

TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY



6TH ANNUAL MEETING

November 7, 2026

INVITATION TO ATTEND

Royal Sonesta Hotel | Houston, TX

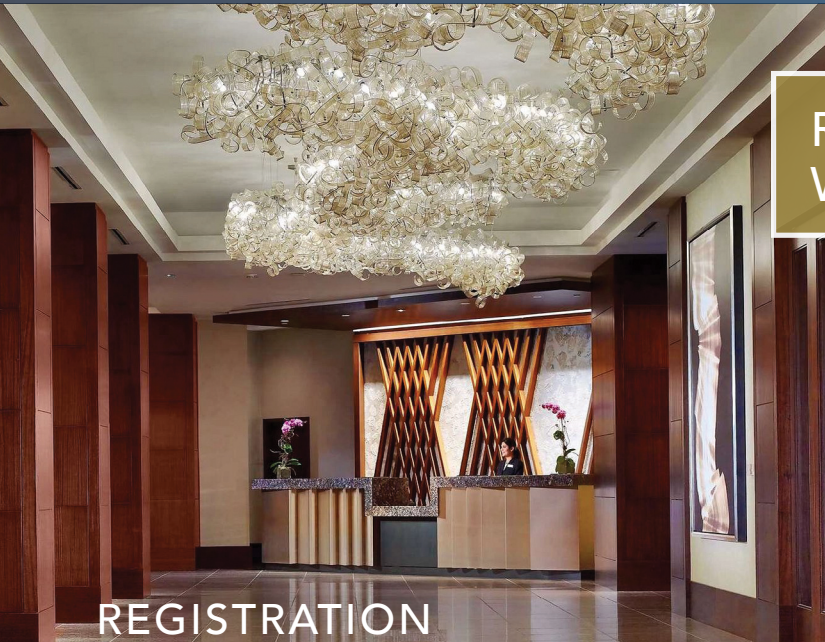


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REGISTRATION

Physician / Affiliate Member	\$200.00
Resident / Fellow	*\$50.00
Non-Member	\$350.00

*Residents/Fellows that attend the conference will be refunded the \$50.00 registration fee after the conference.

IMPORTANT: The deadline for online registration is October 26, 2026 to ensure participation in social events and meal functions. Any registrations after October 26, 2026 will be on-site at the Royal Sonesta Houston Galleria.

REFUNDS: Written notice of cancellation must be received by October 26, 2026 to receive a refund minus \$25 processing fee. Partial registration is not offered.

MEETING SITE

ROYAL SONESTA HOUSTON GALLERIA

2222 West Loop South
Houston, TX 77027
(713) 627-7600

Attendees are responsible for their own hotel accommodations. Reservations can be made at either The Royal Sonesta Houston hotel or nearby.

Self-parking will be available!

REGISTER ONLINE
WWW.TAOHNS.COM

ETHICS

The Ethical Artificial Intelligence Lecture on Saturday, November 7 fulfills 1 hour of ethics and/or professional responsibility hour required for Texas licensure.

CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council of Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of the Texas Medical Association (TMA) and the Texas Association of Otolaryngology. The Texas Medical Association is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Texas Medical Association designates this live activity for a maximum of **7.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Learning Objectives: Describe the recent advances in the field of Otolaryngology; discuss the recent advances in the field of Laryngology, Pediatric and Otology; optimize outcomes when using new approaches with AI in patient care.

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DEADLINE**

OCTOBER 26, 2026

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SCHEDULE

7:00 – 7:45 AM	BOARD MEETING	
7:00 AM	REGISTRATION OPEN AND BREAKFAST AVAILABLE	
7:00 – 5:30 PM	EXHIBIT HALL OPEN	
7:00 – 7:45 AM	Product Theater	
8:00 – 8:15 AM	Opening Remarks	Deepak Mehta, MD
8:15 – 8:45 AM	State of the Physicians in Texas	Brad Holland, MD
8:45 – 9:15 AM	Revision Rhinoplasty	Elizabeth Longino, MD
9:15 – 9:30 AM	REFRESHMENT BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL	
9:30 – 10:30 AM	Keynote Address: Generative AI for Surgeons	Martin Citardi, MD
10:30 – 11:15 AM	Intro to AI: A Panel Discussion	Martin Citardi, MD, Mas Takashima, MD, Kunal Shetty, MD
11:15 – 12:00 PM	Pediatric Hypoglossal Nerve Stimulator	Ron Mitchell, MD
12:00 – 12:15 PM	Lloyd Storrs Lectureship Resident Winner Presentation	
12:15 – 1:30 PM	MEMBERSHIP LUNCHEON BUSINESS MEETING PRODUCT THEATER	
12:30 – 1:30 PM	Resident Luncheon: Private practice Q&A	Esther Cheung-Philips, MD
1:30 – 1:45 PM	REFRESHMENT BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL	
1:45 – 2:30 PM	Biologics Therapy, AFS emerging therapeutics, AI integration/Biomarkers	Amber Luong, MD
2:30 – 3:15 PM	Ensuring Patient Education and Surveillance: Modifiable Risk Factors for Head and Neck Cancer	Zainab Farzal, MD
3:15 – 4:00 PM	Single Sided Deafness Panel	Vivian Kaul, MD, Angela Peng, MD, Nathan Lindquist, MD, Hitomi Sakano, MD, Henri Traboulsi, MD
4:00 – 4:30 PM	Resident/Medical Student Podium Presentations	
4:30 – 5:30 PM	Ethics of AI	David Mann, MD
5:30 PM	ADJOURN	
5:30 – 6:30 PM	RESIDENT BOWL AND HAPPY HOUR	



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RESIDENTS AND FELLOWS!

Resident Knowledge Bowl &
Happy Hour on Saturday, November 7th

**SIGN UP YOUR TEAM OF 3 AND COMPETE TO WIN
THE BATTLE OF THE BRAINS!**



RESIDENT STIPEND

TAO offers financial assistance for Resident Members of the society. The meeting stipend is up to \$200 to help alleviate hotel and travel costs to attend the meeting. For guidelines & more information on receiving the stipend check www.taohns.org.

NEW! TAO ABSTRACT & POSTER COMPETITION

TAO is excited to host an Abstract & Poster Competition this year for Medical Students, Residents and Fellows!

Authors are invited to submit their abstracts for consideration. Three outstanding abstracts will be selected for podium presentations during the conference. Selected presenters will be notified prior to the conference.

All submitted abstracts will be eligible for poster presentation during the conference, providing an opportunity to showcase your work and engage with attendees.

Poster Presentation and Viewing: Saturday, November 7th starting at 8:00 am – you will need to be available to stand with your poster during all refreshment breaks throughout the day.

Deadline to submit your abstract is October 1st, 2026.

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