

9TH INTERNATIONAL **TRACHEOSTOMY** SYMPOSIUM



OCTOBER 23-24, 2025

The David Rubenstein Forum at the University of Chicago, IL





Mark your calendars for the 9th ITS to be held at the David Rubenstein Forum at the University of Chicago in Chicago, IL

The 9th International Tracheostomy Symposium (ITS) will be held October 23-24, 2025 at the David Rubenstein Forum at the University of Chicago in Chicago, IL. We are partnering with University of Chicago and Tracheostomy Review and Management service (TRAMS) to host an innovative two day program that brings together thought leaders for interactive sessions and scientific innovation. The program will feature the latest technology, patient and family perspectives, and state-of-the-art presentations on the management of the patients with tracheostomies. This is the premier event for tracheostomy specialists, doctors, nurses, allied health professionals, patients, and families to grow and learn together. We hope you will join us!

Comprehensive Tracheostomy Care for Pediatric and Adult Populations: A Hands-On Workshop

Cost \$150

Join us for Comprehensive Tracheostomy Care for Pediatric and Adult Populations: A Hands-On Workshop—an immersive, interdisciplinary training designed for healthcare professionals, patients, families, and caregivers. Offered as a ticketed addon event, this dynamic workshop combines expert instruction, real-world case studies, and simulation-based learning to build essential tracheostomy care skills across the lifespan. Participants will engage in interactive sessions covering tube management, emergency response, pediatric considerations, and communication strategies, with hands-on practice using high-fidelity mannequins and tools. Whether you're a clinician or a caregiver, you'll leave with the knowledge and confidence to enhance tracheostomy care in any setting.



For more information and to register for the conference and workshop, click on the QR code

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



David Goldenberg, MD, FACS Vice President of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery Services, Penn State Health

Chair of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery Department, Hershey Medical Center



Laura Jackson Disability Advocate & Motivational

President of the non-profit Mi Work

Miss Wheelchair Michigan awardee



Alexandra Feldman, MD

Medical director of the Pulmonary Habilitation Program at Lurie Children's Hospital



Carolyn C. Foster, MD, MS

Director of Lurie Children's Hospital Stanley Manne Research Institute's Health@Home Initiative

Continuing Education Credits

Below is a list of the types of continuing education we will apply for:

- AMA PRA Category 1 Credits
 - ANCC American Nurses Credentialing Center
- ASHA American Speech-Language-Hearing Association
- AARC-CRCE American Association for Respiratory Care