

Dear SPF 2022 Symposium Attendee,

It's almost time to head to San Francisco, CA for the 4th Symposium on Parathyroid Fluorescence (SPF2022)! This meeting will take place February 25-26, 2022, at the Hilton Union Square. Here are a few reminders before you leave for the meeting. Please let us know if you have questions. We look forward to seeing you in San Francisco!

Reminders For All Attendees

- Where Am I Going and How Do I Get There?
 - o <u>Hilton Union Square</u>
 - The Hilton Union Square is located 14 miles from San Francisco International Airport (SFO) and 20 miles from the Metropolitan Oakland International Airport (OAK).
 - Taxi service and ride share (Uber and/or Lyft) are available from both airports to the hotel.
 - The hotel offers valet (\$79.80/day) and self-parking (\$66.12/day), both have in/out privileges

Hotel Reservations

- The hotel reservation cut-off date has passed and rooms at the Hilton Union Square are limited. If you haven't secured your reservation and need a hotel room for the meeting, please contact Deidra Eberle, Meeting Planner, at deberle@facs.org.
- If you find you can no longer attend the meeting and no longer need your guest room at the Hilton Union Square, please contact Deidra Eberle, Meeting Planner, at <u>deberle@facs.org</u> instead of contacting the Hilton Union Square directly. Your room could possibly be used to accommodate another attendee in need of a guest room.
- What Should I Bring To Wear?
 - Business casual attire is suggested. Please note that meeting rooms are often on the cool side. A jacket or light sweater may be necessary.
- Who Do I Want To See?
 - Get familiar with the incredible lineup of sessions: <u>VIEW THE PROGRAM ONLINE</u>.
 - Additionally, I have attached a pdf copy of the program
- Where Do I Pick Up My Meeting Registration?
 - Registration will be located at the Hilton Union Square, at the Yosemite Foyer, Ballroom Level. Badges must be worn to enter meeting rooms.
 - Registration will be available at the following times:

- Friday, February 25: 7:00 am 6:00 pm
- Saturday, February 26: 7:00 am 6:00 pm
- Where will the Symposium take place?
 - The Symposium room is located on Ballroom Level in the Imperial Ballroom. All
 presenters may test their presentations on both days prior to the start of the meeting.
 - Friday, February 25: 8:00am 6:00 pm
 - Saturday, February 26: 8:00am 6:00 pm
- Where will exhibitors be located?
 - Exhibitors will be located at the Hilton Union Square, at the Yosemite Foyer, Ballroom Level
 - o They will be available at the following times:
 - Friday, February 25: 6:30 am 6:00 pm
 - Saturday, February 26: 7:00 am 1:00 pm
 - Additionally, the exhibitors will be available during the networking reception on Friday!
- What is the WIFI information?
 - Username: Hilton Events, Password: ISITES2022
- What is There To Do In San Francisco?
 - Visit https://www.sftravel.com/explore to discover unique attractions, San Francisco's world-class museums, architectural landmarks, sightseeing tours, parks, beaches, etc.
 - Please visit the Hilton Union Square Concierge or peruse your in-room copy of <u>Things to</u> <u>Do in San Francisco</u> to learn about the newest, most popular, best places to dine. There is a plethora of restaurants to experience!

Claim your CME:

Once the conference concludes, you will receive an electronic evaluation form to claim CME credit. After you submit the evaluation, you will receive an email with the certificate.

All evaluations must be completed on or before <u>March 4, 2022</u>. CME certificates will not be issued for submissions received after this deadline.

COVID FAQs

Vaccination Policy:

To enhance the safety for all in-person participants in San Francisco at the meeting, the Symposium on Parathyroid Fluorescence Meeting will be a COVID-19 **VACCINATION REQUIRED** event for all attendees, exhibitors, and staff. Proof of COVID-19 vaccination will be required for all in-person attendees. Masks will also be required for all attendees, exhibitors, and staff (this includes hotel staff servicing our meeting). We will provide rapid covid testing kits on site and encourage attendees to test prior to the meeting.

^{*}Please note, speakers may remove their masks, while standing at the podium.

COVID Testing Centers:

- We have attached a list of testing sites, which are located near the hotel
- Prior to scheduling a test, travelers should confirm which sort of COVID-19 test is acceptable to their home jurisdictions.

A Word of Thanks

The International Society of Innovative Technologies for Endocrine Surgery (ISITES) wishes to recognize and thank the following exhibitors:

Exhibitors

Ascendis Pharma
Boston Scientific
Elesta
Fuji Film
Fluoptics
Medtronics
RGS Healthcare
Sonic Healthcare USA
Stryker

Taewoong Medical USA

Thank you,

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