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## ZigBee-based RTLS Solutions from Awarepoint Highlighted During AAMI 2009 Educational Sessions and Expo

- WHO:** [Awarepoint](#) and partner [Skytron](#) will co-exhibit at Booth #717 during the Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation (AAMI) Conference & Expo, a premier conference for healthcare technology management. Additionally, Awarepoint executives will participate in two educational sessions focusing on enterprise-wide Real-Time Location Systems (RTLS) for RFID hospital asset tracking.
- WHEN:** [Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation](#) (AAMI)  
June 6 – 8, 2009  
Exhibit hours:  
Saturday, June 6: 4:30 PM – 7:00 PM EDT  
Sunday, June 7: 3:45 PM – 7:00 PM EDT  
Monday, June 8 11:00 AM – 2:30 PM EDT
- WHERE:** Baltimore Convention Center  
One West Pratt Street  
Baltimore, MD 21201
- TOPIC:** Saturday, June 6, 2009; 3:15 – 4:30 pm EDT  
Technical Operations and Support Track  
**Essential Factors to Consider When Evaluating Real-Time Location Systems for Your Organization**  
Evaluating and selecting the Real-Time Location System (RTLS) that works best for your facility can be a daunting and time-consuming task. In this session you will hear from leading RTLS manufacturers and learn more about the factors to consider when selecting a system. Matt Perkins, Awarepoint CTO, will participate as a panelist.
- Sunday, June 7, 2009; 8:30 – 9:45 am EDT  
Technical Operations and Support Track  
**Asset Management: Selecting the Appropriate Wireless Tracking System**  
In this unique session, you'll hear from CEOs of the two industry-leading Real-Time Location Systems (RTLS) providers. Jason Howe, CEO of Awarepoint, will provide case studies and examples of successful implementations of location tracking solutions in a healthcare environment.

[Skytron Asset Manager](#), powered by Awarepoint, will be on display during the conference. Skytron Asset Manager is a real-time location and hospital asset management solution which can consolidate medical equipment information and location needs for both mobile and fixed assets. With it, users can track the location and status of equipment, plus have operation, maintenance and technical manuals at their immediate fingertips. Both [Awarepoint](#) and [Skytron](#) executives will be available in Booth #717 during exhibit hours.

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### **About Awarepoint Corporation**

Awarepoint's technologies and Real-Time Location Systems (RTLs) include its real time awareness platform, firmware, active RFID tags, sensors, and bridges. Awarepoint's technologies collect raw sensor data and transform that data into high-value positioning information that can be used to add location awareness to a variety of healthcare, manufacturing, security and other applications. Requiring no hard wiring, Awarepoint's "plug and track" ZigBee-based wireless sensor network is a fully managed service, including hardware, software, remote monitoring and maintenance. The company is headquartered in San Diego, California and serves its hospital customers across the United States through an exclusive distribution partnership with Skytron. Track us down at [www.awarepoint.com](http://www.awarepoint.com)

### **About Skytron**

Skytron provides innovative and efficient medical equipment solutions for a variety of healthcare settings and hospital departments, and is recognized across North America for the highest quality products, extensive product menu and exceptional customer service. Skytron products include: general purpose and specialty surgical tables; imaging tables; full line surgical table accessories; surgical lighting, SkyVision O.R. video & data integration; emergency, procedure and exam lighting; birthing room, cath lab & ICU lighting; camera systems; space management and detachable equipment carrier skybooms; smoke evacuation systems; stainless steel storage cabinets; O.R. nurse documentation centers; warming cabinets; scrub sinks; washer-disinfectors, technology management programs, Turn-key Surgical Centers and the Skytron Asset Manager RFID-RTLs total asset management solutions. Since 1972, Skytron has remained true to their commitment of "customer service first, everything else will follow." For more information on Skytron's quality products, visit <http://www.skytron.us> .

### **ZigBee: Control your world**

ZigBee is the global wireless language connecting dramatically different devices to work together and enhance everyday life. The ZigBee Alliance is a non-profit association of more than 300 member companies driving development of ZigBee wireless technology. The Alliance promotes world-wide adoption of ZigBee as the leading wirelessly networked, sensing and control standard for use in consumer electronics, energy, health care, home, commercial and industrial areas. For more information, visit: <http://www.zigbee.org> .

### **About AAMI**

Founded in 1967, AAMI is the world's leading organization dedicated to advancing the safe and effective development and use of medical technology. AAMI's annual conference attracts healthcare professionals from hospitals, universities, consulting firms, independent service organizations, and manufacturing companies around the world.

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