriving Conference. Again, both of these conferences will have access to the same exhibitors, which we are excited to be able to enhance the exposure of exhibiting companies/organizations to even more law enforcement personnel, and now surviving family members and co-workers.

The difference between the two conferences:

The **National Conference on Law Enforcement Wellness & Trauma** offers a much-needed focus on proactively addressing the cumulative stressors that can occur throughout an officer's career. C.O.P.S. invites all active and retired law enforcement officers, peer support, counselors, police chaplains, and spouses/significant others, to attend this weekend of healing, education, networking, and entertainment.

C.O.P.S. recognizes that every law enforcement officer is subject to crisis and tragedy throughout their career. These public servants see the most unthinkable acts of criminal behavior in our society. Are we providing assistance to help officers navigate these events over the course of their professional life and beyond?

We continue to see law enforcement suffer from PTSD in growing numbers. Suicide rates have surpassed line-of-duty deaths to become the biggest threat that police officers face. C.O.P.S. is dedicated to providing education and resources to prevent these statistics.

C.O.P.S. Surviving to Thriving Conference is a fun and uplifting event for survivors to come together, regardless of survivorship, to participate in informational life sessions, interactive experiences, and fun activities. Most importantly, the bonds of peer support will be evident giving surviving family members and co-workers the ability to share experiences and find comfort in a supportive community. Whether a survivor feels like they're just surviving or thriving, this conference promises to be an uplifting and empowering event, fostering personal growth, resilience, and the unbreakable bonds of survivorship.

This conference is appropriate for surviving family members, co-workers, and guests of the C.O.P.S. National Board who are aged 18 and over.

EXHIBIT LOCATION AND HOST HOTEL

Sheraton San Diego Resort

1380 Harbor Island Drive

San Diego, CA 92101

Phone: (619) 219-2900

Conference Room Rate: \$199.00 per night plus tax and fees
(Double \$199.00)

[Click here to book with group rate](#)

Cutoff date September 30th or until the room block is exhausted, whichever comes first.

EXHIBITOR FEES

10'x10' Booth

This includes a 10'x10' area for exhibitor space along with a 6'x3' table and two chairs.

For-profit Cost : \$2,000

Non-profit Cost : \$1,000

If you need additional space please contact us directly.

INCLUDED IN YOUR EXHIBITOR FEE:

- ◆ Conference registration for
- ◆ two attendees at your booth
- ◆ Law Enforcement
- ◆ Appreciation Night on Saturday and dinner for two
- ◆ Includes any classes you choose to attend
- ◆ Conference lunches on Friday and Saturday

NOT INCLUDED IN EXHIBITOR FEE:

- ◆ **ELECTRICAL, PHONE, INTERNET SERVICE!** *This has been provided in previous years, but is **NOT** provided this year.*
- ◆ Furniture rental
- ◆ Audio-visual equipment
- ◆ Material handling, installation and, dismantling of supplies
- ◆ Security of individual table space
- ◆ Meals, special events, and conference attendance for additional guests (these can be purchased at a reduced rate of \$175.)

ATTENDANCE

In 2025, we had over 750 active and retired law enforcement officers along with survivors and organizations connected to law enforcement in attendance. This represented 39 different states.



EXHIBIT SPACE SPECIFICATIONS

Exhibitor booths will be located inside Studio Foyer of the conference center. This space is located right next to one of the conference sessions hall, but not located in a secured area. Studio Foyer is also where COPS SHOP will be located, so all attendees will have to pass through the exhibitor area to get to the COPS SHOP. This will allow for maximum foot traffic throughout the morning and afternoon, along with dedicated "Explore Exhibitor" times.

Exhibitor Tables and Exhibitor Booths include:

- ◆ One 6'x3' table with linen, two chairs, and a waste basket. Space will have side and back drapes
- ◆ Listing as an exhibitor in conference program
- ◆ Exhibitor recognition on conference nametag and
- ◆ registration for two representatives
- ◆ Attendance to all social events, conference meals, and sessions you choose to attend

Aside from general conference hours, special times have been designated for conference attendees to explore exhibitors. These set times occur three times each day of the conference and allow attendees time to explore your organization or business.

EXHIBITOR BINGO

We are excited to announce the return of Exhibitor Blackout Bingo at the conference this year! Blackout Bingo is a fun way to encourage attendees to visit every exhibitor booth. Attendees will visit your table, learn about your products, receive a stamp, and be entered to win one of the conference grand prizes to be awarded at the closing ceremony of the conference.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

All exhibitors needing to send packages for the conference will be directed to FedEx. FedEx has a Business Center at the hotel and all shipping will need to go through them. Contact information is provided below, please reach out to Felicia_Rosa@nationalcops.org or to FedEx directly to receive the shipping form.

FedEx Office Business Center
Sheraton San Diego Resort
Phone: (619) 542-0198
Email: usa2011@fedex.com

ELECTRICITY SERVICES

Electricity is available upon request for an additional fee, please reach out directly to Felicia to have this scheduled.

INTERNET SERVICES

Internet is available upon request for an additional fee, please reach out directly to Felicia to have this setup for your exhibitor booth.

MEALS FOR EXHIBITORS

Lunch for two will be provided with your exhibitor registration. Attend the conference lunches on both Friday and Saturday. Dinner will be provided on Saturday night if attending Law Enforcement Appreciation Night. Breakfast is not included.

SILENT AUCTION

At this year's National Conference we are doing a silent auction. We welcome any exhibitor that would like to participate in the silent auction to join in. Please let either Felicia or Sara know so your item can be registered. We prefer that all items or services have a value of at least \$100.00.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Written cancellation notice must be received via mail or email no later than September 30th. No refunds will be given after this date. If C.O.P.S. cannot hold the conference due to acts of God, war, government regulations, disaster, strikes, civil disorder, or curtailment of transportation facilitating other emergencies making it inadvisable, illegal, or impossible to provide the facilities or to hold the conference, each exhibitor will receive a copy of conference handouts and any other material that would have been distributed. Fixed conference expenses will be paid from the registration funds. Remaining funds will be refunded to the exhibitors. C.O.P.S. is not responsible for any other costs incurred by exhibitors in connection with the conference.

INSURANCE

Exhibitors agree to be responsible for his/her own property. Exhibitors shall release and hold harmless and indemnify Concerns of Police Survivors (C.O.P.S.) from any and all claims, obligations, liabilities, causes of action, lawsuits, damages, and assessments, including legal fees, that result from an allegation of negligence on the part of the exhibitor or C.O.P.S. or third parties in the use of the exhibit space or activities in connection with the use of the exhibit space.

SECURITY

Security is not provided, therefore neither C.O.P.S. nor the facility assume responsibility for damage to, loss of, or theft of property.

IMPORTANT DATES

**EXHIBITOR
REGISTRATION DEADLINE:**
September 30

**EXHIBITOR ARTWORK
AND LOGO DEADLINE:**
September 30

**EXHIBITOR
CANCELLATION
DEADLINE:**
September 30

HOTEL RATE DEADLINE:
September 30

CONFERENCE ATTIRE

Business or business casual attire is appropriate at both conferences.