

State of Texas Association of Rheumatologists

# 2024 ANNUAL MEETING

February 23–25

Marriott Marquis Houston



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Reservations  
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**\$275 PER NIGHT** Cut-off date: January 15th

# SATURDAY

February 24th Tentative Schedule

**PRACTICE  
MANAGERS**

**7:30 AM - 8:30 AM**

**BREAKFAST IN EXHIBIT HALL**

**8:30 AM - 8:45 AM**

**OPENING REMARKS**

**8:45 AM - 10:15 AM**

**2024 Coding and Medicare Update**

**10:15 AM - 11:00 AM**

**BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL**

**11:00 AM - 12:30 PM**

**Breaking Down the Incident to Billing**

**12:30 PM - 1:30 PM**

**LUNCH IN EXHIBIT HALL**

**1:30 PM - 3:00 PM**

**Documenting Medical Necessity**

**3:00 PM - 3:15 PM**

**BREAK**

**3:15 PM - 4:15 PM**

**Federal Regulatory**

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THURSDAY

### Dinner Program sponsored by Sanofi

More information will follow

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FRIDAY

### Breakfast Program sponsored by AbbVie

More information will follow

### Breakfast Program sponsored by Amgen

More information will follow

### Dinner Program sponsored by UCB, Inc.

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### Dinner Program sponsored by Lilly

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### Dinner Program sponsored by GSK

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SATURDAY

### Dinner Program sponsored by Janssen Biotech

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### Dinner Program sponsored by Aurinia Pharma US, Inc.

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### Dinner Program sponsored by ANI Pharmaceuticals

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SUNDAY

### Breakfast Program sponsored by AstraZeneca

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# FRIDAY

February 23rd

## PHYSICIAN PROGRAM

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM

**2 BREAKFAST PROGRAMS**

(see sanctioned product theater schedule)

8:00 AM - 8:15 AM

**OPENING REMARKS & PRE-TEST**

8:15 AM - 9:15 AM

Update on RA - **James O'Dell, MD**

9:15 AM - 10:00 AM

**BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL**

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Updates in AS - **Georg Schett, MD**

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Microcrystalline Disorders with a Focus  
on Gout - **James O'Dell, MD**

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

**LUNCH IN EXHIBIT HALL**

1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Pulmonary Hypertension for the  
Rheumatologist - **Brandy J. McKelvy, MD**

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Updates in PsA - **Georg Schett, MD**

3:00 PM - 3:45 PM

**BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL**

3:45 PM - 4:45 PM

How to Approach Pregnancy in our Patients  
with Autoimmune Disorders  
- **Caroline H. Siegel, MD**

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

**BADGE OF HONOR COCKTAIL RECEPTION**

6:30 PM

**3 Dinner Programs** (see sanctioned product theater schedule)



# SATURDAY

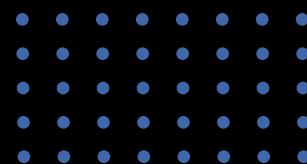
February 24th

## PHYSICIAN PROGRAM

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM	BREAKFAST IN EXHIBIT HALL
8:00 AM - 8:15 AM	OPENING REMARKS
8:15 AM - 9:15 AM	Update on Vaccines in Rheumatic Disease - <b>Jeffrey Curtis, MD</b>
9:15 AM - 10:15 AM	Mimickers of Vasculitis - <b>Philip Seo, MD</b>
10:15 AM - 11:00 AM	BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Scleroderma - <b>Shervin Assassi, MD</b>
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Sarcoidosis - <b>Robert Baughman, MD</b>
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	LUNCH IN EXHIBIT HALL
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Scleroderma - <b>Shervin Assassi, MD</b>
3:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Ethics and TMA Update - <b>Rick Snyder, MD</b>
4:00 PM - 4:30 PM	ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING
6:30 PM	<b>3 Dinner Programs</b> (see sanctioned product theater schedule)

# SUNDAY

February 25th



7:00 AM - 8:00 AM	<b>Breakfast Program</b> (see sanctioned product theater schedule)
8:00 AM - 8:15 AM	OPENING REMARKS & POST-TEST
8:15 AM - 9:15 AM	SLE - <b>Michelle Petri, MD</b>
9:15 AM - 10:15 AM	SLE - <b>Michelle Petri, MD</b>



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