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**KIDNEY
WEEK** 2026

October 21-25 | Denver, CO

Kidney Week 2026

ASN Kidney Week remains the world's largest meeting devoted to the latest advances in nephrology care, research, and education. Kidney Week 2026 will be held in-person October 21–25 (exhibit dates October 22–24) at the Colorado Convention Center in Denver, CO. All sessions will be recorded and made available on-demand after the meeting. Kidney Week sessions will not be live-streamed.

Accreditation Statement

In support of improving patient care, the American Society of Nephrology 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 healthcare team.



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ASN abides by all requirements of the [ACCME Standards for Integrity and Independence in Accredited Continuing Education](#).

Educational Grant Support (Continuing Education Activities)

Early Program Support

These day-long reviews of specific topics within nephrology are held immediately prior to the Annual Meeting and require separate registration fees. The complete schedule of Early Programs will be available on the ASN website starting in June 2026.

Benefits:

- Company name included on the ASN website on the Early Program page, as well as the mobile app.
- Company name included on introductory slides.
- Company name included on signage.

\$15,000 per program for sole support

Learning Pathway Support

Receive week-long recognition at every session included in a learning pathway, while helping participants determine their session schedules for Kidney Week. ASN divides sessions among learning pathways or “tracks” that guide participants through the selection of approximately 100 sessions offered throughout the week. Gain continual recognition in a targeted area of nephrology by supporting a Kidney Week pathway.

Pathways include: AKI and Critical Care; Bones, Stones, and Mineral Metabolism; CKD Non-Dialysis; Diabetic Kidney Disease; Dialysis; Fluid, Electrolyte, and Acid-Base Disorders; Genetic Diseases and Development; Glomerular Diseases; Hypertension and Cardiorenal Disorders; Kidney Transplantation; Pathology; and Pediatric Nephrology.

Benefits:

- Company name included on the ASN website under each session, as well as the mobile app.
- Company name included on all session signage and introductory slides in the pathway.

\$5,000 per session in the pathway for sole support

Session Support

Approximately 100 sessions are held during Kidney Week, are available for grant support, and focus on: Late-breaking information related to basic, translational, and clinical research discoveries in specific areas within the field of nephrology; or Single areas of clinical or basic research.

Benefits:

- Company name included on the ASN website under each session, as well as the mobile app.
- Company name included on session signage and introductory slides.

\$7,500 per session for sole support



Educational Symposia Support

Accredited and administered by ASN, these one-hour programs are held at the Hyatt Regency Denver at Colorado Convention Center, adjacent to the convention center. The society develops program content, recruits faculty, selects menus, arranges audiovisual requirements, accredits the program, and administers continuing education credits to participants. Lunch is provided and paid for by ASN. ASN does not utilize third parties to develop or administer educational symposia. All symposia are developed by the Kidney Week Education Committee and are submitted by ASN to industry for educational grant support.

Dates and Times

Thursday, October 22, Friday, October 23 and Saturday, October 24
12:45 p.m. to 1:45 p.m. (doors open at 12:30 p.m.)
All symposia are 60 minutes in length.

Location

Hyatt Regency Denver at Colorado Convention Center
650 15th St
Denver, CO 80202



Anticipated Attendance: 450

ASN Services

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Corporate supporters are required to sign a CE letter of agreement prior to the start of the program. Educational symposia are evaluated, and results are shared with the corporate supporter after the conclusion of the program. ASN does not share a participant list with the supporter.

Program Development: The Kidney Week Education Committee develops the content for all Kidney Week educational symposia. ASN does not work with Medical Education and Communications Companies to develop or execute symposia.

Speaker Management: ASN selects all speakers and moderators for each symposium.

Catering: A boxed lunch is served during all symposia. All meals are provided by and paid for by ASN and not the supporting company.

Audiovisual Equipment: Each session room is set with an LCD projector and screen, computer, laser pointer, table and lavalier microphones, and a lighting package.

Marketing: All educational symposia are included in an email blast to Kidney Week registrants prior to the meeting, listed in the Pocket Guide distributed onsite, and posted on the ASN website.

Signage: All session signs are of uniform design and are produced by ASN. Signs include the program title, date, time, location, and supporting company's name. Signs are displayed in a designated area of the convention center, the hotel, and outside the session room door.

Registration: Educational symposia are available to fully paid Kidney Week registrants only, and all participants must display an official Kidney Week 2026 badge to enter them. Advance registration is not allowed for any symposia, and seats are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Corporate supporters receive complimentary admission for up to fifteen representatives to their supported symposium.

Onsite Management: ASN staff manages all meeting, program, and speaker logistics onsite.

Online Symposium Posting: Companies that support an educational symposium during Kidney Week 2026 will have their symposium posted online to the ASN Learning Platform in December 2026. The posting is complimentary, and viewing is not restricted to Kidney Week participants or ASN members.

- **Posting Dates:** December 2026–December 2027
- **Anticipated Attendance:** 100 participants

The online activity includes:

- Synchronized presentation slides to speaker audio
- Hosting on the ASN Learning Platform
- Mobile viewing on Apple and Android devices

Continuing education credits are not awarded for the online educational symposia posting. ASN tracks the number of views but does not conduct an evaluation of this posting.

Support Fee \$170,000

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