

TPIE 2027 — first-time exhibitor checklist

Wednesday, January 20 – Friday, January 22, 2027 · Broward County Convention Center, Fort Lauderdale. Dates marked FROM THE ORGANIZER come from the show's own site; the others are our suggestions, counted back from the opening day.

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| ☐ | Wed, Oct 28, 2026 | Decide who works the booth, and register them early: the hotel block opens to registered attendees. SUGGESTED |
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| ☐ | Wed, Nov 18, 2026 | Book rooms through the TPIE Housing Bureau's online system only; it never phones you. SUGGESTED |
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| ☐ | Wed, Dec 9, 2026 | If you are bringing plants, check the phytosanitary inspection requirements with the Division of Plant Industry. SUGGESTED |
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| ☐ | Wed, Dec 16, 2026 | Last day for the \$30 show badge (11:59 PM Eastern); \$40 after FROM THE ORGANIZER |
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| ☐ | Wed, Dec 23, 2026 | Order furniture, carpet and signs from Expo Convention Contractors. SUGGESTED |
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| ☐ | Wed, Dec 30, 2026 | Set up your follow-up: availability sheets, price lists and how you sign off, so every buyer hears back the same day. SUGGESTED |
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| ☐ | Wed, Jan 13, 2027 | Plan delivery through the truck marshaling area; vehicles cannot go straight to the docks. SUGGESTED |
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| ☐ | Mon, Jan 18, 2027 | On-site exhibitor registration, noon to 5:00 PM FROM THE ORGANIZER |
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| ☐ | Mon, Jan 25, 2027 | Send any availability still waiting first thing Monday, before spring programs are filled. SUGGESTED |
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Checked against tpie.org on Mon, Oct 26, 2026. Dates change; the organizer's site is the final word. The full guide, with a source for every date: <https://meetdrop.ai/events/tpie>