ASCO Meeting Attendee Policies

By registering for an ASCO meeting, you acknowledge your registration is subject to ASCO’s Privacy Policy. All individuals engaged in any ASCO meeting are subject to the ASCO Event Attendee Conduct Policy.

These policies apply to the ASCO Annual Meeting, Best of ASCO Meetings, ASCO Symposia, and other meetings hosted by ASCO (the “Meeting”). If you have any questions regarding these policies or attendee conduct, please contact the staff at ASCO Headquarters or your Meeting-specific registration and customer service desk onsite or at meetings@asco.org.

SPECIAL ASSISTANCE
ASCO, our Meeting venue, and all official Meeting hotels comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act. If you require special assistance onsite, please contact the staff at ASCO Headquarters or your Meeting specific registration and customer service desk or at meetings@asco.org.

FAMILY FRIENDLY SERVICES
ASCO welcomes working parents and their children to our meetings and events. ASCO offers free childcare for children 6 months to 12 years at our Annual Meeting on a first-come, first-served basis. Walk-up registrants will be accommodated if space permits. Additionally, designated breastfeeding and pumping spaces are available throughout the facilities of our meetings and events. Strollers, baby carriers, or similar devices are permitted in meeting rooms and the exhibit hall as long as they do not block aisles or emergency exits. Parents/guardians whose children remain with them are asked to help maintain a professional, disturbance-free session environment. Children must be supervised at all times. We require that all children are registered and wear a badge or wristband in case the child gets separated from their guardians. At the 2019 ASCO Annual Meeting, parents may register their children at no cost in the ASCO Headquarters office, N427b. Children enrolled in childcare will be automatically registered and their badges will be available for pickup at the Childcare location, Room S106.

MEETING BADGE
For security reasons, your Meeting-specific 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 Meeting:

- The Meeting badge is the sole property of ASCO.
- The badge is nontransferable.
- False certification of individuals as paid Meeting attendees, misuse of badges, any method of assisting unauthorized persons to gain access to any Meeting event, or any inappropriate or unauthorized conduct will be just cause for repossessing badges of any individuals involved and removing all parties involved from the Meeting without obligation on the part of ASCO for refund of any fees.

All ASCO Meeting badges are encoded with basic information about you, including your name and mailing address. Exhibitors can scan your badge to obtain that information. By giving an exhibitor your badge to scan, you are giving them consent to contact you.

CANCELLATION
ASCO reserves the right to cancel the Meeting because of unforeseen circumstances. In the event of such cancellation, the full registration fee will be returned to each registrant.

AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF IMAGE, NAME, AND OTHER LIKENESS
By attending the Meeting or entering the facility in which the Meeting takes place, you agree that ASCO and/or third parties authorized by ASCO may photograph or record your likeness, image, name, voice, and/or words, and may publish, display, reproduce, copy, and distribute your likeness, image, name, voice, and/or words for promotional, educational, or membership activities worldwide in all forms of media now known or later developed, including but not limited to advertising, training, websites, presentations, and marketing materials. You further acknowledge that ASCO and/or third parties authorized by ASCO shall have the right, but not the obligation, to identify you in connection with such media by name and/or affiliation. No royalties will be payable in connection with this authorization or these uses.

RECORDING (AUDIO, VIDEO, AND STILL PHOTOGRAPHY)
Copyright of the Meeting program is owned by ASCO. ASCO reserves all rights associated with the Meeting, including (without limitation), the rights to all recordings or reproductions of presentations at this Meeting and all ASCO meetings and symposia. Any photography, filming, taping, recording, or reproduction in any medium, including via the use of tripod-based equipment, of any of the programs presented at the Meeting without the express written consent of ASCO is strictly forbidden. Exception: Non-flash photography and audio or video recording using hand-held equipment, for strictly personal, social, or noncommercial use, are permitted if not disruptive, as determined by ASCO.

NO SOLICITING IN THE ONCOLOGY PROFESSIONALS HALL OR EXHIBITS ROOMS
The Oncology Professionals Hall at our Annual Meeting and the exhibits displayed at our other Meetings give Meeting attendees the opportunity to meet with representatives from the health care industry about their products and services in a professional atmosphere that is consistent with the educational mission of the Meeting. Meeting attendees are prohibited from soliciting business from other attendees or exhibitors in these areas, unless the solicitation occurs within the specific exhibit space of the attendee.

NO SMOKING
Smoking is prohibited in all Meeting facilities, including public areas and the Oncology Professionals Hall or Posters, Exhibits, and Food Service Room. This policy will be enforced.