SHAPE America
National Convention & Expo

Ticketed Events

Tickets may be purchased during the convention registration process.

A number of special events and activities are being offered during the week of convention. These events may require a fee in addition to convention registration. Some may also require prerequisites to attend. Please refer to the descriptions and applicable prerequisite information before registering. Tickets may be limited, so don't miss your opportunity to participate!

Event Registration Deadline: Tickets must be purchased on or before the posted deadline date. Tickets will not be sold at the door for any event.

Need assistance in adding a ticketed event to your existing convention registration? Email Customer Service at shapeamerica@experient-inc.com or call 800-424-5249 between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. EST (international residents, please call 847-996-5829).
Event 01
50 Million Strong by 2029 Forum: Shaping Our Professional Future
Tuesday, 3/14  1-5 p.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $0
Event Registration Deadline:  Monday, 3/13

Description: Convention Registration Required. At the 2015 National Convention in Seattle, SHAPE America committed to getting America’s approximately 50 million school-aged students physically active and healthy by 2029. This commitment recognized growing public concern about the negative social, emotional, intellectual, financial, and health consequences of youth inactivity and unhealthy lifestyle choices. Focusing the health and physical education profession on succeeding with the student-centered 50 Million Strong commitment, has given SHAPE America and the teachers it represents, many exciting opportunities to elevate public support and respect for the work of K-12 physical and health educators. The 50 Million Strong by 2029 Forum will include a wide variety of fast-paced, engaging updates, presentations, and round table audience discussions on opportunities and challenges facing SHAPE America. Don’t’ miss out on what promises to be one of the highlights of the 2017 Boston Convention. Be sure to register in advance to ensure your place and be a part of history as we rethink and reimagine a road map to advance the physical and health education professions in the 21st century. The first 300 attendees will receive a free 50 Million Strong logo T-shirt.

Event 02
A Primer for Teaching a Skills-Based Approach in Health Education
Tuesday, 3/14  1-5 p.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $70
Event Registration Deadline:  Friday, 2/10 (no on-site registration)

Description: Convention Registration Required. This workshop provides the fundamentals of a skills-based approach to health education in which the focus is on developing student proficiency in the skills of the National Health Education Standards. We will discuss strategies for facilitating skill development through relevant and functional information. By the end of the workshop, participants will have the tools needed to transition to a skills-based approach to health education in their course, school and/or district.

NOTE: Registration includes a copy of the text The Essentials of Teaching Health Education.

Event 03
C.H. McCloy Research Lecture and Breakfast
Thursday, 3/16  7-8:30 a.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $30
Event Registration Deadline:  Sunday, 3/12 (no on-site registration)

Description: The annual C.H. McCloy Research Lecture and Breakfast provides a forum for a distinguished leader in the SHAPE America disciplines to present cutting-edge research findings of interest to researchers and practitioners alike. The lecture serves as a continuing memorial to Charles H. McCloy, one of the great pioneer scientists and leaders of the profession.
Event 04
CAEP Lead Reviewer Workshop
Friday, 3/17  1:30-3 p.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $0
Event Registration Deadline:  Friday, 2/24 (no on-site registration)

Description:  By Invitation Only. Convention Registration Required. Both HETE and PETE lead reviewers will meet to discuss the latest updates regarding the standards, review processes and CAEP.

Event 05
CECH: Continuing Education Contact Hours for CHES/MCHES

Member: $30  Non-Member Fee: $35
Event Registration Deadline:  N/A

Description:  Convention Registration Required. SHAPE America is a designated provider of continuing education contact hours (CECH) in health education by the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc. This program is designated for Certified Health Education Specialists (CHES) and/or Master Certified Health Education Specialists (MCHES) to receive Category I continuing education contact hours.

Event 06
CEUs: National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA)

Member: $30  Non-Member Fee: $35
Event Registration Deadline:  N/A

Description:  Convention Registration Required. Earn your continuing education units to maintain your NSCA certification at the SHAPE America National Convention & Expo.

Event 07
Claudine Sherrill Adapted PE & PA Awards Breakfast
Thursday, 3/16  7-9 a.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $30
Event Registration Deadline:  Sunday, 3/12 (no on-site registration)

Description:  This program honors the best of the best in adapted physical education and physical activity. Come join the leaders in the field as they convene to recognize programs, professionals and students who have demonstrated excellence in enriching the lives of individuals with disabilities.
Event 08
Contact Hours

Member: $30  Non-Member Fee: $35
Event Registration Deadline:  N/A

Description: Convention Registration Required. Our contact hours program is designed to help you document the professional development opportunities provided to you by the SHAPE America National Convention & Expo across multiple fields.

Event 09
Functional FitnessGram: The Fitness Assessment Workshop
Tuesday, 3/14  8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Member/Non-Member Fee: $75
Event Registration Deadline:  Friday, 2/10 (no on-site registration)

Description: Convention Registration Required. The Functional FitnessGram workshop provides an introduction to the FitnessGram program. The workshop begins with an overview of the fundamental aspects that make FitnessGram the most widely used physical fitness assessment, education and reporting tool in the world. Participants will also gain hands-on experience with the FitnessGram software and all it has to offer.

NOTE: Participants must bring a laptop for use during this session. A demo FitnessGram site will be utilized in lieu of each participant’s personal FitnessGram login.

Event 10
Functional FitnessGram: The Fitness Assessment Workshop
Tuesday, 3/14  1-5 p.m.

Member/Non-Member Fee: $75
Event Registration Deadline:  Friday, 2/10 (no on-site registration)

Description: Convention Registration Required. The Functional FitnessGram workshop provides an introduction to the FitnessGram program. The workshop begins with an overview of the fundamental aspects that make FitnessGram the most widely used physical fitness assessment, education and reporting tool in the world. Participants will also gain hands-on experience with the FitnessGram software and all it has to offer.

NOTE: Participants must bring a laptop for use during this session. A demo FitnessGram site will be utilized in lieu of each participant’s personal FitnessGram login.
**Event 11**
Hall of Fame Banquet  
Friday, 3/17 6-9 p.m.

Member/Non-Member Fee $80  
**Event Registration Deadline:** Tuesday, 3/14

**Description:** One of convention’s most well-attended and memorable events, the Hall of Fame Banquet captures the spirit of the profession, recognizing the passion and dedication of our educators. Honorees include recipients of the prestigious Gulick Award and Joy of Effort Award, as well as the national Teachers of the Year and Hall of Fame inductees.

**Event 12**
HETE: Aligning Assignments, Assessments and Rubrics  
Tuesday, 3/14 1-5 p.m.

**Member/Non-Member Fee:** $100  
**Event Registration Deadline:** Friday, 2/24 (no on-site registration)

**Description:** Convention Registration Required. This workshop is for Health Education Teacher Education (HETE) professionals seeking SHAPE America Program Review with National Recognition toward CAEP accreditation. The session will focus on aligning your program’s assignments, assessments and rubrics with the 2008 and revised standards. Participants should bring along their assessment tools. Sign up for short consultations with experienced reviewers to discuss assessments in your program or your potential program submission.

**Event 13**
HETE Program Report Reviewer Training  
Wednesday, 3/15 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**Member/Non-Member Fee:** $0  
**Event Registration Deadline:** Friday, 2/24 (no on-site registration)

**Description:** Convention Registration and Pre-Approval Required. This workshop provides an in-depth understanding of the review process and skills necessary to review HETE program reports using the 2008 initial standards. Attendees will be expected to participate in the spring 2017 CAEP review cycle. An introduction to the revised Initial HETE Standards and Components will be provided. There will be a break from 10:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. for participants to attend the general session and eat lunch on their own.

**IMPORTANT:** Registration for and participation in the HETE Program Report Preparation session (Event 14) on Tuesday, 3/14 is required to attend this session.
Event 14
HETE Program Report Preparation
Tuesday, 3/14  8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $100
Event Registration Deadline: Friday, 2/24 (no on-site registration)

Description: Convention Registration Required. For Health Education Teacher Education (HETE) programs seeking SHAPE America Program Review with National Recognition toward CAEP accreditation, this workshop will review the 2008 Initial HETE Standards and provide an in-depth presentation on developing a successful program report. An introduction to the revised Initial HETE Standards and Components will be provided.

IMPORTANT: This workshop is a pre-requisite to attending the Wednesday HETE Program Report Reviewer Training (Event 13).

Event 15
Initial PETE Standards Orientation and Program Report Preparation
Tuesday, 3/14  8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $100
Event Registration Deadline: Friday, 2/24 (no on-site registration)

Description: Convention Registration Required. This workshop will provide up-to-date information for the Physical Education Teacher Education (PETE) field on the revised Initial PETE Standards. The workshop will cover "unpacking the standards" and program report preparation.

NOTE: This workshop is a pre-requisite to attending the Wednesday PETE Program Report Reviewer Training (Event 18).

Event 16
NCACE Accreditation Process Q & A
Thursday, 3/16  7:30-8:45 a.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $0
Event Registration Deadline: Friday, 2/10 (no on-site registration)

Description: Convention Registration Required. This session is intended for professionals working in coaching education programs. Prior to the session, participants will be given information regarding the process of accrediting their coaching education program. Attendees will have an opportunity to ask questions about the steps organizations take to prepare a coaching education program folio.
Event 17
PETE: Aligning Assignments, Assessments and Rubrics
Tuesday, 3/14 1-5 p.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $100
Event Registration Deadline: Friday, 2/24 (no on-site registration)

Description: Convention Registration Required. This workshop is for Physical Education Teacher Education (PETE) professionals who are seeking SHAPE America Program Review with National Recognition toward CAEP accreditation. The session will focus on aligning your program’s assignments, assessments and rubrics with the revised standards and components. Participants should bring along their assessment tools. Sign up for short consultations with experienced reviewers to discuss assessments in your program or your potential program submission.

Event 18
PETE Program Report Reviewer Training
Wednesday, 3/15 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $0
Event Registration Deadline: Friday, 2/24 (no on-site registration)

Description: Convention Registration Required. This workshop provides an in-depth understanding of the review process and skills necessary to review PETE program reports using the revised Initial PETE Standards. Attendees will be expected to participate in the spring 2017 CAEP review cycle. There will be a break from 10:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. for participants to attend the general session and eat lunch on their own.

IMPORTANT: Registration for and participation in the Initial PETE Standards Orientation and Program Report Preparation session (Event 15) on Tuesday, 3/14 is required to attend this session.

Event 19
Physical Activity Leader (PAL) Training
Tuesday, 3/14 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Member/Non-Member Fee: $0
Event Registration Deadline: Monday, 3/13

Description: Convention Registration Required. The Physical Activity Leader (PAL) Learning System is a dynamic, professional development resource within the Let’s Move! Active Schools framework. The ultimate goal of PAL is to prepare champions to be the best possible advocates for physical education and physical activity in schools by ensuring 60 minutes a day of physical activity for all school-age youth. PALs are primed and ready to be change catalysts in their school communities after participating in this action-focused training.
Event 20
Physical Education, Sport and Recreation for Children With Visual Impairments
Tuesday, 3/14 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Member/Non-Member Fee: $50
Event Registration Deadline: Wednesday, 2/15

Description: Convention Registration Required. Children with visual impairments are being included in physical education, sport and recreation today more than ever before. Most physical education teachers learn little in their professional preparation programs about how to teach these children. This dynamic, informative and memorable session, held at the Perkins School for the Blind, will provide participants with extensive information about eligibility and placement, inclusion ideas, research, blind-sport demonstration and participation, Paralympians, and resources. Participants will take home a wealth of knowledge to help these students.

NOTE: The bus will depart promptly from the John B. Hynes Convention Center at 9 a.m. and return at approximately 4 p.m.