## ICC Chapters Provide Input on the Preferred Provider Program

In June, ICC reached out to all Chapter leaders about the <u>Preferred Provider Program</u> goals, proposed provider categories, and program benefits to ICC Chapters. Chapters contributed thoughtful, constructive and valuable comments and questions that will strengthen and improve the program. These comments were tabulated and discussed by the Preferred Provider Stakeholder Group (SG) in several meetings. The Preferred Provider SG consists of representatives of 30 chapters, associations, jurisdictions, private education providers and industry groups.

Both Chapter comments and the Stakeholder Group discussions were incorporated into the drafted Preferred Provider Program manual, which is currently being reviewed by the Professional Development Council. (The Professional Development Council consists of two committees, an Education Committee and a Certification Committee). Program details and the final program manual will be released to Chapters shortly, with the launch of the Preferred Provider Program planned for early November.

ICC looks forward to partnering with Chapters through the Preferred Provider Program. The goal of the program is to provide additional, diverse education opportunities to Members and all building safety professionals and is designed to be user-friendly, economical and provide broader exposure to Chapter Education offerings. ICC Chapters are essential to the program's success. The program will be evaluated on a regular basis and future adjustments and improvements will take place through the continuing efforts of the Preferred Provider Stakeholder Group, the Professional Development Council and continued direct feedback of Chapters.

Review Frequently Asked Questions about the Preferred Provider Program.