

2009 Breast Cancer Symposium Policies

Special Assistance

The Symposium co-sponsors and the San Francisco Marriott comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act. If you require special assistance, please contact the 2009 Breast Cancer Housing Center at bcshousing@jspargo.com.

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 Breast Cancer 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. This includes, but is not limited to, all Symposium sessions and the Exhibit Hall.

Important Security and Attendee Conduct Information

For security reasons, the 2009 Breast Cancers 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 2009 Breast Cancer Symposium badge is the sole property of the Symposium co-sponsors.
2. The badge is nontransferable
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 Breast Cancer 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 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 Breast Cancer 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 and the Exhibit Hall.

2009 Breast Cancer Symposium Co-sponsors

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American Society of Clinical Oncology
American Society for Radiation Oncology
National Consortium of Breast Centers
Society of Surgical Oncology