

# The Center for Biocide Chemistries: Advocates for the Global Industry

### Who Is the Center for Biocide Chemistries?

- WE ARE THE LEADING TRADE ORGANIZATION that represents active ingredient producers and/or end-use manufacturers of biocidal products.
- WE ASSIST MEMBERS IN MANAGING INDUSTRY AND REGULATORY CHALLENGES through regular dialogue and information sharing with U.S. and international regulators.
- WE DIRECTLY COLLABORATE WITH REGULATORY AGENCIES to replace overly conservative
  exposure estimates and intervene on issues with far reaching implications for the industry.
- WE PROVIDE AN OPEN FORUM TO ADDRESS SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND REGULATORY ISSUES by strengthening relationships and engaging with U.S. and international regulatory authorities.

## **Our Members**

The Center for Biocide Chemistries is comprised of more than **50 companies that manufacture and/or formulate active biocide ingredients and biocidal products**. We share a common commitment to drive innovation and establish scientifically sound approaches to assess the potential risks of biocide use before they are brought to market.

## Why Join?

Biocides are highly regulated products globally. The Center for Biocide Chemistries addresses a broad range of dynamic issues and provides unique opportunities for companies to **engage in critical dialogue** with one another and a variety of regulators to **help shape the industry**. Working together, the Center helps members navigate the often challenging business, regulatory, and political landscape surrounding biocide registrations. Our success is driven by our in-house expertise in federal, state, and regulatory affairs as well as our core science and research team focused on providing sound, science-based decision making. Our first-in-class political mobilization, communications, and legal services support and complement these advocacy efforts. Our approach includes:

- Information Sharing & Business Networking
- Advocacy & Direct Collaboration with U.S.
   EPA and the states
- International Engagement & Issue Support
- Product & Market Sector Support
- Regulatory Coordination to Increase Efficiencies

### Join Us Today

For more information and how membership could benefit your company, please contact us today:

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