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OF GASTROENTEROLOGY

# ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING & POSTGRADUATE COURSE

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CONFERENCE PREVIEW

# THE PREMIER GI CLINICAL MEETING & POSTGRADUATE COURSE

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Hands-on Endoscopy Workshops



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# ACG 2026

## ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING & POSTGRADUATE COURSE

will be a **hybrid conference**, giving attendees the option to participate in-person in Nashville, Tennessee, virtually via the online platform, or both. The in-person meeting will take place on October 9-14 at the Music City Center. Virtual access to on-demand sessions will begin in October. On-demand sessions and recordings of livestreamed presentations will be available to both in-person and virtual attendees on the Conference Platform until **March 31, 2027**.

- › **In-person attendees** will have access to everything you expect at live ACG conferences as well as access to the sessions on the Conference Platform, based on your registration.
- › **Virtual attendees** will have access to the livestreamed sessions during the conference dates and remaining sessions on-demand after the conference, based on your registration.
- › **All attendees** will have access to presentation handouts, slides, and on-demand content on the Conference Platform, based on your registration, until **March 31, 2027**. Handouts and slides will remain available on the mobile app after that date.



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# SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE



**WHAT'S NEW IN GI  
PHARMACOLOGY COURSE  
ON-DEMAND ONLY**  
*(see page 5 for more details)*

**🕒** All events are in Central Time (CT).

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9

7:00 am – 12:30 pm	GI Pathology and Imaging Course
7:25 am – 5:30 pm	ASGE/ACG Endoscopy Course
1:00 pm – 5:50 pm	Women's Initiative for Success and Empowerment in Gastroenterology Leadership Course (WISE GI)
1:30 pm – 6:00 pm	Advanced Practice Providers Leadership Summit
1:30 pm – 6:45 pm	Practice Management Summit
2:00 pm – 5:00 pm	ACG Guide to the Guidelines Course
5:45 pm – 9:00 pm	Trainees' Workshop: Navigating, Networking, and Negotiating Your First Job
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm	Advanced Practice Providers Reception

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10

7:55 am – 5:00 pm	Postgraduate Course
10:00 am – 10:30 am	ACG Trailblazer Lecture
12:20 pm – 1:35 pm	Optional Learning Luncheons <i>(pre-registration required)</i>
12:20 pm – 1:35 pm	Career Opportunities for Women in GI Luncheon <i>(pre-registration required)</i>
12:20 pm – 1:35 pm	APP Luncheon: Launching Strong, Leading Forward: From First Day to Future Leader in GI <i>(pre-registration required)</i>
5:15 pm – 7:00 pm	GI Jeopardy Competition

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11

7:55 am – 5:00 pm	Postgraduate Course
12:20 pm – 1:35 pm	Optional Learning Luncheons <i>(pre-registration required)</i>
12:20 pm – 1:35 pm	Trainees' Luncheon: <i>Beyond the Scope: Non-Traditional Paths in GI</i> <i>(pre-registration required)</i>
12:20 pm – 1:35 pm	DEI (URIM) Luncheon: A Time to Shine <i>(pre-registration required)</i>
3:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Exhibit Hall Open
3:30 pm – 6:45 pm	Endoscopy School Ergonomic Assessments
3:30 pm – 6:45 pm	Scientific Poster Sessions
3:45 pm – 7:00 pm	Endoscopy School Hands-On Workshop Center
5:15 pm – 6:30 pm	Scientific Poster Authors Present
5:15 pm – 7:00 pm	Exhibit Hall Opening Welcome Reception
5:30 pm – 6:15 pm	Celebrating Diversity in ACG Reception
5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	EndoTitans Hands-On Challenge
5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	International Attendee Reception
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm	ACG LGBTQ+ Pride Night Reception

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 12

6:45 am – 7:45 am	"GI Ignite – Meet the Experts" Breakfast Sessions <i>(FREE to all attendees)</i>
6:45 am – 7:45 am	International Breakfast Session: Global Perspectives on the Diagnosis and Management of Gastrointestinal and Liver Disease in Pregnancy <i>(FREE to all attendees)</i>
7:45 am – 9:30 am	Endoscopy School Hands-On Workshop Center – Trainee-Only Sessions
7:50 am – 6:30 pm	Annual Scientific Meeting
10:00 am – 4:45 pm	Exhibit Hall Open
10:15 am – 4:45 pm	Endoscopy School Hands-On Workshop Center
10:30 am – 11:30 am	Resident Session: Navigating the GI Match – Tips and Tricks
10:30 am – 4:15 pm	Scientific Poster Sessions
10:30 am – 4:45 pm	Endoscopy School Ergonomic Assessments
1:00 pm – 2:15 pm	Scientific Poster Authors Present
3:05 pm – 3:35 pm	<i>The American Journal of Gastroenterology</i> Lecture
3:45 pm – 4:45 pm	How to Get Published: An ACG Journal Editors Roundtable
6:00 pm – 6:30 pm	ACG Annual Business Meeting

## TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13

7:15 am – 8:15 am	"GI Ignite – Meet the Experts" Breakfast Sessions <i>(FREE to all attendees)</i>
8:30 am – 6:25 pm	Annual Scientific Meeting
10:00 am – 4:30 pm	Exhibit Hall Open
10:05 am – 10:35 am	J. Edward Berk Distinguished Lecture
10:05 am – 4:30 pm	Endoscopy School Hands-On Workshop Center
10:30 am – 4:00 pm	Scientific Poster Sessions
1:00 pm – 2:15 pm	Scientific Poster Authors Present
4:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Emily Couric Memorial Lecture

## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14

8:30 am – 12:15 pm	Annual Scientific Meeting
10:20 am – 10:50 am	David Y. Graham Lecture

## PATHOLOGY AND IMAGING IN THE EVALUATION OF GASTROINTESTINAL DISEASE COURSE

 7:00 am - 12:30 pm

**Course Directors:** Sita S. Chokhavatia, MD, MACG, and Phillip K. Henderson, DO, FACG

- ▶ Exploring Swallowing and Digestion: Pathology and Imaging of the Esophagus and Stomach
- ▶ The Hepatobiliary System: Pathology and Imaging of the Liver and Gallbladder
- ▶ A Deep Dive Into the GI Tract: Pathology and Imaging of the Small Bowel and Pancreas
- ▶ Understanding Polyps, Tumors, IBD, and More: Pathology and Imaging of the Colon and Rectum

## ACG'S WOMEN'S INITIATIVE FOR SUCCESS AND EMPOWERMENT IN GASTROENTEROLOGY (WISE GI)

Leadership Strategies for Success and Sustainability

 1:00 pm - 5:50 pm

**Course Directors:** Calley H. Levine, MD, FACG, and Alana B. Persaud, MD

### Session A: Everyday Communication for Clinical Leaders

- ▶ How to Run a Successful Meeting
- ▶ Making Your Point: How to Give Your Most Impactful Presentation
- ▶ Strengthening Your Leadership Presence With Emotional Intelligence

### Session B: Strategies for Navigating Challenges and Growth

- ▶ Impostor Phenomenon: Recognizing and Reframing
- ▶ Turning Conflict Into Constructive Dialogue

### Session C: Roundtable Discussions

### Session D: Practical Tools for Sustainable Success

- ▶ Recognizing and Preventing Burnout: Wellness Strategies for Long-Term Career Success
- ▶ Optimizing Your Time at Work Using EHR and Technology
- ▶ Achieving Financial Independence

## ASGE/ACG ENDOSCOPY COURSE:

Elevating Endoscopic Practice: Mastering Techniques, Tools, and Technologies

 7:25 am - 5:30 pm

**Course Directors:** Shivangi T. Kothari, MD, FACG, FASGE, V. Raman Muthusamy, MD, MAS, FACG, FASGE, and Heiko Pohl, MD, FASGE

### Session 1: Frontiers in Foregut Endoscopy

- ▶ Endoscopic Therapy for GERD: What Still Works in 2026?
- ▶ Barrett's Esophagus: Improving Detection and Diagnostic Precision
- ▶ Endoscopic Management of Barrett's Esophagus: State of the Art
- ▶ Writing New POEMs in Endoscopy: Applications Across the Upper GI Tract
- ▶ Tight Esophagus, Smart Solutions: The Modern Stricture Toolbox

### Session 2: Pancreatobiliary Endoscopy: Best Practices When Making Difficult Decisions

- ▶ ERCP Done Right: Indications, Technique, and Preventing Complications
- ▶ Plan B for the Bile Duct: Strategies When Cannulation Fails
- ▶ EUS in 2026: Knowing When It's "EUSful vs EUSless"
- ▶ Perfecting Pancreatic Fluid Collection Management: Best Practices for Optimal Outcomes

### Working Lunch Session

- ▶ Hot Off the Press: Practice-Changing Endoscopy Articles From *GIE* and *AJG*
- ▶ Green Endoscopy: 10 Changes You Can Make Tomorrow

### Session 3: Innovations in Endoscopy: Devices, Imaging, Robotics, and AI

- ▶ Tools of the Trade: New Devices Every Endoscopist Should Know
- ▶ The New Eyes of Endoscopy: Advanced Imaging and Next-Gen Scopes
- ▶ Endorobotics in GI: Emerging Technologies and Clinical Applications
- ▶ AI in Endoscopy: From Polyp Detection to Generative Intelligence
- ▶ Advances in Pancreatobiliary Endoscopy: Imaging, Intervention, and Innovation

### Session 4: Endoscopy Showdowns: The Debates That Shape Practice

- ▶ Snare or Dissect? The EMR vs ESD Debate
- ▶ Scope, Scan, or Score? The Liver Assessment Debate
- ▶ Stitch or Shot? The Obesity Treatment Debate
- ▶ EUS-Guided Gastroenterostomy vs Duodenal Stenting: The GOO Showdown

### Session 5: Endoscopic Mastery: Practical Techniques for Everyday Practice – Video Session

## ADVANCED PRACTICE PROVIDERS LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

 1:30 pm - 6:00 pm

**Course Directors:** Sarah M. Enslin, PA-C, MS, Amy L. Stewart, FNP-C, Dayna S. Early, MD, FACG

- ▶ Inside a GI Practice: Financial, Operational, and Workforce Fundamentals for APP Leaders
- ▶ How to Run an Effective Meeting
- ▶ Recognizing and Articulating Your Value as an APP
- ▶ Embracing Career Mentorship and Sponsorship
- ▶ Strategic Use of Social Media for Professional Growth
- ▶ Performance Evaluations: Defining and Measuring Success
- ▶ Panel Discussion - Advancing APP Leadership: Perspectives From Physician Leaders
- ▶ Panel Discussion - Lessons From APP Leaders Across Diverse Practice Settings

## PRACTICE MANAGEMENT SUMMIT

 1:30 pm - 6:45 pm

**Course Directors:** Kunjali Padhya, MD, FACP, and Drew Triplett, DO

### Session 1: Thriving in All Conditions

- Taking the Leap: Starting a Solo GI Practice in the Current Landscape
- Two to Tango: Mentoring and Retaining Advanced Practice Providers
- Sedation in Endoscopy: Financial and Practical Concerns for the Future

### Session 2: Thriving as a Team

- Automating the Back Office and Beyond: AI Practice Management Tools
- Implementing a Research Program in Any Size GI Practice

- Enduring Ancillaries in GI: What Will Survive?
- Analog and Digital Marketing for GI Practices

### Session 3: Thriving as a Physician

- The Current State of the Hospital-Employed Physician
- Financially Preparing for Retirement From Your First Day of Employment
- The Long Haul: Physical and Mental Wellness for the Gastroenterologist

## ACG GUIDE TO THE GUIDELINES COURSE

 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

**Course Directors:** Brennan Spiegel, MD, MSHS, FACP, and Hetal A. Karsan, MD, FACP

This highly interactive course will leverage vignette-driven questions and discussions to illuminate key aspects of the ACG guidelines, fostering a deep understanding of their practical applications in clinical settings.

## ON-DEMAND ONLY

### WHAT'S NEW IN GI PHARMACOLOGY COURSE

**Course Directors:** Brooks D. Cash, MD, FACP and Shailja C. Shah, MD, MPH

- Full of Hot Air: Assessment and Management of Abdominal Bloating and Distention
- The Hepatobiliary Alphabet: Evaluation and Medical Management of PSC/PBC/AIH
- Short Gut, Big Challenges: Nutritional and Medical Management of Short Bowel Syndrome
- Positioning Pharmacologic Therapies in Ulcerative Colitis: A 2026 Update
- Best Intentions: Identifying and Navigating Drug, Herbal, and Supplement Liver Toxicity
- Beyond the Pain: Evaluation and Management of Chronic Pancreatitis
- What Do I Do for Lymphocytic Esophagitis?
- Positioning Pharmacologic Therapies in Crohn's Disease: A 2026 Update

 **What's New in GI Pharmacology will be offered ONLY as an ON-DEMAND Course.**

All lectures will be available on the conference platform from **October 1, 2026 through March 31, 2027**.

Registration will be required to view the lecture recordings. A live-streaming or in-person course will NOT be offered.

 **PLEASE NOTE that the following Friday courses will not be livestreamed, but will be recorded and available as on-demand content after the meeting: Advanced Practice Providers (APP) Leadership Summit; Practice Management Summit; and the Women's Initiative for Success and Empowerment in Gastroenterology (WISE GI) Course.**

# THE ACG 2026 CONFERENCE PLATFORM

*Opens in June!*

**BUILD YOUR PERSONAL SCHEDULE FOR ACG 2026.** Use the Conference Platform to maximize your time by planning in advance—browse and bookmark the sessions, view presentations, abstracts, and events, and explore the Exhibit Hall layout. Once registered for the meeting, you will be able to create a Platform account, which allows you to build, access, and update your personalized ACG 2026 schedule at any time.

Virtual registrants will use the Conference Platform to access the livestreamed sessions during the conference dates.

All attendees will have access to presentation handouts, slides, and on-demand recordings (based on course registration) on the platform until **March 31, 2027**.

The Conference Platform will open in June—visit [acgmeetings.gi.org](https://www.acgmeetings.gi.org) for more information.

## CLINICAL PEARLS FOR CLINICAL PRACTICE: TIPS AND TRICKS FOR BEST PATIENT OUTCOMES

### Course Directors:

Shrinivas Bishu, MD, FACG, and Darren M. Brenner, MD, FACG

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2026**

⌚ 7:55 am - 5:00 pm

### **SESSION 1A: Colorectal Cancer Surveillance: Evolving Paradigms**

- Polyp Follow-Up Protocols: Refining Surveillance Strategies Post-Screening
- Updates on Dysplasia Detection and Surveillance in IBD and PSC-IBD
- Tips and Tricks to Visualize and Resect Polyps
- Optimizing Bowel Prep Quality for Colonoscopy

### **ACG Trailblazer Lecture: Why Doctors Will Not Be Replaced - The Future of Humanistic Medicine in an AI-Driven World**

*Brennan Spiegel, MD, MSHS, FACG*

### **SESSION 1B: Disorders of Gut-Brain Interaction (DGBI): The Latest and Greatest for Clinical Practice**

- It's Sticking and Burning and My Testing Is Negative—What Am I To Do?
- Is It IBS-C/D, CIC, FD? Making Sense Out of Alphabet Soup
- Pain at the End of the Drain: Why Can't Anything Be Found?
- What's Causing My RUQ Pain: Functional Gallbladder and Sphincter of Oddi Disorders

### **SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA**

*In-person attendees will have the opportunity to attend the symposium of their choice in Nashville. ACG will livestream one of the symposia for virtual attendees; the other symposia will be recorded and available on the Conference Platform as on-demand videos after the meeting.*

#### **Simultaneous Symposia Session 1**

##### **Symposium A: Churning and Burning: What's Up in My Stomach?**

- Guideline Recommendations for Functional Dyspepsia and Gastroparesis, or a Lack Thereof
- Triple Therapy for *H. pylori* Must Be Eradicated: It's That Simple
- Is the Gastric Emptying Study Obsolete? New and Innovative Therapies for Assessing Gastric Function

##### **Symposium B: Pain in the Pancreas: Assessments of Common Conditions**

- Biliary Strictures and Stones: What, When, How?
- A Practical Approach to Acute Pancreatitis
- Chronic Pancreatitis: Is This Just Acute Recurrent Pancreatitis or Something More?

#### **Simultaneous Symposia Session 2**

##### **Symposium C: Feeling More Than Just the Burn: Esophageal Enigmas**

- The Burning Question of Acid vs Non-Acid Reflux: How to Differentiate and Treat
- Eosinophilic Esophagitis: No Longer a Hard Pill to Swallow
- Reflux Redefined: Regurgitation, Rumination, Eructation, and Abelchia

##### **Symposium D: What's New in Poo: Lumps, Bumps, and Inflammatory Stumps**

- Chronic Constipation Beyond Laxatives: What to Do When You Still Cannot Poo
- GI Polyposis: Making Sense of Complex Hereditary Disorders
- IBD With IBS-Like Symptoms: What's in a Name?

## ACG POSTGRADUATE COURSE OPTIONAL LEARNING LUNCHEON BONUS SESSIONS

ACG has combined the popular in-person Learning Luncheons with on-demand access to the pre-recorded lectures for ALL 24 Learning Luncheon Bonus Sessions.

Add this optional package to your Postgraduate Course registration for even more first-class education that provides an additional 18 hours of CME/ MOC credit!

### **In-Person Registration**

Attendees in Nashville will be able to attend one in-person Learning Luncheon each day (Saturday and Sunday) for a live, face-to-face, interactive session with expert faculty (plated lunch included). In addition, in-person registrants receive access to the faculty presentation slides and pre-recorded lectures from ALL 24 Learning Luncheon Bonus Sessions. On-demand Bonus Sessions are pre-recorded narrations by faculty of their presentation slides. These sessions will be available to watch on the ACG 2026 Conference Platform, from late October until March 31, 2027.

### **Virtual Registration**

Virtual-only attendees receive access to the faculty presentation slides and pre-recorded lectures from ALL 24 Learning Luncheon Bonus Sessions. On-demand Bonus Sessions are pre-recorded narrations by faculty of their presentation slides. These sessions will be available to watch on the ACG 2026 Conference Platform, from late October until March 31, 2027.

*(You must register for the Postgraduate Course in order to purchase the optional Learning Luncheon Bonus Sessions package. In-person attendees purchasing the package will also be able to select a Saturday and a Sunday luncheon presentation to attend during the registration process.)*

## **SATURDAY**

1. Chronic Diarrhea: A Practical and Efficient Diagnostic Strategy
2. Top Ten CardioGI Tips You Should Use NOW
3. What's the Deal With Cold, Wet, Hot, and Dry EMR?
4. It Just Won't Go Down: Updates on Dysphagia
5. Is There an Alien Growing in My Belly? Demystifying Abdominal Bloating and Distention
6. Pouchitis vs Crohn's: Making the Call, Managing the Consequences
7. Perianal Problems: Gastroenterologists Can Treat These Too!
8. Oh No!! I Think That's the Liver: Best Endoscopic Strategies for Colon Perforations
9. Roles and Goals of Bariatric Endoscopy: Will GLP-1 Agonists Render These Interventions Obsolete?
10. The Role of Neuromodulation in Treating GI Illness
11. Complementary and Alternative Medicine in GI: Is This Ready for Prime Time?
12. Updates on the Diagnosis and Management of Hepatic Encephalopathy

## **SUNDAY**

13. Chronic Constipation: It Is More Than Just the Push
14. Diverticulosis, Itis, SUDD, SCAD: Please Help Me Make Sense Out of This Alphabet Soup
15. The Role of Personalized and Web/App-Based Brain-Gut Behavioral Therapies: Selecting the Right Patient for the Right Intervention
16. Risk Stratification and Management of Post-Operative Crohn's Disease
17. Fecal Incontinence: Please Don't Leak the Secret
18. A Pragmatic Approach to the Medical and Surgical Management of Perianal Crohn's Disease
19. Geriatric GI: What's Old and What's New?
20. Medical Management of Obesity for the Clinical Gastroenterologist
21. Perioperative Risk Assessment and Management of Patients With Cirrhosis
22. Endoscopic Management of Ectopic and Gastric Varices
23. Is Food the Cause and the Cure? Can Dietary Manipulation Truly Treat All Gastrointestinal Ills?
24. Nausea and Vomiting: Where Is a Gastroenterologist to Start?

## **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2026**

⌚ 7:55 am - 5:00 pm

### **SESSION 2A: From Cirrhosis to MASLD: Evolving Strategies in Liver Disease**

- Preventative Care in Patients With Cirrhosis
- Acute Liver Failure: Rapid Response, Refined Strategies
- MASLD in Motion: Emerging Therapies and Targets
- Medical Homes and ALD: A New Model for a Complex Disease

### **SESSION 2B: IBD in 2026—Pregnancy, Positioning, Precision, and Progress**

- Pregnancy and IBD: Balancing Safety and Science
- Therapy Positioning in Crohn's: Guidelines Meet Clinical Judgment
- UC Therapy: Positioning for Better Outcomes
- Managing Acute Severe UC: Speed, Strategy, and Steroid-Free Goals
- Artificial Intelligence in IBD: A Practical Primer for GIs

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#### **Simultaneous Symposia Session 3**

##### **Symposium E: Beyond the Scope—Advances in Bariatric Endoscopy, Biliary Drainage, and Pancreatitis Care**

- Updates on Bariatric Endoscopy
- Biliary Drainage: Tips, Tricks, and New Approaches
- Pain Management of Chronic Pancreatitis: When and How to Manage With Medications, Plexus Blocks, and Surgeries

##### **Symposium F: GI Vagaries and Conundrums**

- Are My Symptoms Due to a Food Allergy or Sensitivity?
- Are Mast Cells Really the Cause of My Symptoms?
- Common Gastrointestinal Disorders Associated With Hypermobility Syndromes

#### **Simultaneous Symposia Session 4**

##### **Symposium G: GI Bleeding Unplugged: Real-World Tools and Techniques**

- Endoscopic Approaches for Non-Variceal Upper GI Bleeding
- Diagnosis and Management of Small Bowel Bleeding
- Management of Acute Lower GI Bleeding

##### **Symposium H: Immune-Mediated Gut Disorders: From Celiac to Checkpoints**

- How to Diagnose and Manage Celiac Disease: What's the Latest?
- Microscopic Colitis: Practical Pearls for Everyday Practice
- Immune Checkpoint Inhibitor and CAR-T Cell Enteritis and Colitis

 **INDICATES LIVESTREAM SESSION FOR VIRTUAL REGISTRANTS**

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2026**

Ⓞ 7:50 am – 6:30 pm

**GI IGNITE SESSION 1:  
Bonus Sessions A & B****Getting the Band Back Together:  
Interdisciplinary Approach to  
Managing DGBI**

- How APPs Enhance Your DGBI Practice
- Behavioral Therapy for DGBI
- Dietary Therapies for DGBI

**Advanced Practice Providers in GI:  
Driving Quality, Access, and Innovation  
in Modern GI Care**

- From Access to Excellence: How APPs Expand Capacity and Improve GI Outcomes
- Building High-Functioning GI Teams: Integrating APPs Across Academic and Community Practices
- Beyond the Clinic: APP Leadership in Research, Education, and Program Development

**GI IGNITE SESSION 2:  
Bonus Sessions C & D****Liver Disease in Pregnancy:  
Practical Management Through Cases**

- Case 1: Incidentaloma in Pregnancy
- Case 2: Viral Hepatitis in Pregnancy
- Case 3: Cirrhosis Management in Pregnancy

**Should I Order a Liver Biopsy?  
Challenges for the Gastroenterologist**

- TikTok Hepatitis: Popular Supplements for MASH and Their Effects on the Liver
- IBD Hepatopathy: When Biopsy Is Needed
- Immunotherapy Hepatitis: When Do You Stop the Cancer Therapy?

**GI IGNITE SESSION 3:  
Bonus Sessions E & F****When Cancer Blocks the Way:  
Contemporary Approaches to  
Malignant GI Obstruction**

- Esophageal Malignant Obstruction
- Colonic Malignant Obstruction
- Gastric Outlet Obstruction
- Biliary Obstruction

**Challenging GI Consults**

- Obscure GI Bleeding
- When Your Pregnant Patient Needs Endoscopy
- When Not to Scope: Shared Decision-Making
- Troubleshooting Enteral Tubes

**GI IGNITE SESSION 4:  
Bonus Sessions G & H****What's New, What's Next: The Evolving  
UC Therapeutic Landscape**

- JAK Inhibitors: When and How?
- Selecting Selective IL-23 Inhibitors
- What's Next in the UC Pipeline? TL1A Inhibition, microRNA, and Emerging Combination Strategies

**Beyond Biologics: Expanding the Scope  
of Modern IBD Care**

- Cardiovascular Disease in IBD: Is It Time for Routine Screening?
- Integrative and Functional Medicine in IBD
- Psychosocial Interventions in IBD: An Essential Part of Optimizing Patient Outcomes

 **PRESIDENTIAL PLENARY  
SESSIONS 1 AND 2****SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA – SESSION 1** **Symposium 1A: In the Red Zone:  
The Best of *The American Journal of  
Gastroenterology***

- Best of *AJG*: IBD; Liver; Functional GI / Esophagus; General GI / Stomach; Colon; Endoscopy and Pancreaticobiliary

**Symposium 1B: Shifting Landscape of CRC**

- What's Driving Early Onset CRC?
- Making Sense of Non-Invasive CRC Screening Tests
- To Scope or Not to Scope? When to Stop Screening and Polyp Surveillance

**Symposium 1C: Obesity Pharmacotherapy  
for the GI Provider: From First  
Prescription to Long-Term Strategy**

- GLP-1s, Dual Agonists, and What's Next: What Every GI Provider Needs to Know
- Managing GI Side Effects, Associated Risks, and Drug Intolerance
- Combining Obesity Medications With Bariatric Endoscopy

**SIMULTANEOUS PLENARY  
SESSIONS 1A AND 1B** ***The American Journal of  
Gastroenterology* Lecture: MASH as a  
Pathway to Overall Metabolic Health**  
*Arun J. Sanyal, MD***SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA – SESSION 2** **Symposium 2A: When Crohn's Gets  
Complicated: Navigating the Twists,  
Turns, and Tunnels**

- Perianal Fistulizing Crohn's Disease
- Fibrostenotic Disease Management: Current Approach and a Look Into the Future
- The Post-Operative Crohn's Disease Patient

**Symposium 2B: Multi-Disciplinary  
Management of Pancreatic Collections:  
What Every Clinician Should Know**

- Through the Skin: Percutaneous Approach in Pancreatic Collections
- Endoscopic Approach for Pancreatic Collections: Inside Out
- When the Knife Is Needed: Surgical Approach to Pancreatic Collections

**Symposium 2C: Live From Nashville! The  
14th Annual Endoscopy Video Forum****TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2026**

Ⓞ 8:30 am – 6:25 pm

**GI IGNITE SESSION 5:  
Bonus Sessions I & J****The Modern-Day GI Practice**

- From Differences to Strengths: Generational Diversity in the GI Workforce
- How Digital Tools Can Save You an Hour a Day in Your GI Practice
- Demystifying Private Equity in Gastroenterology

**Endoscopy Unit Economics and  
Efficiency**

- From Referral to Scope: Closing the Gaps in Open Access Endoscopy
- Staff Smarter, Scope Better: Reimagining GI Lab Models
- Sedation Precision: Tailoring Comfort and Safety in Endoscopy

**GI IGNITE SESSION 6:  
Bonus Sessions K & L****Holy Moly, That's a Big Polyp: Now What?**

- Classifying Advanced Colon Polyps
- Tackling Large Polyps: EMR, ESD, and Beyond...
- Complications of Endoscopic Resection

**Everyday Colonoscopy Pearls**

- Do's and Don'ts With Difficult Colonoscopy
- Mastering Colonoscopy Quality Metrics in 2026
- Leveraging AI in Colonoscopy

**GI IGNITE SESSION 7:  
Bonus Sessions M & N****Which Management Strategy Is Best for  
This Patient With MASLD?**

- Managing a Patient With MASLD and IBD
- Managing a Patient With MASLD With Positive Autoantibodies
- Managing a Patient With MetALD on a GLP-1A

**INDICATES LIVESTREAM SESSION  
FOR VIRTUAL REGISTRANTS****! BONUS SESSIONS, GI IGNITE SESSIONS, SIMULTANEOUS SESSIONS**

Optional Bonus Session content provides additional CME and MOC, and is available for purchase (see page 9). Live GI Ignite Sessions, featuring the Bonus Session faculty, are free and open to all in-person attendees (see page 9). In-person attendees will have the opportunity to attend the simultaneous symposium/plenary session of their choice in Nashville. ACG will livestream one of the simultaneous sessions for virtual attendees; the other session(s) will be recorded and available on the Conference Platform as on-demand videos after the meeting, available to all Annual Scientific Meeting registrants.

## Bariatric Care in 2026: Case-Based Decisions Across BMI, Failure, and Malnutrition

- BMI-Driven First-Line Therapy: "What Should Be Done First?"
- Failed and Botched Bariatric Cases: "Endoscopy First or Surgery First?"
- The Malnourished Post-Bariatric Patient: "Weight Loss Has Gone Too Far"

## GI IGNITE SESSION 8: Bonus Sessions O & P

### Cutting Through Complexity: Hitting the Right Notes in Surgical IBD Care

- When to Refer for IBD Surgery
- Management of the Ileal Pouch Anal Anastomosis
- The Latest and Greatest Surgery in IBD

### Anorectal Disorders

- What to Do With Benign Anorectal Disorders
- Anal Cancer Screening and Prevention
- Competence Beyond the Scope: Inclusive Anal Care

## SIMULTANEOUS PLENARY SESSIONS 2A AND 2B

### J. Edward Berk Distinguished Lecture: Rome V in Practice – What's New, What's Changed, and What Matters Most

*Lin Chang, MD, FACG*

## SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA – SESSION 3

### Symposium 3A: Battle of the Titans

- Food vs Pharma for Irritable Bowel Syndrome
- Cannabis: Friend or Foe?

### Symposium 3B: Challenges With the Small Bowel and Nutrition

- Non-Celiac Enteropathies: Expanding the Differential of Villous Injury
- Intestinal Failure: Key Approaches
- Tubes, Tubes, and More Tubes

### Symposium 3C: 911 Endoscopy

- A Blocked Bowel: How to Approach Colonic Pseudo-Obstruction, Volvulus, and Ileus
- Mission Impaction: Endoscopic Strategies for Food Bolus and Foreign Body Removal
- Bursting Under Pressure: Esophageal and Gastro-Esophageal Varices 1 & 2 Management

## SIMULTANEOUS PLENARY SESSIONS 3A AND 3B

### Emily Couric Memorial Lecture: The Evolving Landscape of Colorectal Cancer Screening in the U.S.

*Aasma Shaukat, MD, MPH, FACG*

## SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA – SESSION 4

### Symposium 4A: The Full Spectrum of Alcohol-Associated Liver Disease

- Early Recognition and Treatment of Alcohol Use Disorder
- Nutritional Therapy for Alcohol-Associated Chronic Liver Disease
- Evidence-Based Management of Alcohol-Associated Hepatitis and Cirrhosis, and Transplantation Considerations

### Symposium 4B: Orchestrating Esophageal Disorders: Singing New Notes

- Abelchia, Supragastric Belching, and Hiccups
- Atypical Heartburn and LPR
- Rumination and Regurgitation
- PPIs on Trial: Allies of Acid Control vs PPI Pitfalls
- PCABs and Other GERD Medical Therapies
- Hot Topics in Barrett's in 2026: From Screening Tools to LGD Management

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2026**

**8:15 am – 12:15 pm**

## SIMULTANEOUS PLENARY SESSION 4A AND 4B

### David Y. Graham Lecture: Modern Advanced Endoscopy – Looking Back to Move Forward

*Allison R. Schulman, MD, MPH, FACG*

## SIMULTANEOUS SYMPOSIA – SESSION 5

### Symposium 5A: Best Practices in Pancreatic Diseases: What Every Gastroenterologist Needs to Know

- Pancreatic Cancer Screening: Who, When, How
- Pancreatic Cysts in 2026: What's New in the Guidelines
- Practical Guide to Exocrine Pancreatic Insufficiency Management

### Symposium 5B: Doc, I Wrote Down a Few Questions: A Rapid Fire Discussion With the Experts on What IBD Patients Want to Know

- Will These Probiotics Heal My Inflammation? Role of Microbiome-Directed Therapy
- Do I Have to Do Another Scope? Emerging Role of Intestinal Ultrasound in IBD Care
- What's the Skinny on GLP1s and IBD?
- Can I Just Eat Better? Using Nutrition as Therapy in Adults With IBD
- Did You Just Say This Medication Can Cause Cancer? Advanced Therapies and Cancer Risks

## ACG ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING OPTIONAL BONUS SESSIONS

Add this optional package to your Annual Scientific Meeting registration for even more first-class education that provides an additional 16.75 hours of CME/MOC credit! This add-on provides access to dozens of recorded presentations and slides from 16 Bonus Sessions (topics listed below). These Bonus Sessions are pre-recorded narrations by faculty of their presentation slides, and will be available to watch on-demand on the ACG 2026 Conference Platform, from October until March 31, 2027. (You must register for the Annual Scientific Meeting in order to purchase the optional Annual Scientific Meeting Bonus Sessions package. Both in-person and virtual registrants can purchase this add-on package.)

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| ➤ Interdisciplinary Approach to Managing DGBI                           | ➤ The Modern-Day GI Practice   |
| ➤ APPs in GI: Driving Quality, Access, and Innovation in Modern GI Care | ➤ Endoscopy Unit Economics and Efficiency  |
| ➤ Liver Disease in Pregnancy: Practical Management Through Cases        | ➤ Holy Moly, That's a Big Polyp: Now What?   |
| ➤ Should I Order a Liver Biopsy? Challenges for the GI                  | ➤ Everyday Colonoscopy Pearls  |
| ➤ Contemporary Approaches to Malignant GI Obstruction                   | ➤ Which Management Strategy Is Best for This Patient With MASLD?                     |
| ➤ Challenging GI Consults   | ➤ Bariatric Care in 2026: Case-Based Decisions Across BMI, Failure, and Malnutrition |
| ➤ The Evolving UC Therapeutic Landscape                                 | ➤ Cutting Through Complexity: Hitting the Right Notes in Surgical IBD Care           |
| ➤ Beyond Biologics: Expanding the Scope of Modern IBD Care              | ➤ Anorectal Disorders  |

## "GI Ignite - Meet the Experts" Breakfast Sessions

Join ACG expert faculty at the fun and fast-paced "GI Ignite - Meet the Experts" Breakfast Sessions! Offered on Monday and Tuesday mornings for in-person attendees, these small setting events allow for heightened interaction with presenters. The first half of each 60-minute session consists of 6 expert faculty providing brief summaries and clinical pearls from their Bonus Session presentations. The remaining time will be devoted to Q&A and interaction with the faculty. Coffee and continental breakfast will be provided. These in-person sessions are open to all attendees, but access to the recorded lectures and slides that will be discussed requires purchase of the ACG Annual Meeting Bonus Sessions package.

 **FREE to all attendees**

# FELLOWS-IN-TRAINING

## IN-PERSON EVENTS

### NAVIGATING, NETWORKING, AND NEGOTIATING YOUR FIRST JOB WORKSHOP

Friday, October 9 | 5:45 pm – 9:00 pm

The ACG Women in GI Committee is hosting a program geared towards senior GI fellows and junior faculty, addressing the specifics of both the private practice and academic job search. Discussions will focus on details of private practice versus academics, contract analysis, networking skills, negotiating skills, and work-life balance.

Advance registration is required, and space is limited. There is a \$25 fee for this workshop. Light fare will be provided. To register, visit: [acgmeetings.gi.org/registration](https://acgmeetings.gi.org/registration)

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN IN GI LUNCHEON

Saturday, October 10 | 12:20 pm – 1:35 pm

The ACG Women in GI Committee is hosting a program geared toward residents, trainees, and junior faculty who are facing difficult decisions regarding the future of their medical careers. Female gastroenterologists from a variety of medical backgrounds will address the issues of being a female subspecialist, balancing career and family, and opportunities for women in medicine, and more specifically, gastroenterology. This program is free for ACG 2026 attendees.

Advance registration is required and space is limited. To register, visit [acgmeetings.gi.org/career-opportunities-for-women-in-gi-luncheon](https://acgmeetings.gi.org/career-opportunities-for-women-in-gi-luncheon)

### GI JEOPARDY: BUZZ IN FOR YOUR TRAINING PROGRAM

Saturday, October 10 | 5:15 pm – 7:00 pm

GI Jeopardy will return in 2026! Join a lively audience and attend the competitive final round of GI Jeopardy, a spirited GI version of the television classic.

### TRAINEES LOUNGE

Saturday, October 10 - Tuesday, October 13 |  
8:00 am - 5:00 pm

The Training Committee invites ACG residents and GI fellows to network with peers, meet leaders in the GI field, and learn about engagement opportunities within the College at the ACG Trainees Lounge. Light refreshments will be available.

### TRAINEES LUNCHEON

Sunday, October 11 | 12:20 pm – 1:35 pm

A special luncheon program exclusively for fellows-in-training will be offered during the Postgraduate Course. This year's luncheon focus will be Beyond the Scope: Non-Traditional Paths in GI. Don't delay, as this luncheon sells out every year.

**Advance registration is required and space is limited.** This luncheon is available to all trainees in gastroenterology and hepatology, and has a fee of \$25. To register, visit: [acgmeetings.gi.org/registration](https://acgmeetings.gi.org/registration).

### ENDOSCOPY SCHOOL HANDS-ON WORKSHOP CENTER

#### RESIDENTS-ONLY SESSIONS

Sunday, October 11 | 4:00 pm – 5:50 pm

Monday, October 12 | 10:30 am – 12:20 pm

Monday, October 12 | 2:45 pm – 4:35 pm

Tuesday, October 13 | 10:30 am - 11:20 am

Tuesday, October 13 | 2:00 pm - 3:50 pm

Residents will be able to get hands-on endoscope training during our residents-only sessions. Experts will be available to guide residents on the use of the scopes as they navigate tasks using the Thompson Endoscopic Skills Trainer (T.E.S.T).

### ENDOTITANS HANDS-ON CHALLENGE

Sunday, October 11 | 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

The EndoTitans Challenge is an opportunity for fellows to demonstrate both their knowledge and technical abilities in endoscopy. The challenge begins over the summer with a preliminary knowledge round open to all second- and third-year fellows. The top scoring fellows from each year are then invited to participate in a skills challenge. Winners will take home both bragging rights and a travel grant for ACG 2027. Join us in the Endoscopy School Hands-On Workshop Center of the Exhibit Hall to cheer on the competitors.

### ENDOSCOPY SCHOOL HANDS-ON WORKSHOP CENTER

#### TRAINEE-ONLY SESSIONS

Monday, October 12 | 7:45 am – 9:30 am

Trainees can receive hands-on training during a special trainee-only session. Expert faculty will demonstrate techniques using a wide variety of equipment and products. Attendees will then have an opportunity to practice using the equipment. Pre-registration for these trainee-only sessions is required.

### ERGONOMIC ASSESSMENT – TRAINEE-ONLY SESSIONS

Monday, October 12 | 7:45 am – 9:30 am

This session is limited to GI Fellows. Learn how to identify and limit potential work-related injuries related to performing endoscopies. Fifteen-minute sessions will be offered. Pre-registration for these trainee-only sessions is required.

### RESIDENTS SESSION: NAVIGATING THE GI MATCH - TIPS AND TRICKS FOR APPLICANTS

Monday, October 12 | 10:30 am – 11:30 am

ACG will again offer a special session for internal medicine residents who are interested in pursuing a career in gastroenterology. Gastroenterology and Hepatology fellowship continues to be one of the most competitive internal medicine subspecialties. This session will focus on answering questions that prospective GI fellowship applicants may have. In addition, a panel of GI fellowship program directors and current GI fellows will share their experiences and tips regarding the application process. This free session is open to all residents attending the Annual Meeting. No pre-registration is required.

### MEET THE ACG LEADERSHIP

Monday, October 12 | 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Join College leadership and Board of Trustees members for an informal Q&A exclusively for ACG fellows-in-training!

### HOW TO GET PUBLISHED: AN ACG JOURNAL EDITORS ROUNDTABLE

Monday, October 12 | 3:45 pm – 4:45 pm

ACG's journal editors frequently receive questions about how best to get published, how they assess submissions, how to best format a manuscript, and the peer review process. In this session, the editors discuss the most common questions they receive about the publication process and share pearls of wisdom about what works—and what doesn't work—when submitting papers for publication. If you want to start or improve your publishing career, then don't miss this valuable opportunity to hear directly from the editors who are eager to help! Free and open to all attendees.

# ACCREDITATION INFORMATION

## ACG COURSE ACCREDITATION INFORMATION

The American College of Gastroenterology is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The American College of Gastroenterology designates these other activities (blended learning) for a maximum number of *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* as noted below. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activities.



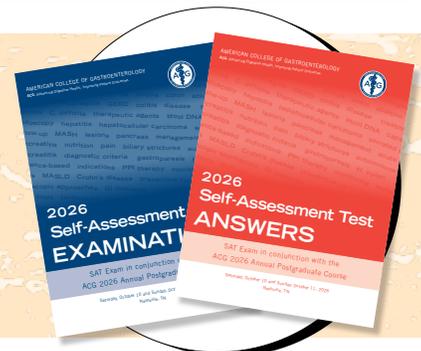
Successful completion of these CME activities, which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the participant to earn Medical Knowledge MOC points in the American Board of Internal Medicine's (ABIM) and MOC points in the American Board of Pediatrics' (ABP) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) programs. Participants will earn MOC points equivalent to the amount of CME credits claimed for each activity. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM and ABP MOC credit.

COURSE	CME CREDITS*	ABIM MEDICAL KNOWLEDGE / ABP MOC POINTS*	PHARMACOLOGY CREDITS FOR NPs/PAs*
What's New in GI Pharmacology Course (ON-DEMAND ONLY)	4	4	4
ASGE/ACG Endoscopy Course	9	9	0
GI Pathology and Imaging Course	5.25	5.25	0
Advanced Practice Providers Leadership Summit	4	0	0
Practice Management Summit	4.5	4.5	0
Women's Initiative for Success and Empowerment in Gastroenterology Leadership Course (WISE GI)	3.75	3.75	0
ACG Guide to the Guidelines Course	2.75	2.75	0
Postgraduate Course	18.25	18.25	3
Postgraduate Course Optional Learning Lunches	18	18	3.25
Self-Assessment Test (Postgraduate Course)	35	35 <i>ABIM MOC points only; no ABP</i>	0
Annual Scientific Meeting	32	32	4
Annual Scientific Meeting Bonus Sessions	16.75	16.75	1.25

\*Credit calculations subject to change

## 2026 SELF-ASSESSMENT TEST

Registration for the Postgraduate Course includes the 2026 Self-Assessment Test, containing 300 questions along with detailed answers, and annotated references. All registrants will receive access to the online version of the test, and registrants who attend in-person in Nashville will also receive a printed copy of the test when collecting meeting materials on-site. CME credits and ABIM MOC points can be earned upon successful completion of the test.



# REGISTRATION FEES visit [acgmeetings.gi.org](https://acgmeetings.gi.org) for details.



**REGISTRATION CANCELLATION POLICY:** Written notice of cancellation and requests for refunds must be sent to [registration@gi.org](mailto:registration@gi.org) by Wednesday, September 16. After this date, no refunds will be possible. Registration cancellations are not accepted by telephone. There will be a \$50 administrative fee assessed for cancellation of paid events. Refunds will be issued after the meeting.

ACG is offering flexible registration options for this year's hybrid conference. Registrants can choose to attend in-person in Nashville, participate virtually, or select a combination of both. Pricing is the same for all courses, whether selecting in-person or virtual registration.

Both in-person and virtual registration includes access to presentation handouts, slides, and recorded on-demand content (based on course registration) on the ACG 2026 Conference Platform until **March 31, 2027**.

Virtual registrants will use the Conference Platform to watch the livestreamed sessions during the conference dates.

**BUNDLE AND SAVE!** Register for two or more paid courses and receive a 10% discount on your registration fees. The Postgraduate Course Bonus Sessions and Annual Meeting Bonus Sessions do not count towards the bundle discount.

## ACG MEMBER REGISTRATION FEES - All prices are in USD

Course	Physician Member	Student/Resident/Trainee/ Candidate Member	Advanced Practice Providers/ Associate Member
What's New in GI Pharmacology Course ( <b>ON-DEMAND ONLY</b> )	\$230	\$200	\$200
GI Pathology and Imaging Course	\$230	\$200	\$200
ASGE/ACG Endoscopy Course	\$390	\$200	\$200
Women's Initiative for Success and Empowerment in Gastroenterology Leadership Course (WISE GI) <i>(This course is open to female physicians and senior trainees only.)</i>	\$230	\$200	-
Advanced Practice Providers Leadership Summit <i>(This course is open to NPs/PAs only.)</i>	-	-	\$200
Practice Management Summit	\$270	\$80	\$200
ACG Guide to the Guidelines Course	\$230	\$200	\$200
Postgraduate Course	\$550	\$0	\$280
*Postgraduate Course Optional Learning Luncheon Bonus Sessions	\$150	\$150	\$150
Annual Scientific Meeting	\$0	\$0	\$0
Annual Scientific Meeting Bonus Sessions (on-demand only)	\$100	\$100	\$100
**ACG Virtual Access Pass (virtual only)	\$1,224	\$584	\$904
***ACG Virtual Access Pass + ASGE (virtual only)	\$1,536	\$744	\$1,064

## ACG NON-MEMBER REGISTRATION FEES - All prices are in USD

Course	Non-Member Physician/ Exhibitor/Guest/PharmD/PhD	Non-Member Student/ Resident/Trainee	Non-Member NP/PA/ Allied Health/Practice Manager
What's New in GI Pharmacology Course ( <b>ON-DEMAND ONLY</b> )	\$280	\$250	\$250
GI Pathology and Imaging Course	\$280	\$250	\$250
ASGE/ACG Endoscopy Course	\$490	\$250	\$250
Women's Initiative for Success and Empowerment in Gastroenterology Leadership Course (WISE GI) <i>(This course is open to female physicians and senior trainees only.)</i>	\$280	\$250	-
Advanced Practice Providers Leadership Summit <i>(This course is open to NPs/PAs only.)</i>	-	-	\$250
Practice Management Summit	\$320	\$250	\$250
ACG Guide to the Guidelines Course	\$280	\$250	\$250
Postgraduate Course	\$670	\$280	\$400
*Postgraduate Course Optional Learning Luncheon Bonus Sessions	\$150	\$150	\$150
Annual Scientific Meeting	\$550	\$50	\$280
Annual Scientific Meeting Bonus Sessions (on-demand only)	\$100	\$100	\$100
**ACG Virtual Access Pass (virtual only)	\$1,880	\$1,064	\$1,344
***ACG Virtual Access Pass + ASGE (virtual only)	\$2,272	\$1,264	\$1,544

\*You must register for the Postgraduate Course in order to purchase the optional Learning Luncheon Bonus Sessions package. In-person attendees will have the ability to select one in-person luncheon to attend per day (Saturday and Sunday), as well as access to all 24 Learning Luncheon Bonus Session recorded lectures through the ACG 2026 Conference Platform. Virtual attendees will have on-demand access to all 24 Learning Luncheon Bonus Sessions through the ACG 2026 Conference Platform.

\*\*The ACG Virtual Access Pass will be offered as a virtual-only option for registrants who are unable to join us in-person in Nashville. The ACG Virtual Access Pass includes virtual access to the following courses: GI Pathology and Imaging Course, What's New in GI Pharmacology Course, Practice Management Summit, Postgraduate Course, Postgraduate Course Optional Learning Luncheon Bonus Sessions, Annual Scientific Meeting, and the Annual Scientific Meeting Bonus Sessions. Please note, the ACG Guide to the Guidelines Course, APP Leadership Summit, and Women's Initiative for Success and Empowerment in Gastroenterology Leadership Course (WISE GI) are not included in the ACG Virtual Access Pass.

\*\*\*The ACG Virtual Access Pass + ASGE includes all courses offered in the ACG Virtual Access Pass with the addition of the ASGE/ACG Endoscopy Course. Please note, the ACG Guide to the Guidelines Course, APP Leadership Summit, and Women's Initiative for Success and Empowerment in Gastroenterology Leadership Course (WISE GI) are not included in the ACG Virtual Access Pass + ASGE.

# EXHIBIT HALL

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### Meet with ACG Industry Partners *in-person!*

The science and technology of medicine is ever-changing and advancing the practice of gastroenterology. Showcasing these latest advances in technology and therapeutics is the ACG 2026 Exhibit Hall where companies will display and demonstrate their products and services. With the wide variety of exhibitors expected to participate, there are certain to be displays of interest for all attendees. Companies that exhibit include pharmaceutical manufacturers, medical instrument suppliers, research companies, technology companies, publishers, non-profit organizations, recruiters, and many others.

#### THERE IS ALWAYS PLENTY TO SEE AND DO ON THE EXHIBIT HALL FLOOR, INCLUDING:



##### OPENING RECEPTION

Join colleagues at the largest social event of the conference on Sunday, October 11, from 5:15 pm – 7:00 pm.



##### ACG ENDOSCOPY SCHOOL HANDS-ON WORKSHOP CENTER

A great opportunity to watch expert faculty demonstrate various techniques and have your own hands-on experience!



##### THE ENDOTITANS CHALLENGE

Cheer on second- and third-year fellows competing in the annual endoscopy skills challenge!



##### EXHIBIT HALL PRODUCT THEATER PRESENTATIONS

Provided by ACG exhibitors and open to all attendees.



##### POSTER SESSIONS: IN-PERSON AND VIRTUAL

View the latest in clinical research with the ACG 2026 poster sessions. Colleagues will share their latest research as well as interesting cases/clinical vignettes. Browse and visit with authors during the Exhibit Hall Opening Reception on Sunday, and the lunch breaks on Monday and Tuesday. In addition, both in-person and virtual attendees will have access to the virtual ePoster Hall during and after the meeting. ACG's ePoster Hall allows poster authors to share their research and interesting clinical cases virtually, and visitors can submit questions directly to them.

#### 🕒 EXHIBIT HALL HOURS:

Sunday, October 11 ..... 3:00 pm – 7:00 pm  
Monday, October 12 ..... 10:00 am – 4:45 pm  
Tuesday, October 13 ..... 10:00 am – 4:30 pm

# HOUSING & TRAVEL



## ! RECOMMENDATIONS FOR COVID-19 AND OTHER INFECTIOUS DISEASES

The American College of Gastroenterology endorses evidence-based public health measures designed to prevent and minimize the spread of infectious diseases. To support safely and responsibly convening at ACG’s educational programs, the College strongly encourages all in-person attendees at its meetings to follow national and local public health recommendations. While the College has convened meetings safely in the current environment, ACG cannot guarantee that an attendee will not be exposed to infectious diseases. Anyone experiencing symptoms should refrain from in-person attendance and instead participate in those programs available through virtual access.

# ENJOY Your Stay in NASHVILLE

at one of these hotels in the ACG 2026 room block.

Rooms have been booked at hotels in close proximity to the Music City Center. The Omni Nashville Hotel, located at 250 Rep. John Lewis Way South, will be the official ACG headquarters hotel. Book your room now through the official ACG 2026 Housing Bureau at <https://book.passkey.com/go/ACGMeeting2026>.

Orchid Events is the official housing bureau for the ACG 2026 Annual Scientific Meeting and Postgraduate Course. We strongly recommend that you book your housing through <https://book.passkey.com/go/ACGMeeting2026>. Do not book with any housing bureau that contacts you directly. Orchid Events will never contact you unsolicited. ACG and Orchid Events cannot guarantee that other housing companies are legitimate and cannot guarantee your reservation at ACG 2026 if you book outside of the official housing bureau.

	HOTELS	Room Rates*			
		Single	Double	Triple	Quad
1	AC Hotel by Marriott Downtown	\$270	\$270	\$280	\$290
2	Caption by Hyatt Downtown Nashville/The Gulch	\$275	\$275	\$300	\$325
3	Courtyard by Marriott Nashville Downtown	\$285	\$285	N/A	N/A
4	Drury Plaza Hotel Nashville Downtown	\$310	\$310	\$320	\$330
5	Embassy Suites by Hilton Nashville Downtown	\$332	\$332	\$362	\$392
6	Grand Hyatt Nashville	\$348	\$348	\$368	\$388
7	Hilton Nashville Downtown	\$350	\$350	\$360	\$370
8	Holiday Inn & Suites Nashville Broadway	\$268	\$268	\$278	\$288
9	Holiday Inn Express Nashville Broadway	\$319	\$319	\$288	\$308
10	Home2 Suites Nashville Downtown	\$265	\$265	\$265	\$265
11	Hyatt House Nashville Downtown	\$299	\$299	\$299	\$299
12	Hyatt Place Nashville Downtown	\$315	\$315	\$325	\$335
13	JW Marriott Nashville	\$317	\$317	\$317	\$317
14	Margaritaville Hotel Nashville	\$329/\$429	\$329/\$429	\$349/\$449	\$369/\$469
15	Noelle	\$359	\$359	\$379	\$399
16	Omni Nashville Hotel - <i>Headquarters Hotel</i>	\$336	\$336	\$356	\$376
17	Renaissance Nashville Hotel	\$291	\$291	\$311	\$331
18	Residence Inn by Marriott Downtown	\$250	\$250	\$260	N/A
19	Sheraton Grand Nashville Downtown	\$323	\$323	\$343	\$363
20	Springhill Suites by Marriott Downtown	\$250	\$250	\$260	\$270
21	Tempo by Hilton Nashville Downtown	\$315	\$315	\$335	\$355
22	The Westin Nashville	\$305	\$305	\$305	\$305
23	Tru by Hilton Nashville Downtown	\$265	\$265	\$265	\$265

The guest room rates quoted above are exclusive of the applicable room tax at the time of stay which is currently 16.75% + \$2.50 (subject to change).

## ✦ TRAVEL INFORMATION

- The hotel reservation deadline is **Wednesday, September 16, 2026.**

➔ For more information on hotel, car rental, and airline discounts visit: [acgmeetings.gi.org](https://acgmeetings.gi.org).



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