

## **2009 ASCO/COG Symposium Policies**

### **Special Assistance**

The Symposium co-sponsors and the Hyatt Regency Dallas at Reunion comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act. If an attendee requires special assistance, please have them contact the ASCO/COG Registration Center at 888-788-1522 or 703-449-6418.

### **Cancellation Statement**

The Symposium co-sponsors reserve the right to cancel this activity because of unforeseen circumstances. In the event of such cancellation, the full registration fee will be returned to each registrant.

### **Equal Opportunity Statement**

The 2009 ASCO/COG Symposium is available without regard to race, color, sex, national origin, disability, age, or veteran status as provided by law and in accordance with the Symposium co-sponsors' respect for personal dignity.

### **Age Requirement for Attendees**

Because of the detailed nature of the programs and forums, no one under the age of 18 will be admitted to any official Symposium function.

### **Important Security and Attendee Conduct Information**

For security reasons, the 2009 ASCO/COG Symposium badge will be required for admittance to all events. Please wear your badge so that it can be easily seen at all times. Lost badges should be reported to the Registration staff immediately. The following badge policies will be in effect throughout the Symposium.

1. The ASCO/COG Symposium badge is the sole property of the Symposium co-sponsors.
2. The badge is non-transferable.
3. False certification of individuals as paid Symposium attendees, misuse of badges, any method of assisting unauthorized persons to gain access to any Symposium event, or any inappropriate or unauthorized conduct will be just cause for repossessing badges of any individuals involved and expelling all parties involved from the Symposium without obligation on the part of the Symposium co-sponsors for refund of any fees.

In addition, individuals who are part of the 2009 ASCO/COG Symposium may not engage in any demonstrations or other behavior that the Symposium co-sponsors deem to be potentially disruptive to the conduct of the Symposium. Violation of this rule is grounds for immediate dismissal from the Symposium and/or ineligibility for attendance at future ASCO or ASCO co-sponsored meetings. Any person who is dismissed from the Symposium may request that the Symposium co-sponsors review the matter, provided, however, that such dismissal will be effective immediately and will continue until and unless the Symposium co-sponsors issue a contrary decision.

**Recording (Audio, Video, and Still Photography)**

Any photography, filming, taping, recording, or reproduction in any medium, including via the use of tripod-based equipment, of any of the programs and/or posters presented at the 2009 ASCO/COG Symposium without the express written consent of the American Society of Clinical Oncology is strictly forbidden. Exceptions to this policy prohibition include non-flash photography and audiotape recording—using hand-held equipment—for strictly personal and noncommercial use, which are permitted if not disruptive.

**Smoking**

Smoking is prohibited in all Symposium facilities, including public areas.

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