



AAO-HNS/F OTO FORUM

MARCH 20-21, 2026 | LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

REGISTRATION HOURS

Marriott Ballroom Foyer

Thursday, March 19 12:00 - 5:00 pm

Friday, March 20 6:30 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday, March 21 6:30 am - 1:00 pm

Exhibitor Set Up

Thursday, March 19 1:00 - 5:00 pm

Exhibitor Breakdown

Saturday, March 21 1:00 - 3:00 pm

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FRIDAY, MARCH 20

7:00 - 8:00 am	Networking Breakfast	Marriott Ballroom Foyer, Seating in Salon 6-10
7:00 - 8:00 am	Resident Session Private Practice 101 Nora W. Perkins, MD	Salon 3-4
8:00 - 8:15 am	Welcome from AAO-HNS/F and OPPS Rahul K. Shah, MD, MBA, and Daniel R. Gold, MD	Salon 6-10
8:15 - 9:00 am	Sleep Apnea 360°: Building a Profitable, Patient-Centered Program David E. Melon, MD	Salon 6-10
9:00 - 9:30 am	Comfort Break with Exhibitors	
9:30 - 10:15 am	Resident Session Business of Medicine 101: A Practical Primer for Future Otolaryngologists Srinivas R. Kaza, MD	Salon 3-4
9:30 - 10:15 am	Engage to Succeed: How Organized Patient Engagement and Communication Improves Access, Satisfaction, and Retention Daniel R. Gold, MD	Salon 6-10
10:30 - 11:15 am	Resident Session Scrubs to Contracts: Finding and Negotiating Your First Job Andrew K. Johnson, MD	Salon 3-4
10:30 - 11:15 am	Redefining Care Delivery: In-Office Surgery as a Competitive Advantage D. Scott Fortune, MD	Salon 6-10
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Practice Walls That Work for You: Physician-Owned Real Estate Pathways in Otolaryngology Matthew D. Scarlett, MD, and Shannon Stocker, MD	Salon 6-10
12:30 - 1:30 pm	Lunch with Exhibitors	Marriott Ballroom Foyer, Seating in Salon 6-10
1:30 - 2:30 pm	Technology and AI in Otolaryngology: Updates and Trends - How to Stay Ahead of the Game Brad Bichey, MD, MPH	Salon 6-10
2:30 - 3:00 pm	Comfort Break with Exhibitors	
3:00 - 4:00 pm	Strategies for Success in Value-Based Care (VBCs) and MIPS Value Pathways (MVPs) Willard C. Harrill, MD	Salon 6-10
4:15 - 5:15 pm	Cutting Through the Red Tape: State-Level Advocacy and the Fight Against Prior Authorization Stephen P. Cragle, MD	Salon 6-10
5:15 - 6:30 pm	Networking Reception	Marriott Ballroom Foyer
7:00 - 10:00 pm	ENT PAC Reception (Invite Only)	Offsite, Angel's Envy Distillery

SATURDAY, MARCH 21

7:00 - 8:00 am	Breakfast	Marriott Ballroom Foyer, Seating in Salon 6-10
7:00 - 7:45 am	Protecting Our Practices and Our Patients: Legislative Advocacy, Health Policy Priorities, and Why the ENT PAC Matters Matthew D. Scarlett, MD	Salon 6-10
7:50 - 8:25 am	Time with AMA President, Bobby Mukkamala, MD	Salon 6-10
8:40 - 9:10 am	What Keeps You Up at Night? Practice (and Life) Pain Points - Roundtable Discussions OPPS/ASCENT	Salon 6-10
9:15 - 10:00 am	More Hands, More Access, More Impact: Optimizing APPs in Otolaryngology Nora W. Perkins, MD	Salon 6-10
10:00 - 10:30 am	Comfort Break with Exhibitors	
10:30 - 11:30 am	Maximize Your Reach: Marketing Strategies for ENTs on Any Budget Srinivas R. Kaza, MD	Salon 6-10
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Lunch with Exhibitors	Marriott Ballroom Foyer, Seating in Salon 6-10
12:30 - 1:15 pm	Maximizing ENT Practice Revenue Through a Systems View Approach to Business Function Strategic Reviews John A. Ervin, MBA, RN, BSN, PMP, CPC	Salon 6-10
1:30 - 2:30 pm	Optimizing Revenue Through Optimized Coding, Billing, and Compliance Eli R. Groppe, MD	Salon 6-10