

Ignite Your Passion for Wellness Expo Terms/Conditions/Policies

By participating in the expo, you acknowledge and accept the inherent risks associated with the event, including potential loss, damage, theft, or injury. Therefore, you release **Ignite Your Passion for Wellness Expo associates, Birchwood Meadow Event Venue and Simply Cultivated LLC** from any liability and hold us harmless against any such incidents. Your Participation indicates your agreement to abide by all rules and regulations set forth by **Simply Cultivated LLC, Birchwood Meadow Event Venue & Ignite Your Passion for Wellness Expo**.

This wellness expo is solely intended for educational purposes and does not serve as a platform for diagnosing, treating, or offering medical advice to individual participants. Prior to initiating any new regimen, it is essential to consult with your physician or other qualified healthcare provider.

****There are No refunds as all proceeds go towards funding the event.****

Check-In, Set-up, and Break Down

- All Speakers and Vendors must check-in at registration
- All speakers and vendors must show up an **hour before** doors open to start setting up before guests arrive. Event times will be shared at time of sign-up and on the event page. Please do not show up earlier than an hour before doors open. **Speakers and vendors must stay until the expo is over and complete tear down of their spot within an hour after the event** . Due to safety reasons, any speaker/ vendor that arrives after the event start time will forfeit their spot in the Wellness Expo with no refunds unless otherwise negotiated.
- **ALL outside provided tables and chairs MUST have scratch resistant floor coverings on table legs and chairs, the plastic or rubber feet that came on table/chairs at purchase. These will be checked upon registration.**
- Vendor stations are 6ft X 8ft in space. If you are a Speaker, you will be provided with 1- 6ft table and two chairs for your space. All other signage, displays and banners MUST be supplied by the speaker themselves. If you are a vendor, **you will be responsible for bringing your own table, chairs, signage, displays and banners.**
- Vendors will be allowed to sell their merchandise or services and are responsible for reporting sales tax to the local county.
- While the event occupies the premises, Birchwood Meadow and the Ignite Your Passion for Wellness Expo will provide No insurance; any insurance must be placed and paid for by the vendors.
- Failure to meet requirements may lead to removal of the event and no refunds will be provided.

Speaker/Vendor Fees

Speaker/Vendor's fees are Non Refundable and Non Transferable. In case the event must be canceled for reasons outside the organizers control (inclement weather such as tornadoes and hurricanes, government imposed regulations, Acts of God, or venue related issues) the event will be rescheduled and a new date will be announced to all registered vendors. Refunds will not be given due to already acquired expenses on organizer's behalf as advertising and promotion, venue rental fees, etc.

Food Vendors

- Vendors are responsible for keeping area clean and attractive before, during and after the expo
- Vendors and employees shall use every measure to protect the event site from all damages. Vendors shall be responsible for damages caused by him/her to the event premises.
- Comply with all health and fire permits where applicable
- Responsible for collecting and reporting All sales tax.
- Ensure that the food being sold will be staffed and open the entire length of the expo.
- Display a disclaimer with any possible food allergies
- Vendor will remove all of their trash in the immediate food area during tear down of event
- Failure to meet requirements may lead to removal of the event and no refunds will be provided.

Dessert/ Sweet Vendors

Although you may fall under the cottage food category, from which rules and regulations vary from county to county, it is the vendor's responsibility to check with the county in which the event is being held. If the Health Department comes on site and checks your booth, you must be compliant with their rules and regulations. Please note that the organizer is not responsible for the proper functioning nor the acceptance or denial of your participation in the event based on Health Department requirements. You are required to display a disclaimer for any food allergies.

Additional Guidelines

- **ALL outside provided tables and chairs MUST have scratch resistant floor coverings on table legs and chairs, the plastic or rubber feet that came on table/chairs at purchase. These will be checked upon registration.**
- **Vendors may NOT sell items bearing the event name or likeness for copyright reasons.**
- Professional behavior and dress is required
- Vendors are PROHIBITED FROM SMOKING ON EVENT PREMISES
- Vendors are prohibited from having animals in the confines of the event, except for legitimate service animals as authorized by State Statute and ADA standards.
- Vendors can distribute flyers, business cards, coupons, or other material to patrons within their vendor space
- **Failure to meet requirements may lead to removal of the event and no refunds will be provided.**

PHOTOGRAPHY / VIDEOGRAPHY RELEASE OF LIABILITY

By entering the **IGNITE YOUR PASSION FOR WELLNESS EXPO**, you are entering an area where photography, audio and video recording may occur.

Your entry and presence on the event premises constitutes your consent to be photographed, filmed, and/or otherwise recorded and to the release, publication, exhibition, or reproduction of any and all recorded media of your appearance, voice, and name for any purpose whatsoever in perpetuity in connection with the **IGNITE YOUR PASSION TO WELLNESS EXPO** and its initiatives, including, by way of example only, use on websites, in social media, news and advertising for all companies, speakers and vendors involved.

By entering the event premises, you waive and release any claims you may have related to the use of recorded media of you at the event, including, without limitation, any right to inspect or approve the photo, video or audio recording of you, any claims for invasion of privacy, violation of the right of publicity, defamation, and copyright infringement or for any fees for use of such recorded media.

You understand that all photography, filming and/or recording will be done in reliance on this consent. If you do not agree to the foregoing, please do not enter the event premises.