

SPECIAL EVENTS AND
NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

7:00 - 8:00 a.m.
Breakfast
Converge Commons | Hall A1

8:00 - 8:45 a.m.
Opening and Welcome
Alfred Burger, MD & Chad Whelan, MD
Induction of SHM Fellows and Masters
Chad Whelan, MD
President's Address
Chad Whelan, MD
President-Elect's Address
Efrén C. Manjarrez, MD, FACP, SFHM
State of SHM
Eric E. Howell, MD, MHM
Main Stage | Karl F. Dean Grand Ballroom

8:45 - 9:45 a.m.
Pro Panels, Give Back Charity
Activity, and Networking
Exhibit Hall | Entrance in Hall A1

8:45 - 9:45 a.m.
Satellite Symposia ★
103 A-C

8:45 - 9:45 a.m.
Speed Mentoring *Pre-Registration Required
107 A-B

11:50 a.m. - 12:50 p.m.
International Perspectives
of Hospital Medicine
201 A-B

11:50 a.m. - 1:20 p.m.
Resident and Student Luncheon ★🎓
106 A-C

11:50 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Lunch in Exhibit Hall
Exhibit Hall | Entrance in Hall A1

12:30 - 1:30 p.m.
Expert Theaters ★
Exhibit Hall | Entrance in Hall A1

1:35 - 2:35 p.m.
A Giant Leap: Lessons from the Early Days
of Generative AI Meets Healthcare 🧠
Robert Wachter, MD, MHM
Main Stage | Karl F. Dean Grand Ballroom

3:35 - 4:15 p.m.
Break in Exhibit Hall
Exhibit Hall | Entrance in Hall A1

5:15 - 6:15 p.m.
Networking Reception with
Scientific Abstract ePoster Competition
Converge Commons | Hall A1

5:15 - 6:15 p.m.
Leadership Academy Open House
Converge Commons | Hall A1

DIDACTIC BREAKOUTS									INTERACTIVE WORKSHOPS		
Clinical Updates Davidson AB	Clinical Updates 207 A-D	High-Value Care/ Evidence-Based Medicine Davidson C	Clinical Updates 202 A-C	Clinical Reasoning 201 A-B	Health Policy 208 A-B	Early Career 205 A-B	Patient Experience 209 A-B	Academic/Research 104 D-E	Co-Management/ Perioperative 104 A-C	Leadership 105 A-B	
9:50 - 10:40 a.m. Updates in Pneumonia 📺	9:50 - 10:40 a.m. "Bless Your Heart" – Update in Heart Failure 📺	9:50 - 10:40 a.m. The Best of Things We Do For No Reason 📺	9:50 - 10:40 a.m. Don't Starve Your Patient!: A Practical Guide to Tube Feeds and TPN 📺	9:50 - 10:40 a.m. Updates from the Frontier: Large Language Models, Diagnosis, and Clinical Reasoning 📺	9:50 - 10:40 a.m. Updates in Health Policy: What the Hospitalist Needs to Know 📺	9:50 - 10:40 a.m. Finding Your Rhythm: Exploring the Phenotypes of Hospital Medicine 📺🎓	9:50 - 10:40 a.m. Empathy on the Clock: Human- Centered Communication in an AI-Influenced, Highly Complex Inpatient World 📺	9:50 - 10:50 a.m. Grits and Guidance: A Southern Recipe for Creating Mentorship Programming for All Practice Settings 📺	9:20 - 10:50 a.m. Anticoagulation and Antiplatelet Therapy Unplugged: No Slides, Just Ask Your Questions!	9:20 - 10:50 a.m. Bright Lights and Big Stages: Winning Strategies to Elevate Your Presentation Skills and Unlock Your Star Potential	
10:50 - 11:40 a.m. Acute Brain Dysfunction: A Roadmap to Prevention & Treatment of Coma, Delirium, & Agitation in the Critically Ill Patient 📺	10:50 - 11:40 a.m. Low Platelets, High Stakes: A Hospitalist's Approach to Thrombocytopenia 📺	Clinical Updates Davidson C 10:50 - 11:40 a.m. Advances in Pharmacotherapy: New Drugs Hospitalists Should Know 📺	High-Value Care/ Evidence-Based Medicine 202 A-C 10:50 - 11:40 a.m. From Silence to Sound: Composing Better Care for Underserved Patients in the Heart of Nashville 📺	10:50 - 11:40 a.m. Clinical Reasoning Case Conference 📺	10:50 - 11:40 a.m. Could You Describe the RUCKus, Sir? How Budget Neutrality, wRVUs, and the RUC Shape Your Pay 📺	10:50 - 11:40 a.m. And the Band Plays On: Tips On Continuing to Improve Your Clinical Knowledge and Clinical Reasoning 📺🎓	10:50 - 11:40 a.m. Partnering for the Right Diagnosis: Engaging Patients to Improve Diagnostic Safety in the Hospital 📺	11:00 a.m - 12:00 p.m. Research Shark Tank 📺	Caring for Vulnerable Populations 104 A-C	Technology 105 A-B	
SAMPLE SCHEDULE									11:00 a.m - 12:30 p.m. Harmony in Care: Finding Alternatives to Guardianship for Patients with Capacity	11:00 a.m - 12:30 p.m. Prompt Perfect: AI-Powered Charts, Reasoning Rhythms, and Doc Tracks from the Music City Escape Room	
			Co-Management/ Perioperative 202 A-C	Wellness 201 A-B	Leadership 208 A-B			Practice Management 209 A-B	Quality 104 D-E	Academic/Research 104 A-C	Clinical Reasoning 105 A-B
2:45 - 3:35 p.m. Update in Anticoagulation: Don't CHICKEN Out, Learn About the HOTTEST Recent Studies 📺	2:45 - 3:35 p.m. Approach to Acute Liver Injury 📺	2:45 - 3:35 p.m. Nephrology in the Inpatient Setting: Updates and Pearls 📺	2:45 - 3:35 p.m. The Great Perioperative Debate 📺	2:45 - 3:35 p.m. Physician Coaching: An Evidence-Based Way to Combat Burnout and Wellness Challenges 📺	2:45 - 3:35 p.m. Physician Unionization: Dancing or Just Listening to the Music? 📺	2:45 - 3:35 p.m. After Hours: Optimizing Night Float and Cross-Cover in Hospital Medicine 📺🎓	2:45 - 3:45 p.m. "My Bad! (Please Don't) Just Sue Me!" Common Reasons Why Hospital Medicine Physicians Get Sued and How to Mitigate Risk	2:45 - 3:45 p.m. Using AI Collaborative Workflows to Improve Clinical Outcomes 📺	2:45 - 4:15 p.m. The Third Annual MED TED Competition 🎓	2:45 - 4:15 p.m. Put the Shark Before the Horse: Applying Roadmaps to Teach Clinical Reasoning at the Bedside	
							Academic/Research 209 A-B				
4:15 - 5:05 p.m. Sweet Tea, Grits, and Diagnostic Hits: Fever in the Patient with Cancer 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. Hot Takes: Addiction Medicine Made Easy for the Busy Hospitalist 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. The (Mostly) Evidence-Based – and Definitely Practical – Neurological Physical Examination for Hospitalists 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. Perioperative Cardiac Risk Assessment: Tools, Trends, and Best Practices 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. Unlocking Personal Fulfillment: Harnessing the Power of QI and System Thinking 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. Business Updates for the Hospitalist: The Top Business Articles of 2025 That Will Change the Way You Lead, Do Your Job, and Practice Medicine 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. Job vs. Career: Improve Efficiency and Increase Impact 📺🎓	3:55 - 4:55 p.m. Nashville Hot: Spicing Up Teaching on the Fly 📺	3:55 - 4:55 p.m. Harmonizing Novel Antimicrobials with Stewardship 📺			

Special Interest Forums

Forums will be held throughout the day from 7:10 a.m. - 5:05 p.m.

View Schedule ➔

Chapter Meet-Ups

Chapter Meet-Ups will be held periodically throughout the day.

View Schedule ➔

ePosters | Research & Innovation

ePosters will be held throughout the day from 10:00 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Converge Commons | Hall A1

Reference the SHMConnect Mobile App for specifics related to topics, speakers, locations, and more!

SPECIAL EVENTS AND
NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

7:00 - 8:00 a.m.
Breakfast
Exhibit Hall | Entrance in Hall A1

7:00 - 8:00 a.m.
Pro Panels
Converge Commons | Hall A1

7:00 - 8:10 a.m.
Give Back Charity Activity and Networking
Exhibit Hall | Entrance in Hall A1

9:45 - 10:45 a.m.
Situation Room ★
209 C

11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m.
Best of Research and Innovations 2025 (Including Jr. Investigator Award)
Main Stage | Karl F. Dean Grand Ballroom

11:20 a.m. - 12:20 p.m.
Satellite Symposia ★
103 A-C

11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Situation Room ★
209 C

12:10 - 1:20 p.m.
Lunch and Visit the Exhibit Hall
Exhibit Hall | Entrance in Hall A1

12:15 - 1:15 p.m.
Stories from the Journey: 2025 Research & Innovation Finalists 🎓
105 A-B

12:30 - 1:30 p.m.
Expert Theaters ★
Exhibit Hall | Entrance in Hall A1

1:05 - 2:10 p.m.
Awards of Excellence
Chad Whelan, MD
Main Stage | Karl F. Dean Grand Ballroom

2:10 - 3:10 p.m.
Update in Hospital Medicine 📺
Kencee Graves, MD, FACP & Julia Caton MD, EdM
Main Stage | Karl F. Dean Grand Ballroom

3:35 - 4:15 p.m.
Break in Exhibit Hall
Exhibit Hall | Entrance in Hall A1

5:15 - 6:05 p.m.
Go with the Flow: Using Plumbing (and Humor) to Manage Malignant Obstructions in Hospitalized Cancer Patients 📺
Evan Nardone, 2025 MED-TED Competition Winner
202 A-C

DIDACTIC BREAKOUTS									INTERACTIVE WORKSHOPS	
Clinical Updates Davidson AB	Clinical Updates 207 A-D	Clinical Updates Davidson C	Co-Management/ Perioperative 202 A-C	Caring for Vulnerable Populations 201 A-B	Pediatric 208 A-B	NP/PA 205 A-B	Practice Management 209 A-B	Academic/Research 104 D-E	Point-of-Care Ultrasound 104 A-C	Academic/Research 105 A-B
8:10 - 9:00 a.m. Updates in Clinical Guidelines 📺	8:10 - 9:00 a.m. Queasy about the QT? Striking the Right Chord in Inpatient Nausea Management 📺	8:10 - 9:00 a.m. Can I Go Home Yet? Antibiotic Strategies to Move Toward Outpatient Treatment 📺	8:10 - 9:00 a.m. Perioperative Things We Do For No Reason 📺	8:10 - 9:00 a.m. State of Equity Initiatives in Hospital Medicine 📺	8:10 - 9:00 a.m. We Have Your Back: Review of Evidence and Best Practice for Using Point-of- Care Ultrasound to Guide Lumbar Puncture 📺 A	8:10 - 9:00 a.m. Retaining Your NP/PA Workforce: Building a Culture of Mentorship and Support 📺	8:10 - 9:00 a.m. Discharge and Throughput Challenges 📺	8:10 - 9:10 a.m. Oral Presentations on Top Advances in Research and Innovation 📺	8:00 - 9:30 a.m. From Grand Ole Scan to Grand Ole Plan: A Clinical Point-of-Care Ultrasound Image Trivia Challenge	8:00 - 9:30 a.m. <i>Journal of Hospital Medicine</i> Presents: Peer Reviewing for Medical Journals
9:10 - 10:00 a.m. Honky tONC Blues No More: A Cancer Journey for Hospitalists 📺	9:10 - 10:00 a.m. I Walk the (Flat) Line: the 2025 ACLS Updates 📺	9:10 - 10:00 a.m. Antimicrobial Resistance for the Hospitalist 📺	9:10 - 10:00 a.m. Updates in Perioperative Medicine 2026: Evolution of the Evidence 📺	9:10 - 10:00 a.m. Re-Framing, Re-Igniting: Maintaining Our Values in Challenging Times 📺	9:10 - 10:00 a.m. Pediatric Things We Do For No Reason 📺 A	9:10 - 10:00 a.m. Innovative Clinical Roles and Professional Model Development in Hospital Medicine 📺	9:10 - 10:00 a.m. Census Optimization– Making the Business Case for Fewer Patients 📺	9:20 - 10:20 a.m. Oral Presentations on Top Advances in Research and Innovation 📺		
10:10 - 11:00 a.m. Rheumatology Updates for the Hospitalist 📺	10:10 - 11:00 a.m. Nashville Hot: When Bacteremia Brings the Heat 📺	10:10 - 11:00 a.m. Last Call: The Latest and Greatest Strategies for Treatment of Alcohol Withdrawal and Alcohol Use Disorder 📺	10:10 - 11:00 a.m. Achy Breaky Hips: A Hospitalist's Guide to Hip Fractures 📺	10:10 - 11:00 a.m. Physician Advocacy: Five Strategies for Taking Action to Impact Patient Care 📺	Point-of-Care Ultrasound 208 A-B	10:10 - 11:00 a.m. From Solo Acts to Supergroups: Building a Strong APP Team in Hospital Medicine 📺	10:10 - 11:00 a.m. The Spotlight is Ours: Embedding Procedural Care into Hospitalist Practice 📺	Pediatric 104 D-E		
					10:10 - 11:00 a.m. The Ultrasound- Assisted Physical Exam 📺			10:30 - 11:20 a.m. Pediatric Top Abstracts in Research, Innovations, and Vignettes 📺 A		
			AI/Information Technology 202 A-C	High-Value Care/ Evidence-Based Medicine 201 A-B	Wellness 208 A-B	Post-Acute Care/ Hospital at Home 205 A-B	Quality 209 A-B	Academic/Research 104 D-E	Co-Management/ Perioperative 104 A-C	Leadership 105 A-B
3:15 - 4:05 p.m. Dermatology Pearls for Hospitalists 📺	3:15 - 4:05 p.m. Life-Threatening Inpatient Endocrine Emergencies 📺	3:15 - 4:05 p.m. AKI and CKD Management Updates 📺	3:15 - 4:05 p.m. Review of Large Language Model (LLM) Summarization Tools for Clinical Care and Operations 📺	3:15 - 4:05 p.m. When Less is More: How to Provide Less Anticoagulant and Anti-platelet Treatment to Improve Outcomes 📺	3:15 - 4:05 p.m. How to Lead a Debrief After a Patient Death or Adverse Event 📺	3:15 - 4:05 p.m. Hot Chicken and Hot Cases: From Mild to Wild on Hospital at Home 📺	3:15 - 4:15 p.m. Stuck Like Glue: How Geographic and Interdisciplinary Rounding Impacts Patient Outcomes, Facility Capacity, and Clinical Satisfaction 📺	3:15 - 4:30 p.m. Oral Presentations on Top Advances in Research and Innovation 📺	3:15 - 4:45 p.m. Perioperative Pitfalls: Common Triggers and Challenging Case Scenarios in Surgical Patients	3:15 - 4:45 p.m. The Art of Managing Conflicts: What to Do When Things Aren't Working
				Leadership 201 A-B	Pediatric 208 A-B	Practice Management 205 A-B				
4:15 - 5:05 p.m. All About That Acid- Base 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. Delirium Superimposed on Dementia – Best Practices for Hospitalists 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. Play the Rhythm and (Avoid Code) Blues: ECG Subtleties and New Approaches That Change Management 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. Top 5 AI Applications Transforming Medicine and What You Need to Know 📺	4:15 - 5:05 p.m. From the Knock- Down to the Get-Up: How Women Leaders Are Transforming Hospital Medicine 📺	4:15 - 5:35 p.m. Pediatric Top 10 Articles 📺 A	4:15 - 5:15 p.m. Dispo Denial Despair: Two Step From a Sad Song to Post-Acute Placement Harmony 📺	4:25-5:25 p.m. Sepsis Under Scrutiny: Navigating the Controversies of Ambiguities in Quality Improvement 📺	4:40 - 5:40 p.m. Get Ready to Two- Step to the SHM Poster Stage in 2027: Writing, Submitting, and Presenting Clinical Vignettes for Absolute Beginners (and Everyone Else) 📺	Early-Career 104 A-C	
									5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Mastering the Interview – Skills Workshop for Residents and Students 🎓	

Special Interest Forums

Forums will be held throughout the day from 8:10 a.m. - 6:10 p.m.

View Schedule ➔

Chapter Meet-Ups

Chapter Meet-Ups will be held periodically throughout the day.

View Schedule ➔

ePosters | Clinical Vignettes

ePosters will be held throughout the day from 8:00 a.m. - 5:15 p.m.

Converge Commons | Hall A1

Reference the SHMConnect Mobile App for specifics related to topics, speakers, locations, and more!

SPECIAL EVENTS AND
NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

7:15 - 8:15 a.m.
Breakfast
Converge Commons | Hall A1

8:00 - 8:35 a.m.
When Your Team Is Running on Empty: Practical, Science-Backed Strategies for the 7-On Reality
Rachel Tenenbaum, MCC, CNTC, CPCC
Davidson AB

10:35 - 11:35 a.m.
Energy Boost & Networking Break
Converge Commons | Hall A1

Didactic Breakouts							Interactive Workshops		
Clinical Updates Davidson AB	Clinical Updates 207 A-D	AI/Information Technology Davidson C	Palliative Care 202 A-C	Point-of-Care Ultrasound 208 A-B	Clinical Reasoning/ Diagnostics 205 A-B	Academic/Research 104 D-E	Wellness 104 A-C	Leadership 105 A-B	Academic/Research 102 A-B
8:45 - 9:35 a.m. Sweet Notes and Sugar Shifts: Updates in Diabetes Management for the Hospitalist On Demand	8:45 - 9:35 a.m. Frailty and Age-Friendly Health Systems: Beyond Perioperative Care On Demand	8:45 - 9:35 a.m. Byte-Sized Breakthroughs: Updates and Insights from Generative AI on the Wards On Demand	8:45 - 9:35 a.m. The Beans and the Brain in Serious Illness: Getting the Tunes Right in Foretelling Prognosis and Symptom Management On Demand	8:45 - 9:35 a.m. To Stick or Not to Stick: A Guide to Ultrasound-Guided Procedural Safety On Demand	8:45 - 9:35 a.m. Cognitive (Over)Load in Hospital Medicine: Impacts on Diagnosis and Approaches to Mitigating On Demand	8:50 - 9:50 a.m. Delivering Better Feedback: A Clinician-Friendly Model for Real-Time Coaching and Upward Input On Demand	8:40 - 10:10 a.m. Stand By Your Plan – Embracing #Essentialism for Hospitalists	8:40 - 10:10 a.m. Change Management for Hospitalist Leaders: Best Practices for 2026	8:40 - 10:10 a.m. Expanding the Hospitalists Curriculum: Strategies for Teaching Opportunities in an Evolving Landscape
				Quality 208 A-B	Post-Acute Care/ Hospital at Home 205 A-B				
9:45 - 10:35 a.m. The Heart Failure Playbook: Practical Tools for the Bedside On Demand	9:45 - 10:35 a.m. Dizziness Deconstructed: A Simplified Bedside Approach for the Busy Hospitalist On Demand	9:45 - 10:35 a.m. Clinical Informatics: The What, Why, and How it is Shaping the Face of Healthcare Delivery! On Demand	9:45 - 10:35 a.m. "Who Lives, Who Dies, Who Tells Your Story": "Legacy Work" and Helping our Patients Make Meaning at the End of Life On Demand	9:45 - 10:35 a.m. Building Bridges: Therapeutic Violence Mitigation Program Development and Implementation On Demand	9:45 - 10:35 a.m. Optimizing Transitions of Care: Lessons from a Hospital Medicine Transitions Clinic On Demand	10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Robots on Rounds: Teaching Reasoning in a Post-GPT World On Demand	Early Career 104 A-C	NP/PA 105 A-B	Leadership 102 A-B
10:45 - 11:35 a.m. Sickle Cell Diseases Clinical Updates 2026 On Demand	10:45 - 11:35 a.m. Updates in Gastroenterology On Demand	Patient Experience/ Communication Davidson C	Clinical Reasoning/ Diagnostics 202 A-C	10:45 - 11:35 a.m. Is It Research? Hospitalist Navigating the IRB Requirements in Quality, Implementation Science, Innovation, and Learning Health Systems On Demand	Practice Management 205 A-B	11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. No More Bad Talks: How to Give Presentations That Work On Demand	10:20 - 11:50 a.m. Chart-Topping Career: Creating a Strategic Business Plan for Your Professional Future 🎓	10:20 - 11:50 a.m. Elevating NP/PAs: Strategies for Career Advancement, Leadership, and Scholarship in Hospital Medicine	10:20 - 11:50 a.m. Movin' On Up, Movin' On Up: From Hospitalist to Healthcare Leader
		10:45 - 11:35 a.m. Changing Your Tune: A Trauma-Informed Approach to Challenging Encounters in the Hospital On Demand	10:45 - 11:35 a.m. Cases from the Country Hospitalist: Bringing World-Class Care to the Rural Bedside On Demand		10:45 - 11:45 a.m. Winning the Documentation Game: Clinical Case-Based Pearls from Physician Advisors to Reduce Administrative Burden, Improve Quality, and Minimize Revenue Losses On Demand				
11:45 a.m. - 12:35 p.m. Clinical Update on Re-emerging Virus Presentations On Demand	11:45 a.m. - 12:35 p.m. Update on Psych Patients on the Wards On Demand		11:45 a.m. - 12:35 p.m. Therapeutic Reasoning Under Diagnostic Uncertainty: Finding the Threshold On Demand	Leadership 208 A-B	11:55 a.m. - 12:55 p.m. RVU Rodeo: Riding the Range of Uncommon Billing Codes On Demand	12:20 - 1:20 p.m. Striking the Right Chord: Making a Busy Teaching Service a Smash Hit On Demand	Wellness 104 A-C	Patient Experience/ Communication 105 A-B	Quality 102 A-B
				11:45 a.m. - 12:35 p.m. High-Impact Behaviors for the Unit Medical Director On Demand			12:00 - 1:30 p.m. Your Next Era: Navigating Career Transitions	12:00 - 1:30 p.m. Walk the Line: Effective Communication During Challenging Patient Encounters	12:00 - 1:30 p.m. Closing the Loop: Empowering Clinicians Through Safety Event Support



Reference the SHMConnect Mobile App for specifics related to topics, speakers, locations, and more!