



Annual Conference



August 1-3, 2025

Hotel Viata

**320 S Capital of Texas Hwy
Austin, TX 78746**

PHYSICIAN REGISTRATION

	PALamed Texas/TGS Member Rate	Non-Member
Early Bird	\$360.00	\$440.00
July 22	\$410.00	\$490.00

NON-PHYSICIAN REGISTRATION

	PALamed Texas/TGS ALL 3 Days	Non-Member All 3Days
Early Bird	\$260.00	\$360.00
July 22	\$310.00	\$410.00
	SAT. ONLY	SAT. ONLY
	\$185.00	\$210.00

Reasons to Attend

- ⇒ Engaging programming
- ⇒ Network with colleagues
- ⇒ Earn CME/CE/MOC/Ethics/AAFP
- ⇒ Win free registration to 2026 conference

Hotel is \$169/night
Free Parking/WIFI/
Free bottle of wine per stay
Cut off is July 10, 2025

**Student/Resident/Fellow
Registration is \$30**

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PALTmed Texas Geriatrics Annual Conference Agenda 2025

Friday, August 1, 2025

- 7:00am Registration Opens/Continental Breakfast
- 7:55am Welcome & Opening Remarks by TGS/PALTmed Texas Presidents
—Renee Flores, MD (TGS) and Michael Krol, MD, CMD (PALTmed Texas)
- 8:00am *Hip and Knee Arthritis Management and Latest Innovations in Hip/Knee Replacement*
—Gurpreet Singh, MD, MSc
- 9:00am *Evaluation and Treatment of Shoulder Conditions in the Elderly*—John Wickman, MD, MBA
- 10:00am Exhibit Break
- 10:30am *HHSC LTCR Overview* —Renee Blanch-Haley, RN & Mark Kendall, LBSW
- 11:30 am *Medical Malpractice Liability Update* —Brian G. Jackson, JD
- 12:30 pm Sponsored Lunch Symposium presented by Legally Mine (*non-CME event*)
- 1:45 pm *Advances in Alzheimer's Disease* —Arash Salardini, MD
- 2:45pm Exhibit Break
- 3:15pm *Bridging the Gap: Why Hearing Health Matters in Primary Care*
—Maryann Flores Zurrica, Au.D, CCC-A & Terry Zwolan, Phd, CCC-A
- 4:15pm *From F-Tags to Fine Print: Navigating the Latest CMS SOM Revisions*
—Abigail M. Wright, RPh, PharmD, BCGP, MS

Saturday, August 2, 2025

- 7:00 am Sponsored Breakfast Symposium (*non-CME event*)
- 8:00am *New Development in Geriatric Oncology* —Everardo Cobos, MD, FACP
- 9:00am *Wound Care Perspectives: Past, Present, and Future* —Dianne Rudolph, DNP, GNP-BC, CWOCN
KEYNOTE SPEAKER
- 10:00am Exhibit Break and Posters
- 10:30am *The Pain of Behaviors in Dementia* —Steve Arze, MD
- 11:30am *Perioperative Management of Older Adults* —Ezenwa Onyema, MD & Sarah Reichert, DO
- 12:30pm Sponsored Lunch Symposium (*non CME event*)
- 1:45 pm *Prosthetic and Orthotic Prescription Criteria for Geriatric Populations*
—Joshua B. Utay, Ed.D, CPO, LPO
- 2:45pm PALTmed Texas & Texas Geriatrics Society Business Meetings
- 3:15pm Exhibit Break and Posters
- 3:45pm *Addiction Principles in Post-Acute Care Settings* —Norberto Vargas, MD, CMD
- 4:45 pm *Pain Management in the Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Setting* —Norberto Vargas, MD, CMD
- 5:45 pm Reception

Sunday, August 3, 2025

- 8:00am Continental Breakfast
- 8:30am *Management of Inappropriate Sexual Behaviors in Long-Term Care Settings*
—Brian Donley, MD, MPH
- 9:30am *Journal Club* —Lesca Hadley, MD, MBA, FAAFP, AGSF, CMD
—Christian Anthony Burton, MD, MPH, FAAFP, CMD; Katherine Cantu, MD; Ryan Choudhury, MD
- 10:30am Break
- 10:45am *We're Not Falling For It-Physical Abuse or Accidental Injury* —Julia A. Hiner, MD
- 11:45am Closing Remarks by TGS & PALTmed Texas Presidents