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Association of Pediatric Program Directors

Directors of Research in Pediatrics

International Pediatric Hypertension Association

Lawson Wilkins Pediatric Endocrine Society
(exhibits with PAS)

North American Society for Pediatric
Gastroenterology, Hepatology & Nutrition

Pediatric Infectious Diseases Society
(exhibits with PAS)

Society for Adolescent Medicine



INVITATION TO EXHIBIT

Exhibit at PAS 2006 and reach more than 6,500 pediatric health care providers, giving you the opportunity to meet the decision makers from major medical schools, teaching hospitals and private practice.

Connect with the largest gathering of leaders in pediatrics as they come to educate themselves on the latest clinical and basic research finds in pediatrics.

Focus your time and resources at the meeting that attracts highly qualified, influential pediatric professionals. Several activities draw the scientific attendees into the Exhibit Hall including:

- ❖ Latest Updates on Pediatric Products from Industry Colleagues
- ❖ PAS Opening Reception
- ❖ 400 Scientific Posters Daily
- ❖ Reception Lounges
- ❖ Daily Raffle

Don't miss this chance to be visible to the clinical, research and teaching communities in pediatrics.

Spotlight your products and services.

Join us at the
2006 PAS Annual Meeting
April 29-May 2
Moscone West Convention Center
San Francisco, CA

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Invitation to Exhibit

Dear Prospective Exhibitor:

The Pediatric Academic Societies (PAS)—the American Pediatric Society, Society for Pediatric Research, Ambulatory Pediatric Association and the American Academy of Pediatrics— invite you to exhibit at the 2006 PAS Annual Meeting to be held in San Francisco, CA, April 29–May 2. The PAS also welcomes the American Society of Pediatric Nephrology (ASPN), the Lawson Wilkins Pediatric Endocrine Society (LWPES) and the American Society of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology (ASPHO) to the PAS meeting who will meet concurrently with joint programming and exhibits with the PAS in the Moscone West Convention Center.

The PAS Annual Meeting is the largest, most prestigious meeting dedicated to pediatric research and education in the world and brings together physicians with expertise in all areas of pediatrics. PAS expects over 6,500 pediatric health care providers, which will give you the opportunity to reach the decision makers from major medical schools, institutes and private practice. The 2006 PAS Program Committee has organized another outstanding scientific program this year to serve the needs of every subspecialist, generalist and community-based pediatrician.

The PAS Technical Exposition will take place in the Moscone West Convention Center. The exhibits are designed to inform attendees about available products and services. The four-day meeting is considered the ideal international setting for the dissemination of the latest clinical and basic research finds, education, state-of-the-art reviews and networking opportunities.

The PAS values the educational contribution made by its exhibiting companies, and our goal is to make the 2006 PAS Annual Meeting the most successful meeting ever. The PAS exhibits continue to increase each year and space will go quickly. You are encouraged to submit your application and reserve your company's space as soon as possible to ensure your participation in this meeting. You are also invited to take advantage of the sponsorship opportunities listed on pages 10 & 11. PAS welcomes additional sponsorship ideas as well.

Taking advantage of this unique opportunity will not only allow you to meet the major decision makers in pediatrics, but the future decision makers as well. Don't miss this chance to be visible to the clinical, research and teaching communities in pediatrics. Send your Exhibit Space Contract in today.

See you in San Francisco, CA!

Photo courtesy of the San Francisco Convention and Visitors Bureau

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About the Pediatric Academic Societies & Alliances



The Pediatric Academic Societies – Partners

The Pediatric Academic Societies' (PAS) are four individual pediatric organizations (the American Pediatric Society, Society for Pediatric Research, Ambulatory Pediatric Association and the American Academy of Pediatrics) who together co-sponsor the PAS Annual Meeting. Members of these organizations are pediatricians and other health care providers who are in the research and academic arena, execute research and provide clinical care to pediatric patients. The combined membership of PAS represents all interests in pediatrics including specialists, generalists and community practitioners. The four sponsoring organizations are leaders in the advancement of pediatric research and child advocacy within pediatrics, and all share a mission of fostering the health and well being of children worldwide.

American Pediatric Society (APS) is an organization bringing men and women together for the advancement of the study of children and their diseases, for the prevention of illness and the promotion of pediatric education and research, and to honor those who, by their contributions to pediatrics, have aided in its advancement.

Society for Pediatric Research (SPR) is an international society for scientists whose purpose is to encourage investigation of a broad range of areas involving the health and well being of children. This is facilitated by providing a forum for interchange of ideas and providing opportunity for young investigators to present their work. This is accomplished through membership activities, the annual research meeting and the sponsorship of several awards.

Ambulatory Pediatric Association (APA) is an organization whose objectives are to improve teaching, research and services in general pediatrics, and to affect public and governmental opinion regarding issues vital to teaching, research and patient care in general pediatrics.

American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) is an organization with primary care pediatricians, pediatric medical subspecialists, and pediatric surgical specialists committed to the attainment of optimal physical, mental and social health for all infants, children, adolescents and young adults.

PAS Alliance Partners

The PAS welcomes subspecialty societies and clubs to meet at the PAS Annual Meeting.

The **American Society of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology (ASPHO)**, the **American Society of Pediatric Nephrology (ASPN)**, the **Lawson Wilkins Pediatric Endocrine Society (LWPES)**, and the **Pediatric Infectious Diseases Society (PIDS)** will meet concurrently and exhibit with the PAS in the Moscone West Convention Center. Companies or organizations interested in exhibiting to these alliances will contract through the PAS Exposition Office, will exhibit in the same hall as the PAS Exhibitors, and will have added exposure to over 6,500 attendees.

Other societies and clubs who join the PAS to host independent and/or joint programming are:

- ❖ Association of Pediatric Program Directors
- ❖ Bioethics Interest Group
- ❖ Directors of Research in Pediatrics
- ❖ Global Paediatric Research Program
- ❖ International Pediatric Hypertension Association
- ❖ Kernicterus Symposium
- ❖ Lung Club
- ❖ Milk Club
- ❖ Neonatal Hemodynamics Club
- ❖ Neonatal Sepsis Club
- ❖ North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition
- ❖ Perinatal Brain Club
- ❖ Perinatal Nutrition and Metabolism Club
- ❖ Reach Out and Read Program
- ❖ Society for Adolescent Medicine