

Q1 2025 ASHE Webinar – 3/5/2025

Upcoming Chapter Dates

- Chapter annual report and awards application – 4/1/25
- 2026 Chapter challenge – 4/1/25
- Emerging regional leader award – 4/1/25
- Chapter vouchers Healthcare Facilities Innovation Conference voucher – 6/30/25
- ASHE Membership CHFM/CHC Exam voucher – 10/31/25

Upcoming changes in 2025

- Quarterly chapter calls- now need to register & can request topics
- Chapter awards- incentive enhancement for Bronze level and chapter leadership forum attendance
- 2026 Chapter Awards: CLF Attendance
 - Creation of Chapter management webinars 5/7/2025 & 10/1/2025
 - Platinum: 3 chapter leaders to attend CLF
- Chapter awards revamp announcement at 2025 CLF
 - Equitability
 - Align awards with current state of chapters
 - Encourage innovation & collaboration with ASHE
- Chapter benefits review - announcement at 2025 CLF, chapters are not using vouchers so evaluating other options
- Chapter management resources
- Chapter satisfaction survey Fall 2025
- Chapter on boarding program early 2026

Technician Facility Technician Training Course

- North Shore Technical Community College (NJCC) in Louisiana – initial pilot course completed and another course starting April 2025. They are awaiting feedback to provide modifications and changed prior to launching nationwide
- Currently planned - 4 month classroom program plus a 6 month externship at local healthcare facilities
- Needed to run program:
 - Host chapter
 - Instructors to teach provided course content
 - Partner with local community college
 - Hospitals ready to accept externships

Mechanic Evaluation & Certification for Healthcare (MECH)

- ASHE is collaborating with AHA Certification Center to complete exam update for MECH certification
- Volunteer opportunities available- item writers and subject matter experts
- Beta exam launches Fall 2025
- <https://www.aha.org/career-resources/certification-center/mech>

Maintenance & Operations (M&O) Experts Needed for ASHE Handbook/ Education

- Working on Maintenance & Operations installment of ASHE HCFM handbook
- Need volunteer experts for input. Qualifications for volunteers must include:

- 5+ years overseeing Healthcare facilities M&O and developing successful M&O policies/procedures strategies
- 3+ years using reliability centered maintenance or predicative maintenance
- Total time 4-5 hour commitment
- Email cdimick@aha.org by March 17th

ASHE Elections

- Potential candidate applications due by March 14th
- Positions open: President Elect, Assoc Member Rep, Regional Reps- 3,6,7,8,10
- Elections: July 27-August 25

ICC 2027 Code Cycle

- IBC, IEBC, IPMC, IZC
- Proposals submitted 1/10
- Committee on healthcare submitted 8 proposals, co-submitted 11 proposals
- March 13, 2025 web posting of proposed changes
- 4/27 through 5/6 committee action hearings

ASHRAE ASHE Standard 170

- Addendum s 2nd Public review open 2/14-3/31
- Addendum u 1st Public Review approved
- Addendum m 2nd Public Review approved

ASHRAE/ ASHE Guideline 43

- 3rd Public Review complete
- Approved for publication Feb 10th
- Going through ASHRAE publication process
- Chapter presentations available

ASHRAE 241- Control of Infectious Aerosols

- Voted for Public Review
- 2nd step in ANSI process

ASHRAE 188 & 514 Water Management Standards

- Combined under one standing standard project committee SSPC 400

Watch for comment periods in HFM Insider

Energy to Care Awards

- April 1st deadline

Energy to Care Dashboard Updates

- Awards verification tab
- Consumption saving widget
- Updated climate zone EUI map
- New call out button to navigate awards verification
- Reconfigured homepage pulling awards widgets to the top
- Deadline reminder with link to Awards Overview
- Award data & contact information buttons

Energy to Care Workshop

- Transition to a live online training program
- Walk participants through Energy to Care dashboard and how to use it

Upcoming Conferences

PDC Summit March 9-12, 2025 in Atlanta, Georgia

HC Innovation Conference July 27-30, 2025 in Columbus, Ohio

ASHE Academy September 15-19, 2025 in Chicago