

Conference 2024

Exhibitor and Sponsorship Opportunities

November 19-20, 2024 St. Charles Convention Center St. Charles, Missouri Starling is the nonprofit trade association of 110 service providers supporting Missourians with developmental disabilities to live and work in the community.

We believe when people with disabilities have the freedom to dream and make choices, and the supports and opportunities needed to thrive and succeed – they, their families, and communities all thrive.









Starling helps Missourians with disabilities flourish

by driving public policy and strengthening our provider network through advocacy, education, and collaboration.

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Thank you for your interest in sponsoring the first annual Starling Conference!



Navigating the Future through Leadership

November 19-20, 2024
St. Charles Convention Center
St. Charles, Missouri

This two-day professional development opportunity is designed for leaders across Missouri who work in the field of services for people with disabilities.

We expect 300 attendees from every corner of the state, specifically organization directors, program managers, and other professionals who are eager to connect with others to learn new concepts, share ideas, and work together to strengthen services for Missourians with disabilities!

The Starling team is hard at work on the upcoming event and looks forward to highlighting your business to our network of community providers.



Exhibitor Sponsorship Opportunities

Starling looks forward to showcasing products and services designed to enhance the lives of people with disabilities and strengthen community-based supports.

Three levels of exhibitor booths outlined below provide networking opportunities before and after general sessions, breakout sessions, meal breaks, and during an exhibitor reception.

All exhibitors will receive a list of conference participants.

Champion Exhibitor - (2 Available) - \$3,500

- One of two "champion" exhibitor booths, located in a high traffic area with 20 feet of booth space for networking with up to 300 conference participants
- Two VIP Reception Invitations to network with the Starling Board of Directors (Tuesday, November 19)
- Special recognition during the awards ceremony (Wednesday, November 20)
- One item included inside conference welcome bags

Excellence Exhibitor - (8 Available) - \$2,000

 One of eight "excellence" exhibitor booths, located in a high traffic area with 10 feet of booth space for networking with 300 conference participants

Partner Exhibitor - (14 available) - \$1,000

 One of fourteen "partner" exhibitor booths with 10 feet of booth space for networking with 300 conference participants



Sponsorship Opportunities

Each of our three premium sponsorship opportunities may be secured by <u>one</u> company each on a first come, first served basis.

Welcome Sponsor - \$5,000

- Host a cocktail and appetizer welcome reception for up to 300 conference participants (Monday, November 18)
- One of fourteen "partner" exhibitor booths provided

<mark>Netwo</mark>rking Sponsor – \$5,000

- Host a private dinner and networking opportunity for up to 100 conference participants at <u>Chicken N Pickle</u> (Tuesday, November 19)
- One of fourteen "partner" exhibitor booths provided

Luncheon Sponsor - \$5,000

- Host a ten-minute presentation to an audience of up to 300 conference participants during a lunch and learn session (Tuesday, November 19)
- One of fourteen "partner" exhibitor booths provided







20 Feet



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Navigating the Future through Leadership

For more than 50 years, Starling has represented community providers supporting Missourians with developmental disabilities.

With the first annual Starling Conference, we get to extend our resources and connections more widely than ever before.

We look forward to partnering with you so that you can share your tools and services with Missouri's amazing community providers.

If you would like to commit to one of our many sponsorship opportunities, please use the form on the following page!













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Conference Exhibitor & Sponsorship Application

Applications will be reviewed on a first come, first served basis.

Please fill in the form below to make your commitment and email it to Andrea Schonhardt, Starling Association Coordinator: Andrea@StarlingMissouri.org

Pending approval, Andrea will contact you to finalize your registration and provide exhibitor/sponsor details that you will need to be successful at the Starling Conference.

Exhibitor/sponsor registration includes up to two people to cover your booth. Please note, exhibitor registration does not include conference sessions or meals.

Thank you for your interest!		
My company/organization,is committed to sponsor the Starl through Leadership" with the follo	ing Conference "N	
☐ Champion Exhibitor	2 Available	\$3,500
Excellence Exhibitor	8 Available	\$2,000
☐ Partner Exhibitor	14 Available	\$1,000
Sponsorship Opportunities (one "partne	r" exhibitor booth incl	uded):
☐ Welcome Sponsor	1 Available	\$5,000
☐ Networking Sponsor	1 Available	\$5,000
☐ Luncheon Sponsor	1 Available	\$5,000
Contact Name		
Email		
Phone		
Job Title		
City/State where you're located _		