



Welcome to the 2022 AHA Convention!

2022 is going to be great as we roll out our first in-person Convention in 3 years. This will be a fantastic time to catch up with friends and leaders in our AHA. We are all looking forward to having a productive Convention and enjoying time with each other.

Prior to Convention be sure to attend the Plenary Session, Wednesday November 2 via the Zoom platform. This is such an important part of preparation for the business of Convention. We want to ensure we have an opportunity for all our members to participate and allow our proponents to hear from our members in order to further clarify the resolutions before they hit the Convention floor. All members may attend the Plenary Session.

First-timers to the AHA Convention will have a special Zoom meeting to learn about the process and to ask questions about how it all works. We are grateful for your participation in the AHA Convention and want to make sure we do as much as we can to help you be productive and enjoy your AHA experience.

The Sheraton hotel has been very kind to us in our preparations and they are looking forward to welcoming the AHA to Myrtle Beach. The Convention space is very convenient to the hotel and is extremely easy to navigate. It is NOT much of a walk from the elevators to the Convention meeting rooms!

If you want to venture out of the hotel it is a couple of blocks walk to the beach and the blocks are flat! The ocean is beautiful and if you go out on the piers you will see fishlife and possibly sharks!

Trivia night benefitting AHDF and the luncheon with the judges panel are two new additions to our Convention and both are sure to be informative and a good time for all in attendance.

Our staff and Convention Planning Committee leadership have been incredible in putting together an efficient and engaging experience for us all. Be sure to take a minute to thank them!

In planning ahead please make sure you have noted on your registration your attendance at the Trivia night, luncheon, and awards banquet so that we have proper counts for our catering. Hotels have moved up the notice required so please make sure you have secured your spot at these events ahead of time.

Travel safe on your way to Myrtle Beach and I personally look forward to seeing you! Let's make Convention 2022 one for us all to remember – our support of our friends and our support of our AHA!

Fondly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Deborah Johnson".

Deborah Johnson
AHA President