

connecting respiratory and critical care device manufacturers to respiratory care professionals

2014 media kit



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connect with buyers

RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care connects respiratory care professionals to respiratory and critical care device manufacturers via social networks, mobile devices, unique websites, e-mail newsletters, and monthly print publications featuring respiratory care best practices that readers can use—right now. We are unique in the marketplace because we are the only independent brand that focuses exclusively on the respiratory care industry.



meet the editor



Mike Fratantoro | Chief Editor phone: (424) 235-8045 email: mikefrat@allied360.com

Mike Fratantoro brings several years of media experience to *RT's* editorial leadership. His goal for the *RT* brand is to expand the magazine's focus on digital/social media engagement to support its traditional media and improve dialogue between clinicians and product manufacturers. With the guidance of *RT's* editorial advisory board, he and the *RT* staff work together to share the most vital, timely, and actionable information available to support respiratory care efforts.

One Major Change in 2014 is *RT's* emphasis on using our digital media properties to deliver interesting and innovative content to our readers as quickly and efficiently as possible. As more and more of our 20,000+ monthly subscribers engage with our content through tablets, smartphones, and the Web, the opportunity for greater interaction between our readers and our advertisers is growing every day.

RT's Editorial Advisory Board, which includes prominent academics, eminent pulmonologists, and expert hospital-based respiratory therapists, keeps us apprised of the latest developments in best practices in respiratory care.

"Respiratory and critical care professionals are dedicated to providing the greatest possible care to their patients. To accomplish this, they need to be aware of the latest research, the newest products, and the key issues that are driving the industry. That's where RT Magazine comes in. Our goal is to provide the smart, interesting, and readily accessible information that ultimately helps RTs and their patients breathe easier. ."



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advertise with us

Brand yourself as a key industry provider within the respiratory care segment's most trusted editorial source.

Connect with an audience of over 46,000 (and growing) decision makers... professionals who trust and share a great affinity for *RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care.*

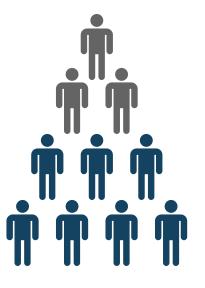
Boost your advertising investment productivity.

Readers rely on *RT: For Decision Markets in Respiratory Care* as a trustworthy source for industry intelligence. That's why so many successful businesses continue with *RT: For Decision Markets in Respiratory Care* as their long-term advertising partner.

Engage potential buyers through dynamic multimedia platforms.

Your customers, as we all do now, absorb information through various platforms and we help you capitalize on those latest information assimilation trends. As your marketing arm, *RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care* takes your sales message and transforms it into a targeted, integrated marketing campaign. Year after year, *RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care* is rated highest amongst competitors in reach, content and results.

We can increase your brand visibility, drive traffic to your site, offer lead generation, conduct market research, and/or help you educate the respiratory care market, both effectively and cost efficiently. Whatever your marketing objectives, *RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care* offers multiple plans of attack to meet and even surpass them.



7 OUT OF 10 INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS

who receive *RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care* have taken action (visited an advertiser's website, discussed an ad with someone, requested more vendor information, etc) after reading advertisements in *RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care.**

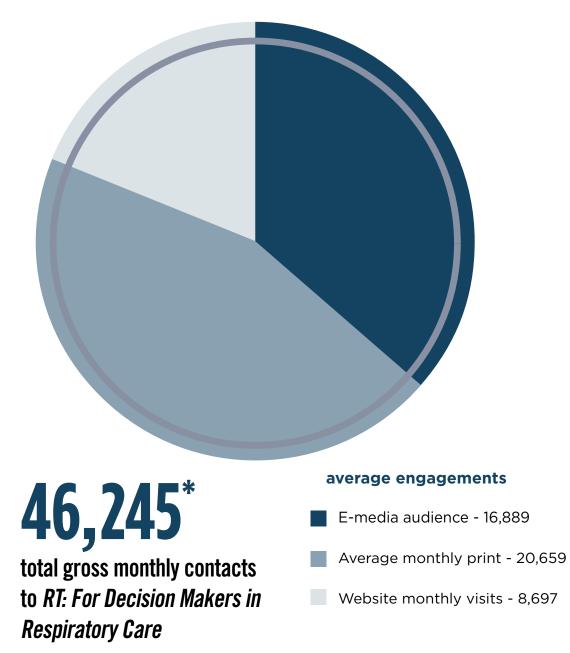
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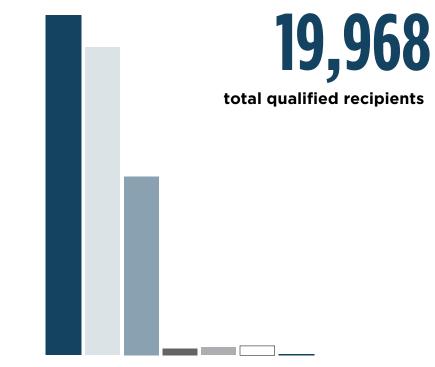
3 OUT OF 4 INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS

who receive *RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care* indicated they were responsible (either as an individual or as part of a group) for purchasing and/or recommending the purchase of equipment and services for their organization.*

the audience

RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care allows innovative marketers to leverage print, online, e-newsletter, and interactive opportunities that maximize marketing dollars and create results-oriented programs. *RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care* delivers complete coverage of critical technological advancements, applied products intelligence, and diagnostics.





occupational breakdown of qualified recipients

Respiratory Care Director/Manager/Supervisor	7,993
Respiratory Therapist	7,238
Pulmonary Physician	4,201
Cardiopulmonary Specialist	147
Pulmonary Rehabilitation Specialist	181
Respiratory Home Care Specialist	205
Other	3

*Publisher's own data August 2013

RT 2014 content calendar

	[JAN]	[FEB]	[MARCH]	[APRIL]	[MAY]
PRINT					
Features	 Transtracheal Oxygen Therapy in the ER Ventilation Simulation + Education Facility Profile: NIH Clinical Center 	 Exercise + COPD Management Pulse Oximetry Ventilation Capnography + PCA Monitoring 	 DMAT: Disaster Medical Assistance Teams Inhaled CO Therapy Blood Gas Facility Profile: CHOP Sleep Center 	 COPD & Women Intubation + VAP Bubble CPAP NICU Spirometry/PFT 	 COPD + Sleep Apnea Ventilation Nat'l Sleep Foundation 2014 Poll In-Hospital Sleep Labs
Market Roundtable	 Blood Gas Analysis 	Secretion Clearance	 Oxygen Therapy 	 Airway Management 	 Pulse Oximetry
Technology Insider	Spirometry/PFT	Aerosol Delivery	 Airway Management 	Secretion Clearance	Bubble CPAP
Tech Comparison Matrix A	Ventilation	 Pulse Oximetry 	 Blood Gas Analyzers 	 Spirometry/PFT 	CPAP Interfaces
Tech Comparison Matrix B	- Humidification	 Capnography 			CPAP Systems
Ad Space Close	12.10.13	1.7.14	2.5.14	3.14.14	4.9.14
Ad Material Deadline	12.16.13	1.13.14	2.11.14	3.20.14	4.15.14
Mail Date	1.11.14	2.5.14	3.6.14	4.12.14	5.8.14
ONLINE					
Webinars		 ACA Healthcare Law + Impact 		 Reducing COPD Readmissions 	
E-Newsletters			Respiratory	/ Report (weekly)	
	[JULY]	[AUGUST]	[SEPT]	[OCT]	[NOV]
PRINT					
Features	Product Focus	 RTs Without Borders Oxygen Delivery Methods Ventilation Pulmonary Rehabilitation Brand Awareness Study 	 Transport RTs + Transport Ventilation Blood Gas Cystic Fibrosis + Secretion Clearance Facility Profile: Nat'l Jewish Health 	 Reducing COPD Readmissions Pulse Oximetry FeNO + Asthma Smoking Cessation 	 Ventilation + Humidification Secretion Clearance Intubation + Airway Management Facility Profile: Univ Pittsburgh Med Ctr
Market Roundtable		 Capnography + PCA Monitoring 	 Spirometry/PFT 	Ventilation	- CPAP
Technology Insider		Pulse Oximetry	 Ventilation 	 Oxygen Therapy 	 Blood Gas Analysis
Tech Comparison Matrix A		 Oxygen Conservers 	 Secretion Clearance 	Ventilation	 Intubation + Airway Management
Tech Comparison Matrix B		Oxygen Concentrators		 Pulse Oximetry 	
Ad Space Close	6.6.14	7.9.14	8.12.14	9.10.14	10.8.14
Ad Material Deadline	6.12.14	7.15.14	8.18.14	9.16.14	10.14.14
Mail Date	7.9.14	8.7.14	9.11.14	10.9.14	11.6.14
ONLINE					
Webinars		 Reducing VAE/VAP 			 Managing Rising Departmental Costs by Transitioning to Home Car
E-Newsletters			Respiratory	/ Report (weekly)	

[JUNE]

•	Home Care + Chronic
	Lung Patients

- Inhaled Nitric Oxide
- ECMO + Resuscitation
- EMR Management
 + PFT Data
- Aerosol Delivery
- Capnography
- Aerosol Delivery
- Resuscitation
- 5.7.14

5.13.14

6.6.14

INDUSTRY EVENTS

FOCUS (SPRING) 2014 ORLANDO, FL MAY 15-17 Bonus Distibution APRIL ISSUE

> ATS 2014 SAN DIEGO, CA MAY 16-21 Bonus Distibution APRIL ISSUE

APSS 2014 MINNEAPOLIS, MN MAY 31-JUNE 4 Bonus Distibution MAY ISSUE

AARC 2014 LAS VEGAS, NV DEC 9-12 Bonus Distibution NOVEMBER ISSUE

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Buyer's Guide

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online ad rates & mechanicals

RATES & AD DETAILS

Leaderboard	Medium Rectangle 1	Medium Rectangle 2	Bottom Banner	Interstitial	Page Peel
728 x 90	300 x 250	300 x 250	940 x 60	550 x 480	80 x 80 500 x 500
jpg, gif, swf	jpg, gif, swf	jpg, gif, swf	jpg, gif, swf	jpg, gif	jpg, gif
45kb	45kb	45kb	45kb	45kb	45kb
24 fps	24 fps	24 fps	24 fps	_	-
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3	3	3	3	_	-
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Material Submissions 10 days prior to campaign start \$1000 / \$1000 / \$3000 / \$2000 / \$1500/ \$1500/ Rates *All rates are net month month month month month month Total Units Available 3 3 3 3 1 1

INTERSTITIAL 550 X 480 **PAGE PEEL** 500 X 500 80 X 80



SEND AD MATERIALS to Ad Coordinator:

NINA KATSOV

(913) 894-6923, ext 621 Fax (913) 647-6108 nkatsov@allied360.com

print ad rates & mechanicals

SEND AD MATERIALS to Ad Coordinator: NINA KATSOV (913) 894-6923, ext 621 Fax (913) 647-6108 nkatsov@allied360.com	Preferred Positions Guaranteed Positions Inside Cover Back Cover Color Rates Standard/matched inks 4-Color 5-Color PMS	10% premium \$525 \$605 \$475 \$850 \$1,050	Spread \$785 \$1,400 \$1,800
HALF PG SPREAD Live Area: 14.75 x 5 Trim Size: 15.75 x 5.5	1/3 PAGE 4.56 X 4.875	1/2 PAGE VERT. VERT. 3.375 X 10 3.375 X 10 3.375 X 10 1/2 PAGE HORIZONTAL 7 X 4.875	2/3 PAGE 4.56 X 10
FULL PAGE Live Area: 7.375 x 10.25 TRIM Size: 7.875 x 10.75 Bleed: 8.125 x 11 3.375 x 4.875	Spread F Live Area: 15 Trim Size: 15. Bleed: 16	.5 X 10.25 75 X 10.75	1/2 ISLAND LIVE AREA: 4.56 X 7.5

CUSTOM MARKETING



KEY DATES & DEADLINES

	Jan	Feb	March	April	Мау	June	July	August	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Space Close	12.10.13	1.7.14	2.5.14	3.14.14	4.9.14	5.7.14	6.6.14	7.9.14	8.12.14	9.10.14	10.8.14	11.11.14
Ad Material Due	12.16.13	1.13.14	2.11.14	3.20.14	4.15.14	5.13.14	6.12.14	7.15.14	8.18.14	9.16.14	10.14.14	11.15.14
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⁺Mailing date is an estimated date and could vary depending on delays in print production, postal processing or mailing transit times

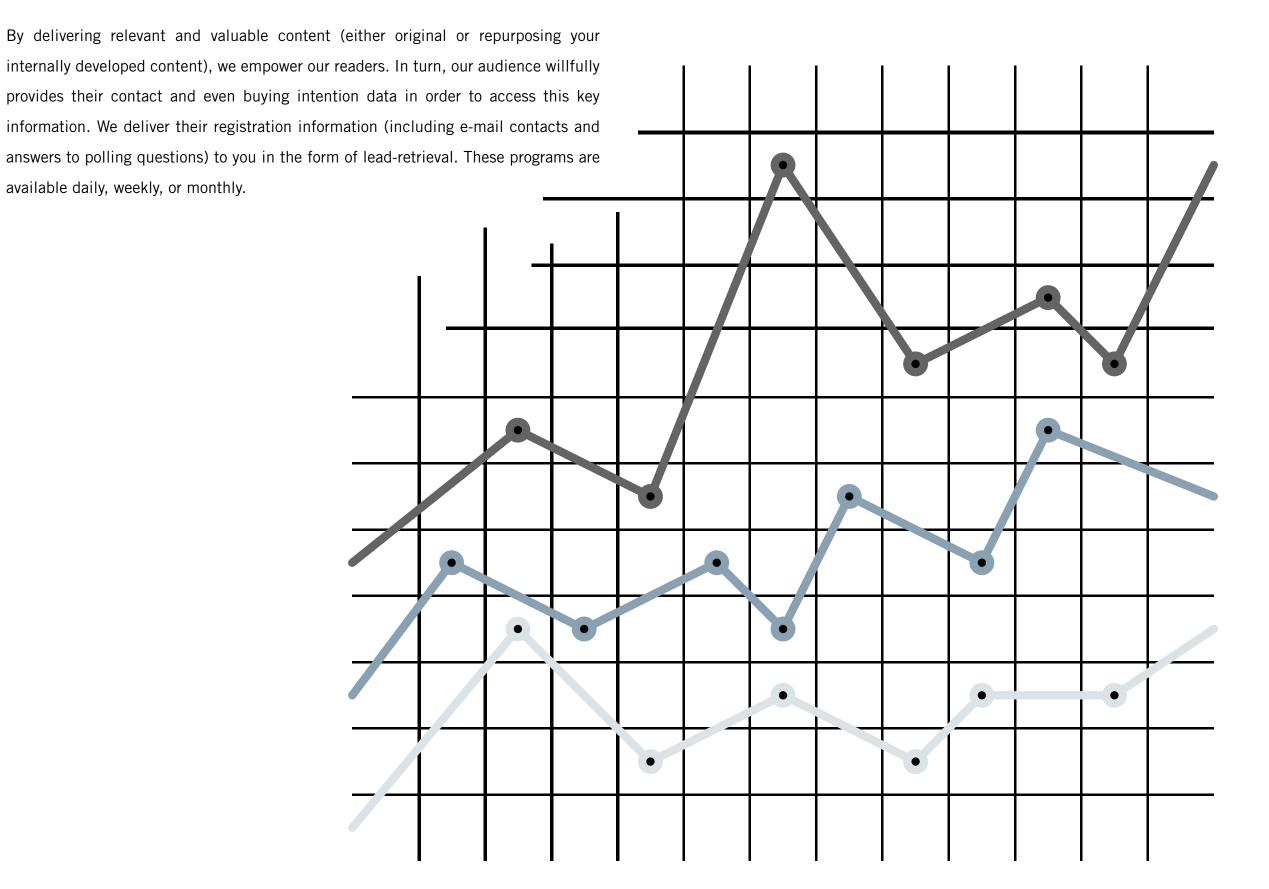
MECHANICAL REQUIREMENTS

Live Area	Trim Size	Bleed Size
15.5 x 10.25	15.75 x 10.75	16 x 11
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4.56 x 10		
14.75 x 5	15.75 x 5.5	
4.56 x 7.5		
3.375 x 10		
7 x 4.875		
2.375 x 10		
4.56 x 4.875		
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STANDARD RATES

Size	1x	3x	6x	12x	18x	24x	30x
1 page	\$4,470	\$4,285	\$4,150	\$4,015	\$3,895	\$3,785	\$3,665
2/3 page	\$3,625	\$3,480	\$3,380	\$3,275	\$3,170	\$3,070	\$2,980
1/2 Island	\$3,430	\$3,295	\$3,200	\$3,090	\$2,990	\$2,905	\$2,815
1/2 page	\$3,105	\$2,985	\$2,895	\$2,800	\$2,710	\$2,625	\$2,555
1/3 page	\$2,410	\$2,305	\$2,240	\$2,175	\$2,090	\$2,040	\$1,980
1/4 page	\$1,990	\$1,905	\$1,845	\$1,790	\$1,750	\$1,685	\$1,641
1/6 page	\$985	\$940	\$915	\$885	\$855	\$835	\$810

lead generation programs



digital edition

Our digital editions offer enhanced features such as slide shows, podcasts, videos, and much more that make reading the latest issue truly interactive and unique.



*Multimedia add-on items are only available with an enhanced digital ad **Multimedia features added to online digital edition only and do not bundle with tablet edition

program features

PRIMARY SPONSOR

- Single or multiple issue sponsorship of digital edition
- Leaderboard (728 x 90) on two separate e-blasts for each edition
- Left-hand page facing the digital edition front cover
- Traffic Driver promotional items on brand website and weekly e-newsletters
- Sponsorship recognition on digital edition promotion ad in print

\$2500/issue

DIGITAL AD LINK

• Live link on ad and in Ad Index

\$150 | \$100/additional

BANNER AD

• Rotating Banner Ad that will appear above the digital edition (max 3)

\$350/each

ENHANCED DIGITAL AD

- Substitute the print ad with one designed with the digital format in mind
- Place unique buttons and calls for action that will drive interaction with your ad
- Your ad can be linked to any URL (max 4)

MULTIMEDIA ADD-ONS

• Add Audio, Video, and Flash items to an Enhanced Digital Ad, or replace your ad completely with a flash version

ENHANCED DIGITAL AD SPREAD

• 2-page ad in digital edition

DIGITAL AD ENHANCEMENT DETAILS

	Digital Ad	Digital Spread	Audio	Video	Flash Animation	Flash Ad
Туре	pdf	pdf	TC	youtube, vimeo	swf	swf
Specs	7.875 x 10.75	15.75 x 10.75	2 min	2 min	30 sec	30 sec loop
Pricing	\$500	\$1,000	\$175	\$200	\$200	\$300

e-newsletter & e-blasts

Direct to the desktop or mobile device, promote your message via direct marketing. E-blasts and e-newsletters deliver the latest product developments, technology advancements and other industry news to thousands of professionals. Our average click-through rates beat industry averages. And, we can gather important reader information to provide you qualified leads.



program features

E-NEWSLETTER AD UNIT

• Leaderboard (728 x 90) ad with URL link

BREAKING NEWS

• Leaderboard (728 x 90) ad with URL link

TOP TEN E-BLAST

- Leaderboard (728 x 90) ad with URL link
- Sent to editorial preference list

AD UNITS PRICING (PER MONTH)

	Daily Newsletter	Weekly Newsletter	Breaking News	Top Ten
Leaderboard - 1	\$7,000	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000
Leaderboard - 2	\$6,000	\$2,000	—	\$2,000
Leaderboard - 3	\$5,000	\$1,000	—	\$1,000
Leaderboard - 4	—	\$750	—	—
Leaderboard - 5	_	\$750	_	—

MULTI-SPONSOR/SHOW E-BLAST

- Client logo and URL link
- Client-provided materials
- Sent to editorial preference list
- 300 to 500 words from editorial must be included (highlighting pertinent information to e-blast)

\$400/per listing | \$800/for lead gen

THIRD PARTY E-BLAST/NEWSLETTERS

- Client provided materials
- Sent to third party preference list

\$300/CPM | \$200 production charge

buyer's guide

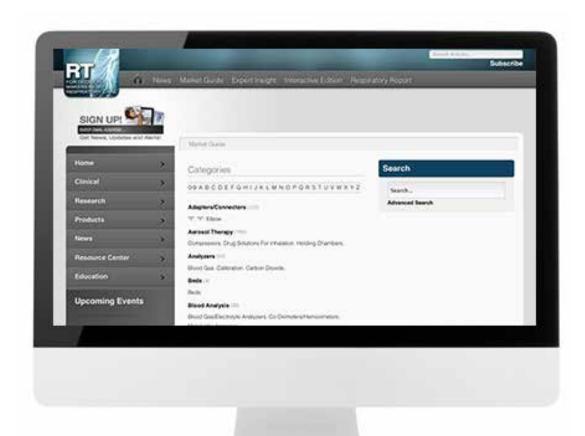
RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care annual Buyer's Guide summarizes and highlights the companies serving the respiratory care market. The guide is published in December and hosted throughout the year on the web. This is a resource that purchasing decision-makers refer to throughout the year.

CATEGORY SPONSORSHIP ADVERTISING

• Banner ad branding of a category and all sub-categories

AD UNITS DETAILS

	Leaderboard	Medium Rectangle	Bottom Banner
Ads/Category	3	3	3
Specs	728 x 90	300 x 250	940 x 60
Pricing/Year	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$4,000



program features

BASIC LISTING ONLINE - FREE

- Your Company Information
- Free listing will be included in annual print edition

FEATURED LISTING ONLINE

- Logo
- Flagged as Featured
- Access to Recommend/Print/Visit/Claim features
- Ability to make listing popular based on number of clicks
- Rotated feature listing in left column
- Company Descriptions
 Short 200 characters max listing will rotate in sidebar
 Long 1150 characters max will be part of your company listing page
- Product listings
- FREE Featured Listing with purchase of print ad (half page minimum) and product category sponsorship

\$1200/year (50% discount with purchase of category sponsorship ad)

featured listings - print - requires purchase of a display ad in print Buyer's Guide

FEATURED LISTING - BASIC

- Short Company Description 200 characters max
- Company logo
- Display ad call out

\$350/per listing

FEATURED LISTING - 1/4 PAGE

- Long Company Description 450 characters max
- One image and company logo
- Display ad call out

\$995/per listing

FEATURED LISTING - 1/2 PAGE

- Long Company Description 1150 characters max
- One image and company logo
- Display ad call out

\$1863/per listing

FEATURED LISTING - FULL PAGE

- Extended Company Description 2500 characters max
- Two images and company logo
- Display ad call out

\$3576/per listing

feature reports

Feature Reports provide an in-depth examination of technologies and trends shaping the current business environment. We assign an industry freelance editor to report on a specific topic. Analysis and editorial coverage on the topic is presented in a downloadable document and promoted through a turnkey marketing program. Feature Reports are great for branding, promoting the sponsor as a subject matter expert, generating leads, and provide great leave behinds for a client's sales team or for use at trade shows.

This is an editorial product that is sponsored by your company. We provide you with a draft version of the report and will provide an opportunity to offer suggestions to clarify points or offer commentary to improve overall readability of the report.

program features

- Promotional traffic drivers across platforms
- Accessible on the website for 3 months
- Customized registration page
- Sponsorship recognition on report cover
- One full-page 4-color ad within the report
- · Lead-retrieval options include daily, weekly, or monthly reporting

MATERIALS NEEDED

- Logo with URL link (eps or jpg format 300 dpi)
- Up to three custom registration questions (optional)
- Title suggestion we will review with editorial and refine as needed to optimize for SEO
- Three to five key bullet point themes that are relevant to title
- Point of contact for interview (name, phone, and email)
- Charts, figures, analyst reports, photos, etc. to provide context (optional)

\$17,000 total | promoted for 3 months

Production time frame - 12 weeks from signed insertion date

Benefits and Challenges: Keeping Up with the Rapid Evolution of Mechanical Ventilation

Benefits and Challenges:

Keeping Up with the Rapid Evolution of Mechanical Ventilation By Renee Dijulio



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FEATURED REPORT

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webinars

Engage with your target market and position your company as a subject matter expert by providing information in an educational format. As a sponsor, you will get powerful brand recognition on all webinar promotions, as well as access to audience data that will help you plan future marketing initiatives. You can sponsor an editorial webinar, work with us to create something customized for your product message, or let us host your already recorded content. These topic-specific webinars bring together our editorial team with our leading industry experts for an in-depth product or market briefing.

program features

- Live or recorded, audio plus PowerPoint presentation
- Custom developed webinar will be moderated by Chief Editor (marketer provides PowerPoint)
- Customized registration page
- One full-page 4-color print ad
- Weekly e-newsletter promotion
- Weekly e-blasts promoting webinar
- Inclusion in monthly promotional e-blast after live event
- Lead-retrieval options include daily, weekly, or monthly reporting
- Archived on the website for 3 months

WEBINAR OPTIONS

	Rate
60-Minute Event	\$16,000
30-Minute Event	\$10,500
15-Minute Event	\$7,500

Webinar programs require minimum of 3 months lead time for development, marketing, and registration. Event date will not be set earlier than 90 days from receiving the signed contract.



podcasts

Podcasts can be custom-developed for your message. Hosted by our chief editor, custom podcasts feature a one-on-one interview with industry leaders that provide insights into critical, current topics. These can be a one-time interview or part of a series that dissect industry developments. Podcast sponsors provide branding, association with delivery of intelligent content and embedded direct response opportunities. In addition, we can host your previously recorded podcasts on our site.

program features

- Single or multi sponsorship
- 15-second audio commercial
- Customized registration form to access podcast
- · Lead-retrieval options include daily, weekly, or monthly reporting
- Archived on the website for 3 months
- Inclusion in monthly promotional e-blast

\$2000/month | (3 months minimum)

Production time frame - 8 weeks from signed insertion date



video showcase

Tell your story, present your solution, or demonstrate your product with video. All packages include print, website, and e-newsletter promotions, and these videos are only accessible to registered site visitors.

program features

- Video URL link or embedded YouTube link hosted in Resource Center
- Inclusion in monthly promotional e-blast
- Promotional traffic drivers across platforms

\$2000/month | (3 months minimum)

Production time frame - 4 weeks from signed insertion date



dedicated communities

Create a niche community dedicated exclusively to the category of your choice! With this community style platform, readers can log on to find out information on product news, new research, educational articles, and much more!

Content development

We facilitate the creation of a community where all content is consumer-oriented and industry specific. This could include *RT: For Decision Makers in Respiratory Care* editorial content, Q&A, government and regulators content, your branded content, blogs, industry experts, and interactive industry expert blogs.

Analytics

Reports containing the micro site ranking with the other sections of the website and daily site traffic for the micro site.

program features

- Link from site homepage
- Interactive link/ad with the monthly digital edition
- Promotional traffic drivers across platforms

MATERIALS NEEDED

- Logo (150 x 140) with URL link (eps or png format)
- Leaderboard (728 x 90) and bottom banner (940 x 60)

\$5000/month | (6 months minimum)

Production time frame - 4 weeks from signed insertion date



technology & product guide sponsorship

Our editors construct a comparison matrix of each product category and house it on our site (which recognizes the sponsoring company). When a visitor proceeds to download the comparison matrix, they are required to register their complete contact information (including name, location, email), which is then delivered to you in a custom lead generation report.

program features

- Original content developed by editorial team
- Customized registration page
- · Lead-retrieval options include daily, weekly, or monthly reporting
- Promotional traffic drivers across platforms

MATERIALS NEEDED

- Product image
- Up to three custom registration questions (optional)

\$2000/month | (3 months minimum)

Production time frame - 4 weeks from signed insertion date

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Allfade level	Jo Ia 12 000 1 Fejter ditudia may affect Jectoriumon	12.000 t	12.129.F	13.123 ft (i) to 4.000 etc; tested at 333 MPs
BAA apprevent?	Di	Yes	Tes .	Tes.

white papers

Our white paper download program offers a direct channel to place your abstracts and white papers in the hands of respiratory care professionals. We provide you with the complete contact registration leads for those professionals who download your paper, giving you the perfect opportunity to initiate follow up conversations.

program features

- Link from homepage
- Promotional traffic drivers across platforms
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MATERIALS NEEDED

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- Customized registration page

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MAXIMIZING HUMIDIFICATION A guide to delivering optimal humidification



WHILE MINIMIZING CHALLENGES: without sacrificing clinician efficiency



ABSTRACT

Providing proper humidification levels to invasively ventilated patients is of key importance. When the upper airway is bypassed during invasive mechanical ventilation, humidification is necessary to prevent hypothermia, disruption of the airway epithelium, bronchospasm, atelectasis, and airway obstruction.¹ Many patients, particularly those for whom a heat and moisture exchanger (HME) is contraindicated or who require long-term ventilatory support, require the use of a heated humidification system to assure that their requirements are met. With heated humidification, however, comes the challenge of managing the condensation of water that occurs in the ventilator tubing between the humidifier and the patient.

Whether using a conventional ventilator circuit, or one with heated wires, condensation will occur when using heated humidification, and the clinician must address the removal of condensate and any consequences that may result. This paper discusses recommendations related to the use of heated humidification with invasively ventilated patients, the challenges posed by condensation removal from the circuit, and a new product option for addressing these challenges.

HUMIDIFICATION DURING MECHANICAL VENTILATION

It is generally agreed that providing heat and humidification during invasive ventilation is mandatory and a prevailing standard of care worldwide.^{1,2} Two options are available for warming and humidifying the gases delivered to the mechanically ventilated patient: active humidification via a heated humidifier; and passive humidification via a heat and moisture exchanger (HME). HMEs cannot be used in all situations, and are specifically contraindicated in some patients and under some circumstances. Active humidification via a heated humidifier is then recommended to assure that adequate humidification is provided.^{1,2}

Heated humidifiers actively increase the heat and water vapor content of inspired gas.¹ These systems heat both a water reservoir and the ventilator gas coming into contact with the water as it moves from the ventilator to the patient. A maximum delivered gas temperature of 37°C and 100% RH (44mg/HzO/L) at the circuit Y-piece is recommended.¹ If the temperature of the gas cools as it travels through the ventilator circuit, condensation can occur and liquid water will collect in the ventilator tubing. If using conventional, non-heated wire ventilator circuits, the amount of condensation can be significant due to a pronounced temperature drop between the humidifier and the patient. Therefore, heated-wire circuits have increased in popularity, as they maintain the gas temperature throughout the circuit, reducing the amount of condensation build up.

If heated-wire circuits are used, however, condensation will still occur. This can be a result of changing environmental conditions, selected gas temperature and/or heated-wire settings. Therefore, condensation management and an understanding of the clinical consequences of the available options are important considerations when caring for patients receiving active humidification during invasive ventilation

THE ROLE OF THE VENTILATOR CIRCUIT: CHALLENGES AND CONSEQUENCES

Breathing circuits without heated wires (conventional circuits) have been used with heated-humidifiers for decades, and are still available and used today. When conventional circuits are used, the temperature at the humidifier must often be several degrees higher than the desired patient temperature at the Y-piece to compensate for the gas cooling between the humidifier outlet and patient. As a result, two phenomena occur: the absolute humidity (AH) of the gas leaving the humidifier is higher; and the gas cools significantly between the humidifier and the patient. Both are exacerbated by cold environmental temperatures and lead to large amounts of condensation in the circuit that must be dealt with on an ongoing basis.

Heated wires are frequently used as a means of controlling the amount of condensation in the ventilator circuit. When heated-wire circuits are used, two things occur: 1) the heated humidifier is able to operate at a lower temperature because it does not have to compensate for significant heat loss between the humidifier and the patient; and 2) the amount of cooling that is allowed to occur once the gas leaves the humidifier and traverses to the patient is reduced.

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