



Attendee Justification Letter for Approval to Register for Cardiac Arrest Survival Summit 2023

Dear [MANAGER],

I would like to register to attend Citizen CPR Foundation's 2023 Cardiac Arrest Survival Summit—an international, educational summit devoted to sharing the latest science, education and implementation that can help improve survival rates from sudden cardiac arrest.

CASSummit takes place November 29-December 2, with pre-conferences on November 28 and 29, in San Diego, CA. The conference theme, "Challenging the Status Quo in Sudden Cardiac Arrest," has inspired a robust program featuring more than 200 resuscitation experts and renowned speakers from across the globe.

The Audience for CASSummit

It is designed for both pre-hospital and hospital providers, educators and managers. This includes nurses, EMS practitioners, physicians, teachers/trainers, researchers, survivors, community advocates and others interested in advancing the implementation of CPR and ECC training.

This conference is held every other year and is the only meeting covering all the links in the Chain of Survival.

2023 Educational Program

Featured speakers at the Summit include experts involved in American Heart Association, American Red Cross and the International Liaison Committee on Resuscitation (ILCOR). ILCOR's new 10- steps to improve in-hospital cardiac arrest will be presented. I will learn about clinical solutions and best practices related to our field, plus the latest science and network with experts, industry leaders and innovators.

The opening plenary speaker will feature Jonathan Drezner, MD, one of the foremost experts on SCA in athletes. He'll be joined by keynoter Jeff Miller, executive vice president of communications, public affairs and policy (health and safety) for the National Football League, who will talk about lessons from the Buffalo Bills' Damar Hamlin's SCA response and recovery. He'll describe how the league is supporting the Smart Heart Coalition so that every athlete in every sport at every level has the plans, equipment and knowledge to save a life.

The Summit offers more than 70 educational sessions. A small sample includes topics on:

- Innovative practices related to AED placement
- New practices in post-arrest care
- Best practices in training and education
- Case studies in quality improvement projects
- How AI and technology could improve SCA survival rates
- Inspirational survivor stories



Pre-conferences offer more in-depth education and training. This year's workshops include:

- Special offerings from the AHA and ARC
- Considerations in pediatric resuscitation
- How to become a Community Resuscitation Officer

Plus, several different workshops cover special initiatives, novel approaches and strategies for outcome improvement

For an in-depth look at the full program, visit citizencprsummit.org.

Continuing Education

I will also earn continuing education credits for all pre-conference workshops, plenary sessions and concurrent sessions I attend through the Center for Healthcare Education.

The conference offers an outstanding blend of education, innovation, science, practice, advocacy and inspiration for everyone across the full chain of survival in sudden cardiac arrest. After learning the science and practice of emergency cardiovascular care from experts in the field, I will be able to share this knowledge with my colleagues and the community.

I am requesting funding for:
Conference Fees:

Travel Costs:

Food:

Lodging:

(Special room rate of \$199.00 + tax/night are available at the Town & Country Hotel in San Diego until November 4, 2023.)

Attending this conference will educate me on the best collaborative methods for improving quality and implementation of CPR in our community and provide an important educational experience, which will greatly benefit our organization.

After reviewing the agenda, these are just a few of the sessions I plan to attend, which align with our top priorities:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____



I am also going to visit and gather information on the companies listed below, which we can then review and evaluate after the event:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Thank you for your time and consideration. Please let me know if there is any additional information I can provide to assist in your decision.

Sincerely,
[YOUR NAME]