

AHRMM23 Annual Conference in Orlando

Palm trees and balmy humid temperatures welcomed our KAHRMM group to the annual AHRMM conference in Orlando, FL. With the COVID risk to travel at the lowest since 2019, the AHRMM conference was the highest attended annual conference in the last four years. The excited energy of both reconnecting colleagues and those forming new bonds was often recognized throughout the conference. KAHRMM leadership kicked off the conference by attending the Chapter Leadership Roundtable discussion where state chapters shared with AHRMM the need for a standardized technology platform to manage event planning and chapter marketing, AHRMM's support in growing chapter and AHRMM member engagement, and greater collaboration between chapters on open issues.

Sessions focused on engaging physicians in the supply chain process, building supply standardization and supply chain resiliency within our organizations, forming successful teams, and using metrics to strengthen supply chain performance among many other topics. Our own Corey Schmidt, an AHRMM YPAC (Young Professionals Advisory Council) member, co-presented with other YPAC members about how providers, GPOs, and consultants can best collaborate and support one another in managing successful initiatives.



Corey Schmidt, KAHRMM Advisory Council member, participates in AHRMM's YPAC panel discussion about the collaboration between healthcare providers, GPOs, and consultants during the AHRMM23 annual conference.

The Exhibit Hall offered a diverse group of vendors sharing their opportunities in supplies, services, and technology. The KAHRMM attendees enjoyed engaging conversations with suppliers and fellow attendees. And we excitedly accepted our 2023 Diamond Award for the 13th consecutive year! We encourage each of you to consider attending an AHRMM annual conference to learn from fellow healthcare supply chain professionals. AHRMM24 will be held Sept 22nd – Sept 25th in Columbus, OH – we invite you to join our KAHRMM group of attendees!



KAHRMM Attendees: Corey Schmidt, Sherri Killer, Lori Selzer, Kelsey O'Sullivan, Janie Ott (AHRMM Board Member), Paula and Mike Morgan, Kathy and Dale Montgomery

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