Find Out What’s New at This Year’s Annual Meeting

Meetings on Demand — Register for a 2019 Subspecialty Day meeting and gain complimentary access to the Meetings on Demand presentations from all seven Subspecialty Day meetings. Purchase an AAO 2019 Academy Plus course pass for complimentary access to the Meetings on Demand presentations captured from AAO 2019 and the American Academy of Ophthalmic Executives® (AAOE) Program.

ASORN Nursing Program — The American Society of Ophthalmic Registered Nurses’ annual meeting is now integrated with AAO 2019, offering more learning experiences for the entire practice team.

Scientific Poster Theater and Lounge — Be sure to visit the reimagined scientific poster theater and lounge to view posters and connect with poster presenters in this innovative, interactive space.

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Follow Your Inspiration to Ophthalmology’s Premier Educational Event.
Join more than 16,000 professional attendees in San Francisco for up to five days of clinical updates, practice management solutions and technological innovations. Connect and collaborate with the ophthalmic luminaries who inspire us with bold ideas and powerful insights.

Watch this short video at aao.org/2019 and discover what inspires your peers.

Delve Into AAO 2019 Symposium Highlights
San Francisco is the perfect place to explore new technology and witness the practice of ophthalmology. This year's topics include:

• The Evolution and Effect of Imaging Modalities: Retinal, Ultrasound, and Fundus in the Practice of Ophthalmology
• Mobile Eye Technology: The New Generation of Enhanced Patient Care in the Digital Age

Harness inspiring techniques during Subspecialty Day 2019
Gain clinical pearls through panel discussions, case presentations and debates in your subspecialty. Float among meetings on the day(s) you’re registered. Saturday meetings include access to the AAO 2019 exhibit hall. All meetings include continental breakfast and lunch.

Friday, Oct. 11
Refractive Surgery 2019: As Far as the Eye Can See
Friday, Oct. 11 and Saturday, Oct. 12
Retina 2019: I2 — Inspire Innovation
Saturday, Oct. 12
Cornea 2019: Keeping Disease at Bay
Glaucoma 2019: Crossing the Golden Gate to Exceptional Glaucoma Care
Neuro-Ophthalmology 2019: Diagnostic Errors and Challenges — Avoid the Traps!
Oculofacial Plastic Surgery 2019-2019: A Decade to Remember
Pediatric Ophthalmology 2019: San Francisco Sound Meets Science

Probable Ophthalmology 2019: San Francisco Social Robotics, Science

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Master Strategic Solutions at the AAOE Practice Management Program

Attend the American Academy of Ophthalmic Executives® (AAOE) Program and connect with what inspires you, what challenges you and the innovations that will help you advance your practice. From coding to electronic health records and more, choose from over 80 instruction courses (included in the Academy Plus course pass) to help you increase practice efficiency.

For deeper immersion, attend these three-hour master classes and intensive coding sessions (ticketed separately):

Friday Master Classes
- The Profitable Retina Practice: Unlock Strategic Growth and Profitability
- Optimize Your Patient Experience: Lessons from the Waiting Room
- Audit Your Records the Way Payers Do

Saturday Master Classes
- The Profitable Practice: Effectively Manage Your Billing Operations
- HIPAA-Compliance: An Insider’s Guide for Avoiding Violations and Breaches
- Smart Money: Understand Your Payer Contracts, Finances and Revenue
- The Essential Toolkit for New Administrators

Saturday Coding Sessions
- Fundamentals of Ophthalmic Coding
- Coding Camp

Experience Inspiring Innovations at the AAO 2019 Exhibition

Your registration includes access to the world’s largest exhibition of ophthalmic technology, products and services. Explore innovations from 500+ exhibitors that will help you enhance your practice.

- Join colleagues to hear ophthalmology’s key opinion leaders at the Learning Lounge.
- Play games, relax with therapy animals and more at EyePlay Experience.
- Pick up the latest products for clinical education, practice management and patient education in the Academy Resource Center. Plus, get demos of the IRIS® Registry (Intelligent Research in Sight) and Ophthalmic News and Education (ONE®) Network, attend special events, and more.

Register for AAO 2019

Registration for July 18 to 21 is free for Academy and AAOE members. Register online at aao.org/register. For Subspecialty Day, Register at aao.org/registration.

Important Dates
- June 12: Registration and hotel reservations open
- Student Programs Search launches
- June 28: Registration opens
- July 2: Early registration closes

Book Your Hotel
Take advantage of special guest rates and reservation center specials by staying at an official AAO 2019 hotel. See the complete list of hotels and make your reservations at aao.org/hotels.

Fraud Alert
Only book hotel rooms and register through the Academy’s website, aao.org. The official hotel reservation provider for AAO 2019 is Expovision. If you are ever in doubt, contact the Academy’s Meetings department at meetings@aao.org or +1 415.561.8500, or contact Expovision directly at aaohotels@expovision.com, 866.774.0487 (toll-free within U.S.).

Experience the Beauty and Charm of Inspiring San Francisco

San Francisco is eccentric and historic, cultured and quirky — all while being a hub for innovation and inspiration. In addition to celebrated attractions such as Lombard Street, “The Crookedest Street in the World” (above), cable cars, Alcatraz, Fisherman’s Wharf and the city’s most distinguished landmark, the Golden Gate Bridge, there are several must-see museums within walking distance of the Moscone Center:
- San Francisco Museum of Modern Art
- Yerba Buena Center for the Arts
- Museum of the African Diaspora
- Contemporary Jewish Museum
- Museum of Ice Cream

The Bay Area is also a foodie’s paradise and boasts 57 Michelin-starred restaurants. There’s so much to do and experience in San Francisco — it’s fun for the whole family.

Traveling From Outside the United States?
Check your travel documents and passports to ensure that they are up to date. Visit aao.org/visa for information about visas, letters of invitation and more.

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