

FEBRUARY 19-21, 2025 CAESARS PALACE | LAS VEGAS, NV

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

FROM WOMB TO NEONATAL CARE		
8:00 am – 8:05 am	Welcome & Opening Remarks Tim Biela, MD	
8:05 am – 8:45 am	The Telling Story of the Placenta: What Does Placental Pathology Tell Us? Andrew Combs, MD, PhD	
8:45 am – 9:30 am	Using Artificial Intelligence to Improve Fetal Assessments Andrew Combs, MD, PhD	
9:30 am – 10:00 am	Q&A Panel Discussion	
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Break & Exhibits	
10:30 am – 11:15 am	NEC, Preterm Formula and Litigation Robert Ursprung, MD, MMSc	
11:15 am – 12:00 pm	Optimizing Neonatal Outcomes: Exploring Delayed Cord Clamping vs Cord Milking Anup Katheria, MD	
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	Q&A Panel Discussion	
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	Lunch & Exhibits	
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Ethical Concerns in Neonatal Genetic Testing John Lantos, MD	
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm	Q&A Panel Discussion	
2:45 pm – 3:15 pm	Break & Exhibits	
3:15 pm – 4:00 pm	Short Term Respiratory Strategies with Long Term Benefits Cindy McEvoy, MD, MCR	
4:00 pm – 4:45 pm	Optimizing Non-Invasive Respiratory Strategies for Enhanced Outcomes Haresh Kirpalani, MD	
4:45 pm – 5:15 pm	Q&A Panel Discussion	
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5:15 pm – 6:15 pm	Welcome Reception & Exhibits	



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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20

	POINT OF CARE ULTRASOUND BENEFITS	
8:00 am – 8:45 am	Heartfelt Guidelines: Current Guidelines & Recommendations for Cardiac Point-of-Care Ultrasound (POCUS) Alan Groves, MD	
8:45 am – 9:30 am	Seeing through the Shadows: Exploring the Potential of Ultrasound in Lung Disease Assessment J. Lauren Ruoss, MD	
9:30 am – 10:00 am	Q&A Panel Discussion	
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Break & Exhibits	
NEC: IDENTIFYING, PREVENTING AND TREATING		
10:30 am – 11:15 am	NEC Imposters: Distinguishing NEC from Other Abdominal Pathology Josef Neu, MD	
11:15 am – 12:00 pm	From Bench to Bedside: Insights into the Prevention and Treatment of Necrotizing Enterocolitis Michael Caplan, MD	
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	Q&A Panel Discussion	
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	Lunch & Exhibits	
	HONORING THE LEGEND IN NEONATOLOGY	
1:30 pm – 1:35 pm	Legends in Neonatology Award Presentation Presented by Veeral Tolia, MD	
1:35 pm – 2:15 pm	Solving the Puzzle of Preterm Birth David Stevenson, MD	
2:15 pm – 2:30 pm	Legend Question & Answer	
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Break & Exhibits	
BREAKOUT SESSIONS		
3:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Breakout Session 1: POCUS IV Access Workshop Alan Groves, MD	
	Breakout Session 2: Quality Workshop: Reducing BPD Dan Ellsbury, MD & Robert Ursprung, MD, MMSc	
	Breakout Session 3: Clinical Leadership & Professional Development Workshop Peter Angood, MD & Brian Rosenberg, PhD	



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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21

	THE TINY BABY
8:00 am – 8:45 am	Tiny Babies: Lessons Learned from Around the World Matthew Rysavy, MD, PhD
8:45 am – 9:30 am	Starting Strong: Optimizing the Initial Care of the Preterm Infant in the Delivery Room and Beyond Elizabeth Foglia, MD
9:30 am – 10:00 am	Break & Exhibits
10:00 am – 10:45 am	Navigating the Hemodynamics of the Tiniest Babies: Current Insights J. Lauren Ruoss, MD
10:45 am – 11:15 am	Q&A Panel Discussion
11:15 am - 12:15 pm	Lunch & Exhibits
12:15 pm – 1:00 pm	Infection Prevention and Management for Extremely Low Gestational Age Newborns Dustin Flannery, DO, MSCE
1:00 pm – 1:45 pm	Tiny Lungs, Big Impact: Neuroprotective Respiratory Strategies for the Care of Infants Born at 22 to 23 weeks' Gestation: First Intention High Frequency Jet Ventilation Jonathan Klein, MD
1:45 pm – 2:30 pm	Fluids and Nutrition of the Smallest Babies of Care Noelle Younge, MD
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Q&A Panel Discussion
3:00 pm	Closing Remarks & Adjourn