



ACP-WI 2026 Annual Scientific Meeting - Hotel Room Block is Open!

Book a room at the Wilderness Resort for \$119 per night for Thursday and \$159 per night for Friday & Saturday, 9/17/26 - 9/18/26. The resort phone number is: 800-867-9453. Our Group Reservation number is **#B40427**. Reservations can also be made following the directions found in the attached flyer.

[Book Online!](#)

The deadline to reserve is August 18, 2026. Registration for the meeting to open this week!!

Help Grow Our Annual Meeting Exhibitor Program & Earn an Annual Meeting Registration Discount!

Do you work with companies that provide products or services for internal medicine physicians? Help us grow the 2026 ACP-WI Annual Meeting Exhibit Hall—and receive a registration discount for your efforts!

Our exhibitors play an important role in enhancing the Annual Meeting experience by connecting attendees with the latest products, services, and innovations in healthcare. As a valued ACP-WI member, you may know organizations that would benefit from exhibiting, and we'd love your help making

those connections.

How It Works

If you introduce ACP-WI staff to a prospective exhibitor and your referral results in a new paid exhibitor registration for the 2026 Annual Meeting, you'll receive a \$100 discount on your own 2026 Annual Meeting registration.

Who is eligible?

- All current ACP-WI members who pay to attend the Annual Meeting.
- One registration discount per member.

What Qualifies? To be eligible for the incentive:

- Introduce the prospective exhibitor to ACP-WI staff (info@acpwi.org) via email.
- The introduction must lead to a new exhibitor registering and paying for exhibit space at the 2026 Annual Meeting.
- The referral must be submitted before the company registers.
- The prospective exhibitor cannot already be actively engaged in exhibitor recruitment discussions with ACP-WI.
- The exhibitor registration fee must be paid in full before the discount is awarded.

Referral Guidelines

If multiple members refer different contacts from the same company, the registration discount will be awarded to the member whose contact ultimately completes the exhibitor registration and payment.

If multiple members refer the same individual at the same company, the discount will be awarded to the member who first submits the introduction to ACP-WI.

ACP-WI staff will track all referrals, verify eligibility, and notify members once their referral qualifies. Registration discounts will be applied after exhibitor payment has been received and confirmed.

Start Making Connections!

If you know a company that would be a great addition to our exhibit hall, we'd love to hear from you. Your introduction helps strengthen our Annual Meeting, while connecting our members with valuable industry partners.

To submit a referral or learn more about the program, contact the [ACP-WI office](#).

ACP-WI Narrative Medicine Program Committee Updates

Our 2026 Narrative Medicine contest submissions are in! We are working on judging these wonderful pieces. Watch for the e-booklet to be published later

this summer and your chance to vote for your favorite to win the "People's Choice Award"!

We will showcase some of the submissions at the Story Slam during the Annual Scientific Meeting on September 18th.

Wisconsin Medical Society 2026 Doctor Day

Dr. Siobhan Wilson, FACP presented at Wisconsin Doctor Day about firearm injury prevention and care! She was joined by Dr. Eric Reetz and Dr. Collin Michels.

This session reviewed strategies to identify people at risk of firearm injury; practical tools to begin conversations on firearms in daily patient care and community roles; and consensus strategies on firearm injury prevention.



IMG Meet and Greet at 2026 IM Meeting

During the 2026 Internal Medicine Meeting, ACP-WI co-sponsored the IMG Meet & Greet held in San Francisco. The event created a welcoming space for international medical graduates to connect, share experiences, and build

meaningful relationships. Over 100 individuals attended and the event was incredibly successful!





Caring Together Event - RSVP in Advance!

Please join Dane County Medical Society and free clinics on Thursday, July 30th from 4-7 p.m. for an event celebrating the 25th anniversary of the Specialty Care Free Clinic as well as all free clinics in Dane County. If you already volunteer, please come to celebrate! If you are curious about volunteering, all the clinics will have representatives to let you know about opportunities. This is open to physicians of all specialties, including retired physicians as well as residents and fellows; advanced practice providers; and medical students. Please bring your family and enjoy food, music and collegiality as we celebrate contributing to our community!

Please RSVP using [this link](#).

**MI-ACP "From Barriers to Breakthrough:
An Interactive Webinar on Scholarly Success for Residents and Early Career Faculty" -
Register Today!**

**Tuesday, July 28, 2026
5PM - 6PM CT**

This interactive webinar is designed for residents, fellows, and junior faculty interested in developing their scholarly portfolio and navigating the challenges of academic scholarship. Faculty facilitators will discuss common barriers to scholarly work, introduce practical pathways to getting started, and share strategies for overcoming obstacles such as limited time, competing clinical responsibilities, and finding mentorship.

The session will begin with a brief presentation followed by interactive breakout discussions where participants will identify barriers within their own academic environments and collaborate on practical solutions. The workshop will conclude with a group debrief, key takeaways, and actionable strategies that participants can apply to advance their scholarly work.

Five attendees will receive a \$20 gift card!

Presenters:

Sanjay Bhandari, MD, FACP, Medical College of Wisconsin

Ayushma Duwadi, MD, Michigan State University

Pinky Jha, MD, FACP, Medical College of Wisconsin

Sumugtha Rayamajhi, MD, FACP, Michigan State University [Register Here!](#)

ACP Small Feedings of the Soul Webinar - Register Today!

**Small Feedings of the Soul
July 22, 2026 - 6:00-7:00 PM CT**

Join us and Dr. Rana Awdish, a bestselling author of *In Shock: My Journey from Death to Recovery* and *the Redemptive Power of Hope* and the forthcoming *After Shock*. She is a sought-after public speaker, delivers powerful keynote addresses on healing, empathy, and the human experience of medicine to audiences around the world. Dr. Awdish will select and share several of her works for a thoughtful conversation in a safe, supportive space. You do not want to miss this event! [Register Here!](#)

ACP Advocacy Update

New ACP policy papers published in *Annals of Internal Medicine*, offering recommendations for policymakers, regulators, and health systems on issues impacting internal medicine physicians and their patients:

- [Telemedicine Policy and Practice](#) (published 5/10)
- [Protecting the Integrity and Quality of the Medicare Advantage Program](#)(published 5/19)
- [Regulatory Framework for Private Equity and Corporatization in Health Care](#)(published 5/25)

Released statement expressing concern over the abrupt firing of U.S. Preventive Service Task Force members.

Warned that the ONC's proposed rule to streamline Health IT Certification could disrupt clinical systems as the breadth of the changes and accelerated implementation period are too aggressive.

Issued joint letter urging Congress to maintain robust federal investments in overdose prevention, substance use disorder treatment, and recovery support services in the FY 2027 appropriations process.

Raised visibility of priority issues with lawmakers at **ACP's Leadership Day 2026** in Washington, D.C., May 12-13, 2026, including:

- Improving vaccine access
- Stabilizing Medicare physician payments
- Addressing the physician workforce shortage

This event remains a cornerstone of ACP's year-round advocacy to advance policies that support internal medicine physicians and their patients.

2027 Internal Medicine Meeting Chapter Reception - Save the Date

Save the Date: Massachusetts, Michigan and Wisconsin Chapters Reception at the 2027 Internal Medicine Meeting!

**Friday, April 16, 2027
6:00PM - 7:30PM**

Tom's Watch Bar

1011 S. Figueroa Street
Los Angeles, CA 90015

For any questions, please contact [ACP-WI Staff](#).