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Dear Colleague,

We are excited to announce CBI’s Next Generation Pharmaceutical Samples Conference. Knipper and CBI have been providing the industry with the only event dedicated exclusively to physician sample operations for nearly a decade.

This year, we’ll be convening October 16-17 in Philadelphia. We have built an engaging and compelling agenda that brings together the most qualified industry professionals to speak on real life topics. As pharmaceutical marketing and the role of sampling continue to evolve, this conference provides not only the opportunity to learn about industry changes from experts, but also encourages participation and networking with your peers.

Samples are being utilized in many ways that differ from conventional uses. Biologics heighten the need for cold chain distribution, free goods programs encourage alternative uses of “samples,” and smaller patient populations all create challenges. CBI’s Next Generation Pharmaceutical Samples Conference aims to help the industry address many of these challenges through sessions with well-known industry experts and leading solutions providers from relevant disciplines.

It is our hope to provide you with real life scenarios and practical examples of how to address existing and growing trends within the industry and to better assist your organization in today’s dynamic environment.

Eric Johnson,
Senior Vice President,
Commercial Development
J. Knipper and Company, Inc.

CONTENT HIGHLIGHTS:

- Learning about the evolving role of samples vs free goods
- Understand industry benchmark data
- Novel strategies to bring your initiatives to the next level
- Opportunities to benchmark with sample personnel from across the pharmaceutical industry
- Technologies to help overcome some of your most pressing challenges in sample operations
- Cross-functional dialogue between divisions to create efficiencies and streamline operations

MEET YOUR NETWORK!

Attendees Who You Will Network and Connect With!

- Sales/Account Management ...................... 26%
- Sample Accountability/Operations ............ 23%
- Commercial/Bus & Product Dev ............... 19%
- Supply Chain/Distribution/Logistics .......... 9%
- Compliance/RA/QA .......................... 9%
- Marketing ........................................ 8%
- President/CEO .................................. 5%
DAY ONE
Wednesday, October 16, 2019

7:30  Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:30  Chairman’s Welcome and Opening Remarks
Eric Johnson, Senior Vice President of Commercial Development, J. Knipper and Company, Inc.

8:45  Learn to Stay in Your Lane — Manage the Difference Between Samples and Free Goods
• Learn about various types of “free goods” programs and sampling
• Understand how to manage the difference between samples versus free goods
• Explore various safeguards and regulatory strategies to ensure compliance
Teresita Weiss, Senior Vice President of Regulatory Affairs and Compliance, J. Knipper and Company, Inc.

9:30  ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
Benchmark Sample Strategies for Operational and Commercial Success — Is Your Sample Program Up to Par?
The landscape of pharmaceutical samples is being driven by technological innovation, regulatory pressure and a changing commercial atmosphere. Set the tone of this year’s meeting with a collaborative discussion on the challenges of operating a successful sample program. Collaborate with peers to develop the strategies needed to maintain a commercially effective sample program.
Tommy King, National Business Director, J. Knipper and Company, Inc.
Don Conners, Vice President of National Accounts, J. Knipper and Company, Inc.

10:15  Networking and Refreshment Break

10:45  Stress Testing Sample Compliance
Sample programs are receiving increased scrutiny at both the federal and state level, making internal audits a more powerful tool to avoid costly judgments, penalties and observations. During this high-level discussion, learn strategies to maintain your sample program effectiveness despite current and emerging restrictions.

Discussion Points:
• What are your key points when performing an internal audit of your sample program?
• How do you determine your sampling pool for auditing? Is it based on the number of reps, a region or problems?
• Describe how you set up your monitoring program (frequency of audits, procedures)
• Given the changing rules regarding spend and rep registration, what do you foresee coming up and what do you fear?
• Describe how you audit your sample training program
Janet Schumacher, Associate Manager of QA and Regulatory Affairs, Sebela

11:45  Specialty Product Sampling – Key Considerations
With the increase of new specialty products being introduced into the market, many manufacturers are launching sampling programs for high cost specialty products for the first time. Some of these products are being introduced for disease states / medical conditions historically not included in sampling activities. Most of these products are cold chain and many also have REMS requirements. Participate in an active discussion covering the key considerations for developing and implementing a Direct to Practitioner sampling program with these characteristics.
• Integration with the sales force
• Enhanced customer service for your key customers
• Accounting for REMs requirements
• Cold chain considerations
• Added costs and implementation lead times
Leah Foster, Sample Accountability, Bayer HealthCare

12:30  Networking Luncheon

1:45  How Big Data and Analytics Deliver Better Personalization – Learn to Target Effective Sampling and Detailing
• Leverage power of personalization and targeting for a more profitable launch
• Customer Loyalty as acquisition and retention tool for effective Sampling and Detailing
• Learn to measure the long-term impact along with short term improvement of sampling programs
• Understand how analytics help to leverage secondary (public) data sources to improve targeting accuracy for e-sampling and multichannel marketing
Ronnie Choudhary, Senior Director of Global Customer Strategy, Pfizer
2:30  Explore e-Sampling as a Robust, Cost Effective Solution to Sampling
• Understand how Ordering Made Easy FDA guidelines and the use of e signatures streamline physician access to samples
• Learn how e-sampling, when paired with traditional sampling data, can augment marketing initiatives
• Explore how e-sampling can increase the reach of your product launch using a virtual sample presence
Eric Johnson, Senior Vice President of Commercial Development, J. Knipper and Company, Inc.

3:15  Networking and Refreshment Break

3:45  Understand Cold Chain Logistics and Green Technologies
• Understand how ecologically friendly technologies are driving innovation in sample logistics
• Explore how non-toxic, pharmaceutical grade, refrigerant gel will reduce packaging, increase stability and simplify sample logistics
• Discuss how to validate and implement new refrigerant technologies
Chris Dotta, Sr. Account Manager, Pakoil Company
Frank Butch, Director of Quality & Commercialization, Sonoco ThermoSafe

4:30  White Space Marketing and Sample Strategies
• Learn how to identify and serve new markets using pharmaceutical samples
• Develop a tactical approach to outreach and what to expect
• Understand sample strategy when faced with loss of exclusivity
Anne Dieffenbacher, Vice President, Business Solutions, J. Knipper and Company, Inc.

5:30  Close of Day One

DAY TWO
Thursday, October 17, 2019

8:00  Continental Breakfast

8:45  Chairman's Preview of Day Two
Eric Johnson, Senior Vice President of Commercial Development, J. Knipper and Company, Inc.

9:00  Enhanced Salesforce Effectiveness through “Last Mile” Management
• Uncover strategies to keep your salesforce selling rather than waiting for sample shipments or validating cold storage equipment
• Unpack the supply chain of pharmaceutical samples, opportunities to optimize and how to manage your vendor relationship
Steve Conn, Senior Vice President of Commercial Development, Genesis Logistics

9:45  Discuss the Costs and Benefits of Direct to HCP and Direct to Rep Fulfillment Strategies
• Explore the benefits of direct to HCP fulfillment with regard to timely delivery of samples
• Understand how to position your salesforce when an office visit is no longer necessary, such as in direct to rep fulfillment
• Analyze the complexities and benefits of a blended approach to fulfillment to optimize salesforce efficiency
Robert Candea, Director of Sales Operations, Glenmark Pharmaceuticals

10:30  ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
Understand How to Better Interface Commercial Operations with 3PL Sample Vendors
Deeper understanding of customers (stakeholders) can help improve impact of sampling. How do you personalize and target HCPs (stakeholders) to better leverage sampling, detailing and other marketing efforts? Leverage the collective insight from peers, speakers and industry leaders to customize a sample program that is compliant, effective and successful.
Ronnie Choudhary, Senior Director of Global Customer Strategy, Pfizer

11:15  Chairman’s Closing Remarks

11:30  Close of Conference
The 9th Annual **Next Generation Pharmaceutical Samples** conference continues to be the premier forum for bio/pharma manufacturers to benchmark across industry and discuss best practices in physician sample programs. 2019 promises to be an informative event with perspectives from industry experts eager to assist in increasing the efficiencies of your sample operations. Leverage insights from the pharmaceutical industry’s best and brightest subject matter experts to build your sample program into an effective tool for growth.

**Who Should Attend:**

You will benefit from attending this event if you are a bio/pharmaceutical manufacturer with responsibilities or involvement in the following areas:

- Sample Accountability
- Procurement
- Distribution
- Sample Compliance
- Sales
- Packaging/Labeling
- Sample Operations
- Labeling
- Fulfillment
- Marketing

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