

Invitation To Exhibit

MGA 2026 Spring Conference

MotorCity Casino and Hotel

Detroit, Michigan

Thursday, April 23rd and Friday, April 24th 2026



Educate. Advocate. Change.

The Michigan Guardianship Association is the premier initiator for the advancement of legislative reform, guardianship certification, education, and the promotion of best practices for the protection of vulnerable individuals in the state of Michigan. We are excited to invite you to participate as an exhibitor at our 2026 Spring Conference at MotorCity Casino and Hotel in Detroit, Michigan on Thursday, April 23rd and Friday, April 24th, 2026.

This is an amazing opportunity for you to network with professional and family guardians, healthcare professionals, advocates, fiduciaries, conservators, care givers, social workers, attorneys and other MGA community members. As a valued participant you will have the opportunity to learn from our experienced and knowledgeable speakers as they make informational presentations on important issues for surrogate decision makers.

We offer several unique sponsorship packages – each offering an array of promotional opportunities to leave a lasting impression with potential clients and colleagues.

The 2026 Spring Conference is a two day conference on Thursday, April 23rd and Friday, April 24th. However, exhibitors will only be on display Thursday, April 23rd. The conference will begin with a Welcome Mixer from 7:00pm - 9:00pm on Wednesday, April 22nd. Exhibitors are welcome to participate in sessions and networking. Social Workers are eligible for CEU's if attending sessions. All sponsorship and exhibiting packages include attendance to the Wednesday Evening Welcome Mixer, all educational sessions on Thursday and Friday, Breakfast, Lunch, and Thursday Evening Dinner.

IMPORTANT:To reserve your desired package, complete pages five and six of this packet and email it to admin@michiganguardianship.org. This is extremely important for those companies paying via check. This will place a temporary hold on the package until payment is received. Full payment is due by April 10th, 2026.

Do not delay or you may miss out on this fantastic opportunity to promote your agency.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions. I look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

Kate Dubs

MGA Administrator

Phone:(586) 996-3456

Email: admin@michiganguardianship.org

Hotel Accommodations

The Michigan Guardianship Association is happy to provide discounted hotel accommodation rates to attendees. Our 2026 Spring Conference will be held at MotorCity Casino and Hotel in Detroit, Michigan. We STRONGLY recommend that you make reservations as soon as possible. The room block is for Wednesday, April 22nd and Thursday, April 23rd. **Room block cut off date is Wednesday, April 1st, 2026 and availability cannot be guaranteed.**

MotorCity Casino and Hotel

2901 Grand River Ave
Detroit, MI 48201

Phone: 313-237-7711

Web: <https://www.motorcitycasino.com/default.aspx>

Check in: 4:00pm

Check Out: 11:00am

To make room reservations:

Phone: 313-237-7711

-Refer to the MGA 2026 Spring Conference when booking your room

Online: <https://booking.motorcitycasino.com?package=042226MICH>

-Click the link above to book your room online

MGA Discounted Room Rate - \$169 per night (not including sales tax) Please note this rate is not guaranteed if the room block is filled. The room block cut off date is Wednesday, April 1st 2026.

It is the conference attendee's responsibility to coordinate hotel accommodations and understand the facility policies including reservation cancellation.

Sponsorship Packages

\$4,000 Diamond Sponsorship

****Welcome Mixer Sponsor or Dinner Sponsor****

Diamond Sponsorship Includes:

- 2 (two) attendees
- Attendance to Wednesday Evening Welcome Mixer, Drink tickets to pass to guests at Welcome Mixer or Dinner
- Attendance to all sessions, Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
- Exhibitor Space on Thursday
- Company logo projected during conference
- Ad space on the MGA website for three months for 2026
- Four posts on Facebook for 2026
- Clickable ad included in all email blasts to membership advertising the event

\$2,500 Ruby Sponsorship

****Breakfast Sponsor or Lunch Sponsor****

Each Ruby Sponsorship Includes:

- 2 (two) attendees
- Attendance to Wednesday Evening Welcome Mixer
- Attendance to all sessions, Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
- Exhibitor Space on Thursday
- Company logo projected during conference
- Ad space on the MGA website for two months for 2026
- Three posts on Facebook for 2026
- Clickable ad included in all email blasts to membership advertising the event

\$1,500 Sapphire Sponsorship

****Registration Table Sponsor****

Each Sapphire Sponsorship Includes:

- 2 (two) attendees
- Attendance to Wednesday Evening Welcome Mixer
- Attendance to all sessions, Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
- Exhibitor Space on Thursday
- Company logo projected during conference
- Ad space on the MGA website for two months for 2026
- Two posts on Facebook for 2026
- Clickable ad included in all email blasts to membership advertising the event

\$1,000 Emerald Sponsorship

****Conference Sponsor****

Each Emerald Sponsorship Includes:

- 2 (two) attendees
- Attendance to Wednesday Evening Welcome Mixer
- Attendance to all sessions, Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
- Exhibitor Space on Thursday
- Company logo projected during conference
- Ad space on the MGA website for one month for 2026
- One post on Facebook for 2026
- Clickable ad included in all email blasts to membership advertising

Exhibitor and Participant Packages

\$675 Exhibitor

****Limited Packages Available****

Each Exhibitor Package Includes:

ONE TABLE ATTENDEE ONLY

- **1 (one) Attendee** (If two or more people are attending, see our Emerald Sponsorship package option, or register the other individual separately with a regular conference registration)
- Attendance to Wednesday Evening Welcome Mixer
- Attendance to all sessions, Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
- Exhibitor Space on Thursday

\$550 Participant

****Does NOT include an exhibitor space****

Each Participant Package Includes:

- One conference registration to attend sessions
- Attendance to Wednesday Evening Welcome Mixer
- Promotional materials included in Attendee Registration packets provided by you (must be received by April 10th, 2026)

\$250 Advertise

Does NOT include an exhibitor space or Conference Registration
(This Package is ideal for an organization not able to attend the conference, but would like to advertise during the conference)

Each Advertise Package Includes:

- Organization information & Promotional materials included in Attendee Registration packets provided by you (must be received by April 10th, 2026)
- Organization information emailed to Membership
- Copy of Attendee List and Exhibitor List

Important Information

Set Up:

Wednesday, April 22nd from 4:00pm – 8:00pm at MotorCity Casino and Hotel in Salon C

All Exhibitors must be set up by 7:30am on Thursday, April 23rd

Tear Down:

Thursday, April 23rd at 4:00pm

Conference Details:

Exhibitors are encouraged to attend the Wednesday Welcome Mixer from 7:00pm - 9:00pm at MotorCity Casino and Hotel in the Amnesia Room. Exhibitors will **only** be on display Thursday, April 23rd but are encouraged to stay for Thursday Evening Dinner and Friday sessions to network.

IMPORTANT:

Exhibitor area is open air and not secure. Do not leave valuable items overnight. Neither MGA or MotorCity will be held liable for lost or stolen items.

You must advise if you require electrical within this application no later than April 10th, 2026. Electrical cannot be guaranteed on-site without prior notice

Sponsorship and Exhibitor Package Overview:

- Wednesday, April 22nd: Welcome Mixer from 7:00pm - 9:00pm at MotorCity Casino and Hotel in the Amnesia Room
- Thursday, April 23rd: Exhibitor Space from 7:00am - 4:00pm in Salon C
- One six foot table with table linen and chairs
- List of conference attendees and exhibitors in excel format – emailed to contact listed on page 5 **after** conference
- Raffle prizes are welcomed and encouraged. You are welcome to provide multiple prizes and use business cards you have collected at your table to draw winners. Prizes will be awarded at the Thursday Evening Dinner.
- Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner and attendance to Thursday and Friday Sessions
- CEU's for Social Workers

Agreement

Please check all that apply.

<input type="checkbox"/> \$4,000 Diamond Sponsorship Package	<input type="checkbox"/> \$675.00 Exhibitor Package (<u>ONE ATTENDEE ONLY</u>)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500 Ruby Sponsorship Package	<input type="checkbox"/> \$550.00 Participant Package (<u>NO TABLE SPACE</u>)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,500 Sapphire Sponsorship Package	<input type="checkbox"/> \$550.00 Advertise Package (<u>NO ATTENDANCE</u>)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000 Emerald Sponsorship Package	

☐ Electrical Required - **Electrical requirements must be communicated within this application and cannot be guaranteed on-site after April 10th. Please note extra fees may apply.**

☐ Attendance to the Wednesday Evening Welcome Mixer (7:00pm-9:00pm) at MotorCity Casino and Hotel

Company Name:	
Primary Contact Name/Title:	
Address:	
City, State and Zip:	
Phone Number:	
Contact Email:	

Staff Attending The Conference:

Please provide the name(s) and contact information of staff attending the event below.

Please note - Sponsorship Packages include two staff members and the Exhibitor Package only includes one staff member.

If you wish to bring additional staff members with the Exhibitor Package, please view our sponsorship options. If you do not wish to upgrade to a sponsorship, you will need to individually register the staff member as a conference attendee.

Dietary restrictions include but are not limited to food allergies, kosher, gluten free, vegetarian, vegan, and diabetic, and must be communicated to MGA for accommodations to be made. Please contact administrator for more information.

Staff Attending:	Email:	Dietary Restrictions:
1)		
2)		

Please provide MGA a company description in a word document format. This information will be used for sponsorship materials. If your company utilizes a Facebook page, Google+, please provide that as well.

Contact information listed above will be the information we publish to membership so they can contact you.

We will also require your company logo in the following format: .jpeg or .png 180 x 120 px

Email these items to: admin@michiganguardianship.org as soon as possible to reserve your space. Exhibitor tables are on a first come basis and are limited.

Agreement

No sponsorship or exhibit package is considered reserved until MGA receives pages 5 and 6 of this agreement completed including an authorized signature as commitment for payment. Please send a digital copy to the MGA Admin at the email address below (even if you choose to mail in a check, this will reserve your spot until the check is received). Payments **MUST** be received no later than April 10th, 2026 or the space is forfeited.

EMAIL: admin@michiganguardianship.org

CANCELLATION POLICY: Cancellations received before April 1st, 2026 will result in a refund of 75%; 25% will be retained for administrative services. No refunds will be given after April 2nd, 2026.

TOTAL PAYMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF: \$ _____
(Please make a copy for your records.)

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

_____ Credit Card Payment **(includes payment processing fee of 2.9% + \$0.30)**

_____ Check/Money Order Enclosed **(please note our address has changed below)**

PAYMENTS ARE DUE UPON RECEIPT

Payments must be received prior to your arrival at the conference on Wednesday, April 22nd, 2026 either by check or credit card payment via PayPal.

Credit card payments are executed using Paypal. Upon receipt of your completed agreement an invoice will be created and sent to the email address provided. It will contain a link to pay your invoice. Do not provide your credit card information in this agreement.

Please make check or money orders payable to: Michigan Guardianship Association

Remit completed Agreement with payment to:
MICHIGAN GUARDIANSHIP ASSOCIATION
P.O. Box 575
Monroe, MI 48161

We hereby agree to contribute the sum of \$ _____ for exhibitor/sponsorship space as noted on page 5. We understand that benefits for sponsorship will be provided as indicated at specific levels in the sponsorship packet, provided that full information and a commitment for payment are received by MGA no later than April 10th, 2026.

By signing below I agree to all the terms of this agreement. I further agree if this signed agreement is mailed or emailed that it will be considered as a commitment for payment and is subject to cancellation notice as stated above.

Authorizing Agent's Signature: _____