Q4 Advocacy Webinar 12/2/14
Housekeeping

• Please mute your line to reduce background noise.
• Do not put us on hold if you have background music on your hold line.
• At the end of the presentation we will unmute for the regional updates.
• This session will be recorded. The slides will be distributed after the meeting.
Attendance Poll

• Please enter your name and Chapter name to receive credit for your participation.
A Two-Way Street

• The ASHE advocacy highway is a two-way street of communication between ASHE and chapter advocacy liaisons.
• The goal of the advocacy highway is to support communication and improve advocacy efforts at the national, state and local level.
A Two-Way Street

• Gives us the opportunity to share national issues at the local level.

• Gives us the opportunity to share your local advocacy issues nationally.
A Two-Way Street

Thank you for all your efforts in 2014!
Learning from ASHE

• ASHE will keep chapter advocacy liaisons up-to-date about national advocacy efforts and issues affecting health care facilities.

• ASHE will provide practical tools and resources to empower chapter advocacy liaisons.
FGI-Support Adoption (adopted in some capacity in 42 states but inconsistent)
NFPA Update

• NFPA Standards Council supported the TIA to remove the lighted receptacle requirement from NFPA 70 (2014 ed.) for long term care facilities
• New NFPA 99 Risk Assessment Tool
  – http://www.ashe.org/resources/tools/
• Thank you to the liaisons who have submitted applications for NFPA technical committees
• Plan now for NFPA’s 2017 Annual Conference and Expo to vote on 2018 NFPA 101 and NFPA 99
ICC Update

• Working on additional proposals for the 2018 IBC
  • Proposals due 1/12/15
  • Preparing 23 proposals
• IgCC, ASHRAE 189.1 and the LEED green building program
ASHRAE Update

- ASHRAE Standard 188: *Prevention of Legionellosis Associated with Building Water Systems*
  - Public Review closed
- ASHRAE Standard 170: *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities*
  - completed 2 addendum (see link for details)
    - https://www.ashrae.org/standards-research--technology/standards-addenda
- Committee Meetings (Chicago, January 24 – 30)
Inventory Maintenance Requirements

• The advocacy team is working to clarify requirements with JC and will send an alert in the next couple of weeks

• ASHE is collecting data on utility equipment repair histories to assist facilities with the updated inventory requirements. If you are able to submit chronological data from your facility, please contact John at jcollins@aha.org
Barrier Management-An Important Advocacy Issue

- TJC # 1 & 2 Violations
- Constant issues
- Control/Policies
- Staff Awareness
- Attitudes/Education
Why Barrier Hub is YOU!

• YOU answer to...
  – The Joint Commission
  – CMS Inspectors
  – Building Official, Fire Marshal
  – Other AHJ’s
  – C-Suite
  – Staff
  – Patients
Barrier Management Symposium

– Mark Nelson, CSHE President (OR Region Pres.)
– Jonathan Flannery, ASHE Advocacy
– Anne Guglielmo, The Joint Commission
– Rich Walke, UL
– Bill Koffel, Koffel Associates
– Nestor Sanchez, USG Corp.
– John Chrysler, rep. NCMA (OR Local NCMA Rep.)
– Bill McHugh, FCIA – Firestopping
– Paul Baillargeon, DHI – Fire Doors
– Marc Sorge, Greenheck – Fire & Smoke Dampers
– Patrick Murphy, TGP – Fire Rated Glazing (Varies)
“TOTAL FIRE PROTECTION”

• Effective Compartmentation
  – Fire Barriers, Fire Walls/Floors, Smoke Barriers
  – Firestopping, Fire Dampers, Swinging and Rolling Fire Doors, Fire Rated Glazing

• Detection & Alarm Systems

• Sprinkler Suppression Systems

• Education & Egress–
  – Building Owners & Managers, Building Occupants and Firefighters
Objective – Share Knowledge

• Barriers are for Safety – DIIM
  • Properly *Designed* and Specified
    – *Tested and Listed Systems* – Directories, Tables
    – *Specified*
  • Professional *Installation* Companies
  • Properly *Inspected* – Commissioned, by Companies
  • *Maintained* –
    – NFPA 101 - 2000 (TJC, CMS)
    – International Fire Code - IFC 2012 - Annually (Local)

• *Effective Compartmentation for Fire & Life Safety*
Continuity
Effective Compartmentation Features
Barrier Continuity-Products become SYSTEMS

- Fire Rated Systems Directories –
  - UL Fire Resistance Directory
  - Intertek
  - FM Approvals

  Systems Selection & Analysis...Not as easy as it looks...
Maintenance (& Management)
Barrier Management Systems

• Now it’s your building....

• Gleeson Powers Graphic
Barrier management begins when...new construction ends
Symposium Success

• **Regions / Locations in 2014**
  - 8 - Steamboat Springs, CO – 100+
  - 4 – University of AL, Birmingham – 130
  - 2 – King of Prussia, PA – 200+
  - 9 – Queen Mary, Long Beach, CA – 130

• **Regions / Locations in 2015**
  - 6 - Rochester, MN – April 14, 15
  - 5 – Spring 2015
  - 7 – Spring 2015
  - 1 – Summer 2015
  - 3- Fall 2015
  - 10-Early 2016

**Chapters?**
Help Your Chapter Members Improve Barrier Management and Reduce Citations

Contact Jonathan Flannery to schedule a Symposium for your chapter jflannery@aha.org
2015 Advocacy Webinars

- Q1 March 24 at 11 CT
- Q2 June 30 at 11 CT
- Q3 September 22 at 11 CT
- Q4 December 8 at 11 CT