



2026 Athletic Trainers Symposium

Tuesday, November 10, 2026
7:30 AM - 1:45 PM
The Westin, Mt. Laurel, NJ



AGENDA

7:30 AM – 8:00 AM	Registration/Breakfast
8:00 AM – 8:15 AM	Welcome/Opening Remarks David B. Gealt, DO, FAOASM
8:15 AM – 9:00 AM	What Not to Miss: Concerning Features on Musculoskeletal Imaging Brianna L. Siracuse, MD
9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Evaluation and Management of the Overhead Athlete Alex M. Pachella, PT, DPT, CSCS
9:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Break/Visit Exhibitors
10:00 AM – 10:45 AM	The Basics of Gait Meghan L. Morley, MD, MSc
10:45 AM – 11:30 AM	The Management of Patellofemoral Instability in the Athlete Kevin J. McHale, MD, FAAOS
11:30 AM – 11:45 AM	Break/Visit Exhibitors
11:45 AM – 12:15 PM	Hypermobility in Athletics: Diagnostic Dilemmas and Common Treatment Pitfalls Cody B. Clinton, DO
12:15 PM – 12:45 PM	Ulnar Sided Wrist Pain in the Athlete Kristofer J. Bires, MD
12:45 PM – 1:30 PM	Emergent Evaluation and Management of Cervical Spine Injuries on the Sideline Rajkishen Narayanan, MD
1:30 PM – 1:45 PM	Discussion/Question and Answer Period
1:45 PM	Course Adjournment/Distribution of Boxed Lunches

Intended Audience:

The intended audience for this conference includes orthopaedic physicians, orthopaedic surgeons, and sports medicine physicians. Athletic trainers, physical therapists, pre-hospital personnel, and any other health care professionals with an educational need or interest in this topic may also attend.

Overall Learner Objectives:

- Describe current and emerging evaluation techniques, diagnostic and imaging procedures, and treatment protocols for various orthopaedic conditions.
- Discuss and illustrate evaluation and treatment techniques to improve patient outcomes, function, and return to sport.
- Evaluate the average number of patella dislocations and medial patellofemoral ligament reconstruction surgeries per month at Cooper University Health Care, both before and after this symposium to determine if the number increases post symposium due to learner knowledge and referral to orthopaedics.

Accreditation/Designation/Disclosure:



In support of improving patient care, The Cooper Health System is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the health care team.

The Cooper Health System designates this live activity for a maximum of **5.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.



The Cooper Health System (BOC AP#: JA0004302) is approved by the Board of Certification, Inc. to provide continuing education to Athletic Trainers (ATs). This program is eligible for a maximum of **5.0 Category A hour(s)/CEU(s)**. ATs should claim only those hours actually spent in the educational program.



This activity was planned by and for the healthcare team, and learners will receive **5.0 Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE)** credits for learning and change.

All faculty, planners, and others participating in continuing education activities sponsored by The Cooper Health System are expected to disclose all financial relationships.

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Registration is required.

Space is limited. Please register early.

Registration will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.

No registrations by telephone will be accepted.



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Or

Email ALL of the registration information requested below to: CME@cooperhealth.edu

Or

Mail registration and payment to: Continuing Medical Education
The Cooper Health System
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Or

Fax registration form to: (856) 382-6495

Faxed, e-mailed, and on-line registrations accepted for credit card payments only.

Registration Fees: (Includes breakfast, breaks, and lunch)

- ☐ \$50.00 Non-Cooper Certified Athletic Trainers
- ☐ \$50.00 Non-Cooper Physical Therapists
- ☐ \$25.00 Athletic Training Students
- ☐ \$100.00 Cooper Physicians, Surgeons, Physical Therapists, Athletic Trainers and Administrators

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