# KHS 2023 Conference

March 2 & 3, 2023 Hilton Garden Inn, Topeka, Ks.

**Hearing Care Knowledge for Changing Times** 



#### This is a premier conference for:

Audiologists in all work settings

**Hearing Instrument Specialists** 

**Audiology Students** 

Presentations are designed to provide attendees with information that is relevant and useful on a daily basis.

CEU's are approved by the Kansas Board of Hearing Aid Examiners & Kansas Dept. of Aging & Disabilities for audiologists And from the International Hearing Society.

## Why You Should Attend:

Convenience for obtaining CEU's

New Information on important Topics you can implement in Your practice.

Visit Our Exhibitors and enjoy the Thursday evening cocktail hour & Auction.

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Program Chair & Moderator:
Irene Wagner, Au.D.

### REGISTRATION

is encouraged Prior to the Convention. In-Person Thursday:12-00 pm to 12:45pm Friday: 7:30—8:00 am



Thursday Evening Exhibits, Cocktails, Refreshments, & Auction



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#### **REGISTRATION Thursday 12:00 pm:**

<u>Thursday</u> 1:00 – 3:00 pm: Navid Taghvaei, Au.D., CCC-A; Senior Clinical Education Specialist Signia WSA; <u>The Value of Clinical Best Practices in the Era of OTC Devices.</u> This course will review the threats, opportunities & challenges associated with hearing aids being sold over-the-counter. What we can do to set ourselves apart as the industry leaders on 3 fronts. 2Hr.

3:00 – 3:30 Refreshment Break & visit Exhibit Hal Meet our Awesome Exhibitors

<u>Thursday</u> 3:30 – 5:30 pm: Michele Hurley, Au.D., Educational Trainer, Starkey, USA; <u>Personalization</u>

<u>Perfected: Optimizing the Custom Fitting Experience for Your Patients.</u> Product customization is essential for delivering a personalized experience in patient-centered care. This session will review options for hearing aids & other products and important tips & tricks for taking impressions & improving patient outcomes. **2Hr.** 

<u>Thursday</u> 5:30 – 6:30 pm: Moderator John Lang, H.I.S.—Miracle Ear; <u>Exhibitors Round-Table</u> <u>Discussion:</u> This seminar will compare current hearing aids and accessories available from attending manufacturers and explore features that will improve patient outcomes in everyday clinical practice. 1Hr.

<u>Thursday</u> 6:30 – 8:30 pm: "OFF-CAMPUS" Cocktails and Lively Auction! Location will be announced at the conference.

# Registration Friday, March 3rd 7:30 a.m.

#### **Hotel Reservations**

Hilton Garden Inn 1351 SW Arvonia Plaza, Topeka, KS. 66615 Registration:

https://group.hiltongardeninn.com/
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or Call: 785-350-2069



There are many family attractions nearby including the Topeka Zoo, the botanical gardens and a nice shopping mall near the Hotel.

SPECIAL REMINDER:
This year, we will gather

"off-site" for cocktails/ auction fun.



#### Friday 7:30 am: Registration Opens

legislation regarding Medicare. 1Hr.

**Territory Governor for the International Hearing Society;** Janie is our newly appointed governor the International Hearing Society. She will share information regarding her role and provide our members with a variety of important updates at IHS pertaining to our clinics & Patients. Members will gain knowledge about Veterans Choice, FDA rulings including OTCs and the new

<u>Friday</u> 8:00 – 9:00 am: Janie York, H.I.S. & Northwest

Friday 9:00–10:00 am: Kyle Harber, Au.D., Clinical Trainer, Widex Central; Choreography of Natural Sound. A fundamental goal in hearing aid design is to deliver natural sound that is accurate, complete & distortion free. What are the signal processing design choices that contribute to delivering natural sound? This presentation will review several key designs & features focused on providing the consumer with pure & natural sound. 1 Hr.

Friday 10:00 – 10:15am: Refreshment Break & Manufacturer's Exhibits.

Friday 10:15– 12:15 pm: Joseph Sakumura, Au.D., CCC-A; Chief Science Officer at the American Institute of Balance; The Continuum of Care for the Dizzy & Imbalanced Patient. Dizziness & vertigo are complaints for many of our patients. This course will provide an update on disorders causing these issues and gold standard diagnostic & treatment protocols. The importance of hearing care professionals will be discussed & outline how we can be part of the solution for this underserved patient population. 2 Hr.

12:15 – 1::15 pm: Business Luncheon & Annual Meeting.

Friday 1:15—2:15 pm: Irene Wagner, Au.D., CCC – A, Audiology & Hearing Aid Services, Inc., Ethics in Everyday Practice. This course will provide a review of Professional Standards supported by ASHA, AAA & IHS and how these vital codes of ethics apply to our everyday clinical practice for delivering services to our patients, families, other healthcare professionals and staff. 1 Hr.

2:30 pm: CONFERENCE ENDS \*\*\* Board Meeting at 3:00 pm

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