



## PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 21, 2026		Room
6:30 AM – 1:30 PM	<b>Golf Classic</b> benefitting the AOPO Foundation <i>Separate registration required.</i>	
8:30 AM – 7:00 PM	<b>Registration Open</b>	TBD
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM	<b>Public Affairs Meeting</b> <i>(OPO members only)</i>	TBD
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	<b>Community Engagement Committee</b> <i>(Committee members only)</i>	TBD
11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	<b>Advocacy Committee</b> <i>(Committee members only)</i>	TBD
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	<b>Data Committee</b> <i>(Committee members only)</i>	TBD
1:30 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>NEW! Donation Services Workshop</b> <i>(DFS, HD, Clinical, Edu &amp; Training)</i>	TBD
1:30 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>NEW! Donor Care Units</b>	TBD
1:30 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>HR Community of Practice</b> <i>(Closed meeting for OPO HR staff only)</i>	TBD
1:30 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>NEW! Tissue Community of Practice</b>	TBD
2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	<b>Strategic Planning Committee</b> <i>(Committee members only)</i>	TBD
3:00 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>NEW! DMG Workgroup</b>	TBD
3:00 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>Financial Management Community of Practice</b> <i>(Closed meeting for OPO Finance staff only)</i>	TBD
3:00 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>Leadership Development Committee</b> <i>(Committee members only)</i>	TBD
3:00 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>OPO IMPACT Committee</b> <i>(Committee members only)</i>	TBD
3:00 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>Information Technology &amp; Data Communities of Practice</b>	TBD
3:30 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>AOPO OPTN Engagement Task Force</b> <i>(Task Force members only)</i>	TBD
4:30 PM – 5:30 PM	<b>President’s Reception</b> <i>(Invitation Only)</i>	TBD
5:30 PM – 7:00 PM	<b>GRAND OPENING RECEPTION IN THE EXHIBIT HALL – ALL ATTENDEES</b>	TBD

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## Monday, June 22, 2026

### PLENARY SESSIONS

*Open to all registered attendees*

Time	Session	Room
7:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Registration Open	TBD
7:00 AM – 8:30 AM	Networking Breakfast with Exhibitors	TBD
8:30 AM – 8:40 AM	Welcome	TBD
8:40 AM – 9:40 AM	Connect to Purpose	TBD
9:40 AM – 10:15 AM	CMS & HRSA	TBD
10:15 AM – 11:00 AM	Break with Exhibitors	TBD
11:00 AM – 11:30 AM	President’s Address	TBD
11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	NRP	TBD
12:00 PM – 1:30 PM	Lunch with Exhibitors	TBD
12:00 PM – 5:15 PM	Annual Business Meeting <i>(Closed meeting for OPO CEOs only)</i>	TBD





MONDAY, JUNE 22 <sup>ND</sup> BREAKOUT SESSIONS		
TRACK	A-Breakout Sessions	TIME
Collaborative Partnerships	From ICU to Donation: Multidisciplinary Strategies to Improve DCD Outcomes and Palliative Integration	1:35 PM - 2:30 PM
DCD, UDCD, NRP	Pumped for Perfusion: How OPO-Driven NRP is Transforming DCD Organ Placement	1:35 PM - 2:30 PM
OPO Operations	From Biopsy to Bedside: Enhancing Kidney Allocation and Remote Donor Coordination	1:35 PM - 2:30 PM
Allocation, Utilization, and Preservation	Breaking Barriers in Liver Utilization: Smarter Tools, Faster Decisions, Better Outcomes	1:35 PM - 2:30 PM
Peer, Partner, and Donor Family Support	Advancing Donation Collaboration: Elevating Outcomes Through Liaison and Specialist Integration	1:35 PM - 2:30 PM
AI Strategies	From Data to Donation: Partnering with AI to Improve DCD Decisions	1:35 PM - 2:30 PM
Training & Education	Smarter Conversations: Using Simulation and Predictive Analytics to Support Family Approach in DCD	1:35 PM - 2:30 PM
Tissue	Navigating the Intersection of Pediatric Death Investigation and Organ Donation	1:35 PM - 2:30 PM
Energizing Break with Exhibitors		2:30 PM - 3:15 PM

## MONDAY, JUNE 22<sup>ND</sup> BREAKOUT SESSIONS (cont'd)

TRACK	B-Breakout Sessions	TIME
Collaborative Partnerships	Community-Powered Donation: Engaging First Responders, Advancing Equity, and Expanding Access	3:20 PM - 4:15 PM
DCD, UDCD, NRP	Flow & Form: Histologic Value and Blood Utilization in NRP	3:20 PM - 4:15 PM
OPO Operations	Ending the Ice Age: Redefining Organ Preservation Through Controlled Hypothermic Technology	3:20 PM - 4:15 PM
Allocation, Utilization, and Preservation	It's Not You, It's the Data: Navigating Invalid NATs and Blood Type Plot Twist	3:20 PM - 4:15 PM
Peer, Partner, and Donor Family Support	Measuring What Matters: A Data-Driven Look at FPA Opposition and Authorization Outcomes	3:20 PM - 4:15 PM
Referral Management	Get There First, Find Them Faster: Mastering Early Referrals & Registry Optimization	3:20 PM - 4:15 PM
Training & Education	Leader Development in Action: From Individual Plans to Organizational Impact	3:20 PM - 4:15 PM



## MONDAY, JUNE 22<sup>ND</sup> BREAKOUT SESSIONS (cont'd)

TRACK	C-Breakout Sessions	TIME
Collaborative Partnerships	Little Lives, Lasting Legacies: Pediatric Donation Done Right	4:20 PM - 5:15 PM
DCD, UDCD, NRP	More Organs, Better Outcomes: Unlocking the Potential of DCD & NRP	4:20 PM - 5:15 PM
OPO Operations	Donor Care in Action: Lessons from a Tertiary ICU Unit and Telemedicine-Driven Training	4:20 PM - 5:15 PM
Allocation, Utilization, and Preservation	Storms Within: Navigating Asthma and Brain Death Physiology in Organ Donation	4:20 PM - 5:15 PM
Peer, Partner, and Donor Family Support	Navigating Resistance, Building Partnerships, and Using Data to Enhance Organ Donation	4:20 PM - 5:15 PM
HD Mentorships	Unifying Partnerships and People: Driving Donation Growth Through Strategic Integration and Mentorship	4:20 PM - 5:15 PM
Training & Education	Back to Basics: The Value of Watch One, Do One, Teach One in Surgical Skills Training	4:20 PM - 5:15 PM

  
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## Tuesday, June 23, 2026

7:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Registration Open	TBD
7:00 AM – 8:30 AM	Networking Breakfast with Exhibitors	TBD
7:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Medical Directors Meeting <i>(Closed meeting for OPO Medical Directors only)</i>	TBD
12:10 PM – 1:40 PM	Lunch with Exhibitors	TBD
12:10 PM – 1:40 PM	AOPO Foundation Lunch <i>(Closed meeting for Foundation Board Members only)</i>	TBD
12:10 PM – 1:40 PM	In-House Counsel Lunch <i>(Closed meeting for OPO In-House Counsel only)</i>	TBD

## TUESDAY, JUNE 23<sup>rd</sup> BREAKOUT SESSIONS

TRACK	D-Breakout Sessions	TIME
Collaborative Partnerships	No Cath, No Problem: How OPOs Achieve Record-Breaking Results with MOSAiCC	8:30 AM - 9:25 AM
OPO Operations - Logistics	Precision in Transit: Improving Outcomes through Logistics and Thermal Stability	8:30 AM - 9:25 AM
OPO Operations – Staffing Models	Workforce Solutions: Career Ladders and Strategic Staffing for OPO Teams	8:30 AM - 9:25 AM
Allocation, Utilization, and Preservation	Mismatch Made Possible: Unlocking Transplant Potential Beyond 8/8	8:30 AM - 9:25 AM
Peer, Partner, and Donor Family Support	Engaging Hearts and Minds: Culturally Informed Organ Donation Initiatives	8:30 AM - 9:25 AM
Referral Management	From Determination to Donation: Reducing Variability, Improving Timeliness, and Maximizing Donor Potential	8:30 AM - 9:25 AM
Training & Education	Building the Donation Workforce: Innovative OPO-Led Student and Preceptor Initiatives	8:30 AM - 9:25 AM
Energizing Break with Exhibitors & Poster Abstract Authors will be at their posters. Be sure to stop by and ask them questions!		9:25 AM - 10:10 AM

## TUESDAY, JUNE 23<sup>rd</sup> BREAKOUT SESSIONS (cont'd)

TRACK	E-Breakout Sessions	TIME
Collaborative Partnerships	Partnering to Save Lives: Donation Education for Hospice and Advance Care Planning	10:15 AM - 11:10 AM
DCD, UDCD, NRP	From 'We're Out' to 'We're In': Rewriting the Ending in the OR	10:15 AM - 11:10 AM
OPO Operations	Building Resilient OPOs: Strategic Approaches to Business Continuity	10:15 AM - 11:10 AM
Allocation, Utilization, and Preservation	Cold Time, Hot Data: How Remote Monitoring is Changing Kidney Transplant Logistics	10:15 AM - 11:10 AM
Peer, Partner, and Donor Family Support	From Loss to Legacy: Innovative Programs Supporting Donor Families	10:15 AM - 11:10 AM
Referral Management	Switching It Up: Reimagining Roles and Real-Time Referral Support	10:15 AM - 11:10 AM
Training & Education	Better Together: Peer Review and After-Action Insights for Efficient Donor Management	10:15 AM - 11:10 AM



## TUESDAY, JUNE 23<sup>rd</sup> BREAKOUT SESSIONS (cont'd)

TRACK	F-Breakout Sessions	TIME
Collaborative Partnerships	<b>Bridging the Gap: Living vs. Deceased Donation Education in Dialysis Communities</b>	11:15 AM - 12:10 PM
DCD, UDCD, NRP	<b>Legacy Without Limits: The Impact of Upper Age Donation in DCD</b>	11:15 AM - 12:10 PM
OPO Operations	<b>From Insight to Action: AI-Driven Recommendations and Streamlined Donation Workflows</b>	11:15 AM - 12:10 PM
Allocation, Utilization, and Preservation	<b>No Organ Left Behind: Persistence, Precision, and Progress in Lung Allocation</b>	11:15 AM - 12:10 PM
Peer, Partner, and Donor Family Support	<b>Score a Life: Engaging Young Adults Through Sports and Innovative Donation Campaigns</b>	11:15 AM - 12:10 PM
Allocation	<b>Beyond Age and History: Unlocking New Possibilities in Donation</b>	11:15 AM - 12:10 PM
Advocacy	<b>Protecting Patients, Strengthening OPOs: Advocacy That Matters Now</b>	11:15 AM - 12:10 PM
<b>Networking Lunch with Exhibitors</b>		12:10 PM – 1:40 PM



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Time	Session	Room
1:40 PM – 1:45 PM	Welcome Back	TBD
1:45 PM – 2:45 PM	Validated Metrics	TBD
2:45 PM – 3:30 PM	Break with Exhibitors	TBD
3:30 PM – 4:05 PM	Incoming President’s Address	TBD
4:05 PM – 5:15 PM	Persistent Support, Persistent Gaps: What 30 Years of National Survey Data Means for the OPO Community	TBD

**Please Join us for the AOPO Social Closing Night Event!**

**CLOSING NIGHT EVENT**

# Retro BOARDWALK PARTY

**Tuesday, June 23 | 6:00 - 9:00 PM**