

48TH ANNUAL MEDICAL SEMINAR ON WORKERS' COMPENSATION

BREAKING BARRIERS EMPOWERING CHANGE

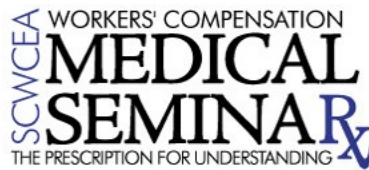


SCWCEA

South Carolina Workers' Compensation Educational Association



FEBRUARY 22 & 23, 2026
WESTIN POINSETT, GREENVILLE, SC



**Westin Poinsett, Greenville, SC
February 22 & 23, 2026**

Learning how to reduce barriers and obtain improved outcomes in workers' compensation claims can be a challenge. Join us for the 2026 Annual Medical Seminar on Workers' Compensation to learn how to navigate some of the complexities.

TENTATIVE AGENDA

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2026

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| 9:00 am - 10:30 am | Exhibitor Set Up |
| 10:30 am – 5:30 pm | Registration |
| 10:30 am – 5:30 pm | Exhibit Hall Open |
| 11:00 am – 12:00 am | Exhibitors' Brunch |
| 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm | Welcome & Opening Remarks
Stephanie Pugh, Esq., President, SCWCEA
McAngus Goudelock & Courie |
| 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm | FCEs in Action: Bridging Medicine, Work, and Law
Carrie Manges, Cora Health |
| 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm | AMA Guides at Work
Speaker TBD |
| 2:30 pm – 3:00 pm | Networking Break with Exhibitors |
| 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm | Transforming Treatment: The Future of Orthopedics
Dr. Kevin Nahigian, Carolina Shoulder and Knee Specialists, LLC |
| 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm | Prosthetic Innovation: What's New, What's Next
Tripp Rice, AOPI Orthotics <i>invited</i> |
| 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm | Reception |



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TENTATIVE AGENDA

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2026

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| 8:00 am – 9:00 am | Breakfast |
| 8:30 am – 11:30 am | Registration |
| 9:00 am – 2:30 pm | Exhibit Hall Open |
| 9:00 am – 10:00 am | Turning the Tide: Innovative Approaches to the Opioid Crisis & Emerging Ketamine Therapies
Dr. Monica Wright, Lind Psychological Associates <i>invited</i> |
| 10:00 am – 11:00 am | Beyond the Impact: Evaluating and Treating Work-Related Head Injuries
Dr. Mohit Datta, Datta Neurology |
| 11:00 am – 11:15 am | Networking Break |
| 11:15 am – 12:15 pm | Unlocking the File: Overcoming Barriers in Medical Records Access
Peter Leventis, Smith Born Leventis Taylor & Vega
Kristie Commings, McAngus Goudelock & Courie |
| 12:15 pm – 1:15 pm | Lunch |
| 1:15 pm – 2:15 pm | From Policy to Practice: Fee Schedule Changes Explained
Ann Margaret Midlands Orthopaedics <i>invited</i> |
| 2:15 pm – 2:30 pm | Networking Break |
| 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm | Update from the SC Workers' Compensation Commission Session
Commissioners from the SC Workers' Compensation Commission |
| 3:30 pm | Closing Remarks
Stephanie Pugh, Esq., President, SCWCEA
McAngus Goudelock & Courie |

GENERAL INFORMATION

Two Ways to Register

Online: www.scwcea.org

Mail: SCWCEA | PO Box 1496
Columbia, SC 29202

Accommodations

The Westin Poinsett Greenville
120 S. Main Street, Greenville, SC 29601

Group Rate: \$155++

Check-In Time: 3:00 pm
Check-Out Time: 12:00 pm

Cutoff: January 21, 2026 or while rooms last!

Only seminar attendees will be allowed to obtain the special group rate. The SCWCEA will remove non-registrants from our room block on if there is not a matching registration.

2026 Membership dues will need to be paid prior to registering to receive the member discount.

Registration Policies

- Payment **must** accompany registration form. **No registration will be processed without full payment.**
- SCWCEA does not offer partial or daily registrations
- Early registration ends **January 21, 2026**
- Individuals who submit registration payment as a current SCWCEA member and are not, will be processed automatically at the appropriate non-member rate.

Membership

2026 SCWCEA membership dues must be paid in advance of all Medical Seminar registrations in order to receive the member discounted rate. To become a member of the SCWCEA, you may download an application from our website at <http://www.scwcea.org/join.html>



Cancellation Policy

If received in writing before **January 21, 2026**, SCWCEA will refund your meeting registration, less a \$50 administrative charge. Refunds will not be made after that date for any registrations or no shows. Cancellation requests should be sent to alexa@scwcea.org. We will confirm receipt of your notification.

Exhibitors

Twenty vendor booths are available during this conference. Exhibitor registration, floor plan and details can be found on the SCWCEA website at www.scwcea.org.

Special Accommodations

If you require special accommodations to fully participate, please email a written description to alexa@scwcea.org.

Continuing Education Credits

CEU's and CLE's will be submitted to the following licensing agencies. Please check the website for updates on hours awarded.

- CCMC/CDMS/CRCC
- NCDOI
- SC Supreme Court – CLE's
- GA Bar - CLE's
- NC State Bar - CLE's

2026 MEDICAL SEMINAR REGISTRATION FORM

Sponsorships & Advertising

During the 2026 Annual Medical Seminar on Workers' Compensation, we will offer several sponsorship opportunities for you to get your name out in front of this group of Workers' Comp professionals.

All sponsors will be recognized in the conference program, from the podium and through signage at the selected event(s). Please select your choices early. The deadline to sponsor is **January 21, 2026** so that we can properly acknowledge our sponsors in the seminar program.

SPONSORSHIP REGISTRATION

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| ☐ Sunday Afternoon Break Sponsor- \$525 | ☐ Monday Morning Break Sponsor- \$525 |
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| ☐ Monday Breakfast Sponsor at \$550 | ☐ Monday Lunch Sponsor at \$750 |
| ☐ Full Page in conference program at \$500 | ☐ Half Page in conference program for \$250 |

Ad specifications will be provided when ad is purchased

REGISTRATION FEES

Registration fees include seminar materials, Sunday brunch and reception, Monday meals and continuing education credits.

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| SCWCEA Member | ☐ \$375 before 1/21/2026 | ☐ \$475 after 1/21/2026 |
| Non-Member | ☐ \$525 before 1/21/2026 | ☐ \$625 after 1/21/2026 |
| Companion/Guest | ☐ \$175 before 1/21/2026 | ☐ \$200 after 1/21/2026 |

Guest/Companion fees have been established solely for a spouse or significant other who accompanies the primary member registrant. This fee will not be honored for co-workers or industry associates. Continuing Education Credits are not issued to companions/guests.

(Please Print or Type All Information Clearly. Duplicate for Each Registrant)

IMPORTANT: The email provided on this form will be used to identify the registrant for continuing education credits. Only paid registrants with matching email addresses will be awarded credit hours.

I am a/an ☐ Adjuster ☐ Attorney ☐ Nurse Case Manager ☐ HR/Safety/Employer ☐ Other _____

☐ Mr ☐ Ms Full Name: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please provide email address to receive electronic updates

Companion/Guest Name for Badge: _____

CHOOSE YOUR EXHIBIT BOOTH



EXHIBITOR REGISTRATION

**Fee includes one registration, one six foot skirted/draped table and electricity if preordered.*

SCWCEA Member

☐ \$635 before 1/21/2026 ☐ \$735 after 1/21/2026

Non-Member

☐ \$785 before 1/21/2026 ☐ \$835 after 1/21/2026

Name of booth representative if different from previous page:

Booth Electricity ☐ Yes ☐ No

Booth Preference (please review floorplan and provide three options)

1st Choice _____

2nd Choice _____

3rd Choice _____

Additional Booth Representative ☐ \$375

Name of additional booth representative:

Payment Method

☐ Check Enclosed (*made payable to SCWCEA*) ☐ Visa ☐ MC (*the SCWCEA does not process Discover or American Express*)

Card #: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Name as it appears on card: _____

Full Billing Address: _____

Where monthly statements are received (street, city, state & zip code)

By signing this form: I authorize SCWCEA to charge my credit card for the total payment due and acknowledge that the SCWCEA registration cancellation policies are in effect.

Signature: _____