

2025 CMSC Annual Meeting
May 28-31, 2025
Phoenix Convention Center, Phoenix, AZ
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Tuesday, May 27, 2025

Date	Start Time	End Time	Room	Session ID	Track	Credits	Session Title	Chair/Speaker
5/27/25	8:00 AM	9:00 PM	Sheraton Phoenix Downtown	FCMSC			FCMSC Mentorship Forum Program and Dinner (by invitation only)	

Wednesday, May 28, 2025

Date	Start Time	End Time	Room	Session ID	Track	Credits	Session Title / Topic	Chair/Speaker
5/28/25	7:30 AM	9:00 AM		ISS1			Independently Supported Symposium 1 National Multiple Sclerosis Society	
5/28/25	9:15 AM	10:45 AM		ISS2			Independently Supported Symposium 2	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM					ROUNDTABLES	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM		RT1			Physicians	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM		RT2			Pharmacists / PharMS	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM		RT3			Nurses and NPs / IOMSN	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM		RT4			PAs / MS-PA	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM		RT5			Rehabilitation Professionals / IOMSRT	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM		RT6			Mental Health Professionals / MS MHP	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM		RT7			Registered Dietitians / MS-RD	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM		RT8			MS Professionals in Training (MS-PiT)	
5/28/25	11:00 AM	12:00 PM		RT9			Diversity, Equity and Inclusion	
5/28/25	11:45 AM	12:30 PM		OPENING			Opening Luncheon	
5/28/25	12:45 PM	1:30 PM		LEC1	MG		June Halper Memorial Lecture: Beyond the Diagnosis: A Legacy of Compassionate, Comprehensive and Innovative Care in Multiple Sclerosis	Marie Namey, APRN, MSCN
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM					CLINICAL COURSES/WORKSHOPS	
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM		CC1	SC		Neuroanatomy for the MS Clinician: Insights and Clinical Pearls	Aliza Ben-Zacharia, PhD, DNP, ANP-BC, FAAN

								Stephen Krieger, MD, FAAN
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM		CC2	PS		Updates in Management of Headache and Facial Pain: What the MS Clinician Needs to Know	Ann Damian Yacoub, MD
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM		CC3	SC		MOGAD in Focus: Diagnostic Criteria and Treatment Strategies	Giulia Fadda, MD, Chair
	1:45 PM	2:15 PM					• MOGAD Diagnostic Criteria and Key Flags	Giulia Fadda, MD
	2:15 PM	2:45 PM					• Current and Emerging Therapies	Eoin P. Flanagan, MD
	2:24 PM	3:15 PM					• Unique Consideration in the Care of Pediatric MOGAD Patients	E. Ann Yeh, MD
	3:15 PM	3:45 PM					• Discussion and Q & A	Panel
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM		CC4	MG		Brain Health and High Efficacy DMTs: A Combination Therapy for MS Clinical Practice	Colleen Harris, MN, NP, MSCN, MSCS, Chair
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM		CC5	MG		Era of Too Many Choices; Starting and Switching	Scott Newsome, DO, MSCS, FAAN, FANA, Chair
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM		CC6	MG		Enhancing the Clinical Neurological Examination	Robert Shin, MD, Chair
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM		CC7	RH		The Interdisciplinary Approach to Wellness in MS	Mary Rensel, MD, FAAN, Chair
	1:45 PM	1:50 PM					• Introduction	Mary Rensel, MD, FAAN
	1:50 PM	2:20 PM					• The Interdisciplinary Approach to Wellness in MS	Mary Rensel, MD, FAAN Alyssa DeCarlo, MS, OTR/L, MSCS
	2:20 PM	2:50 PM					• The Concept of MS Interdisciplinary Care “looping” It Takes a Village	Mary Mazzola, MA, CCC-SLP Ashley Gagliione, PT, DPT, NCS
	2:50 PM	3:40 PM					• Wellness in MS, Interdisciplinary Case Discussions	Panel
	3:40 PM	3:45 PM					• Closing	Mary Rensel, MD, FAAN
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM		CC8	MH		Assessment and Treatment of Sexual Dysfunction	Frederick W. Foley, PhD
5/28/25	1:45 PM	3:45 PM		CC9	MH		Cognition in MS (IMSCOGS collaboration)	Menno Schoonheim, PhD Sarah Morrow, MD, FRCP(C)
5/28/25	4:00 PM	5:30 PM		ISS3			Independently Supported Symposium 3	
5/28/25	3:30 PM	8:00 PM					Exhibit Hall Open	
5/28/25	5:30 PM	7:30 PM					Opening Reception in Exhibit Hall	
5/28/25	5:45 PM	6:45 PM		SS1			Supporter Showcase 1 – Genentech (1)	
5/28/25	7:00 PM	8:00 PM		SS2			Supporter Showcase 2 – Alexion	

5/28/25	7:00 PM	8:00 PM					IOMSN Reception and Nightingale Awards	
5/28/25	7:00 PM	8:00 PM					VA MSCoE Reception	
5/28/25	7:00 PM	8:00 PM					Foundation of the CMSC Reception (by invitation)	
5/28/25	8:00 PM	9:30 PM					"First Night" supported by Bristol Myers Squibb	

Thursday, May 29, 2025

Date	Start Time	End Time		Session ID	Track	Credits	Session Title / Topic	Chair/Speaker
5/29/25	7:00 AM	8:00 AM		ISS4			Independently Supported Symposium 4	
5/29/25	8:15 AM	9:00 AM		LEC2	MH		Donald Paty Lecture: Is It Time to Consider MS Depression a Unique Diagnosis?	Anthony Feinstein, MD, PhD, FRCPC
5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		FUND1	MG		Fundamentals of MS Care – Part 1	Patricia Pagnotta, APRN, MSCN, Moderator
5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		REHAB1	RH		Current Topics and Trends in MS Rehab – Part 1 - Maximizing Brain Health in Multiple Sclerosis	Patricia Bobryk, MHS, PT, MSCS, ATP, Moderator
	9:15 AM	9:20 AM					• Introduction	Brian M. Sandroff, PhD, Chair
	9:20 AM	9:55 AM					• Defining Brain Health in MS	Bianca Weinstock-Guttman, MD
	9:55 AM	10:30 AM					• Evidence for Rehabilitation Effects on Brain Health in MS	Brian M. Sandroff, PhD
	10:30 AM	10:45 AM					• Break	
	10:45 AM	11:20 AM					• Promoting Brain Health Enhancing Approaches in Comprehensive MS Care	Robert W. Motl, PhD
	11:20 AM	11:55 AM					• Maximizing Brain Health in MS: Insights from Real-World Clinical Experience	Augusto Miravalle, MD
	11:55 AM	12:15 PM					• Discussion and Q&A	Panel
5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM					SYMPOSIA	
5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM1	SC		2024 McDonald Diagnostic Criteria Revisions	Ruth Ann Marrie, MD, PhD, FRCPC, FCAHS, Chair
	9:15 AM	9:30 AM					• Introduction	Ruth Ann Marrie, MD, PhD, FRCPC, FCAHS

							History of Diagnostic Criteria and Methodology Used in the 2024 Update	
	9:30 AM	10:05 AM					- Optic Nerve as Fifth Topography - Other Changes to Dissemination in Space and Time	Peter Calabresi, MD
	10:05 AM	10:40 AM					- Fluid Biomarkers - Imaging Biomarkers in Diagnosing MS - RIS	Jiwon Oh, MD, PhD, FRCPC
	10:40 AM	10:55 AM					Break	
	10:55 AM	11:15 SM					Confirming a Diagnosis in Those over Age 50 and Those with Comorbidities	Ruth Ann Marrie, MD, PhD, FRCPC, FCAHS
	11:15 AM	11:45 AM					Clinical Cases for Discussion	Panel
	11:45 AM	12:15 PM					Questions and Discussion	Panel
5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM2	MG MH		The Benefits of Day Programs as Part of Comprehensive Care for People Living with MS	Brian Hutchinson, PT, MSCS, Chair
	9:15 AM	9:30 AM					Introduction to MS Day Programs	Brian Hutchinson, PT, MSCS
	9:30 AM	10:05 AM					History and Evolution of MS Day Programs	Randall T. Schapiro, MD, FAAN
	10:05 AM	10:40 AM					Connection to Combat Loneliness and Isolation	Tiffany Malone, MSW, MSCS
	10:40 AM	10:55 AM					Break	
	10:55 AM	11:30 AM					Incorporating Lifestyle Neurology for People with MS	Barbara Giesser, MD, FAAN, FANA
	11:30 AM	12:00 PM					Outcomes of MS Day Programs	Brian Hutchinson, PT, MSCS
	12:00 PM	12:15 PM					Q & A	Panel
5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM3	SC		Immunology for Non-Immunologists	Scott Newsome, DO, MSCS, FAAN, FANA, Chair
5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM4	SC		Promoting Remyelination in MS	V. Wee Yong, PhD, FCAHS, FRSC, Chair
	9:15 AM	10:00 AM					Introduction and Biology of Remyelination	V. Wee Yong, PhD, FCAHS, FRSC
	10:00 AM	10:40 AM					Remyelination in MS	Tanja Kuhlmann, MD
	10:40 AM	10:55 AM					Break	
	10:55 AM	11:35 AM					Translational Medicine for Remyelination	Peter Calabresi, MD
	11:35 AM	12:15 PM					Emerging Serum and Imaging Biomarkers to Monitor Remyelination in MS	Ahmed Abdelhak, MD
5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM5	MH		Patient Centered Cognitive Rehabilitation	Terry Lee-Wilk, PhD
5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM6	MG		Menopause as a Modifiable Risk Factor	Ruth Stross, RGN

5/29/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM7			Pediatric MS	Yolanda Wheeler, PhD, CRNP, CPNP-AC, MSCN, Chair
5/29/25	11:30 AM	2:45 PM	Exhibit Hall				Exhibit Hall Open	
5/29/25	12:15 PM	1:45 PM					Luncheon	
5/29/25	12:30 PM	2:30 PM					FCMSC Scholar Recognition Luncheon (by invitation only)	
5/29/25	12:30 PM	1:30 PM		SS3			Supporter Showcase 3 – Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation	
5/29/25	1:45 PM	2:45 PM		SS4			Supporter Showcase 4 – Sanofi	
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM					PLATFORMS	
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM		PLAT1	MS RS SC		Disease Management Platforms	
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM		PLAT2	MS RS SC		Disease Modifying Therapies Platforms	
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM		PLAT3	MH RS		Psychosocial Platforms	
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM		PLAT4	RH RS		Rehabilitation Platforms	
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM		PLAT5	MG RS TC		Neuroimaging Platforms	
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM					CLINICAL COURSES/WORKSHOPS	
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM		CC10	WE		Wellness in MS: Mindfulness & Coaching	Aliza Ben-Zacharia, PhD, DNP, ANP-BC, FAAN
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM		CC11	MG		International Perspectives on the Importance of Multidisciplinary Approach to Nutrition Care for MS	Olivia Willis, APD, PhD(C), Chair
	3:00 PM	3:30 PM					Dietary Factors in MS Onset and Progression	Karen Zozsak, BMath (Comp Sci), BND, PhD Candidate, APD
	3:30 PM	4:00 PM					Integrating Dietitians into the MS Care Team: Real-life Case Studies and Experience	Olivia Willis, APD, PhD(C)
	4:00 PM	4:20 PM					The Consumer Voice: Partnering with People Living with MS and HCP's in Research and Practice	Shoroog Allogmanny, APD, PhD(C)
	4:20 PM	4:40 PM					Where We are Headed: The Future with Shared Decision-making	Yasmine Probst, Assoc/Prof, PhD, AdvAPD, FAIDH
	4:40 PM	5:00 PM					Q & A	Panel
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM		CC12	MG		The Power of Prevention: A Focus on Immunology, Vaccine Recommendations and Infection Management	Jacquelyn Bainbridge, PharmD, FCCP, MSCS
5/29/25	3:00 PM	5:00 PM		CC13			Open	

5/29/25	4:30 PM	7:45 PM					Exhibit Hall Open	
5/29/25	5:00 PM	7:00 PM					Poster Session / Dinner – authors required to stand by their work from 6-7	
5/29/25	5:30 PM	6:30 PM		SS5			Supporter Showcase 5 – Genentech (2)	
5/29/25	6:45 PM	7:45 PM		SS6			Supporter Showcase 6	
5/29/25	7:45 PM	10:00 PM		GIANTS			Giants of MS Care Recognition Program Sponsored by Neurology Live in collaboration with the CMSC	

Friday, May 30, 2025

Date	Start Time	End Time	Room	Session ID	Track	Credits	Session Title / Topic	Chair/Speaker
5/30/25	6:00 AM	7:00 AM					Yoga (sponsored by the Foundation of the CMSC)	
5/30/25	7:00 AM	8:00 AM		ISS5			Independently Supported Symposium 5	
5/30/25	8:15 AM	9:00 AM		LEC3	SC		John Whitaker Lecture:	
5/30/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		FUND2	MG		Fundamentals of MS Care – Part 2	Patricia Pagnotta, APRN, MSCN, Moderator
5/30/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		REHAB2	RH		Current Topics and Trends in MS Rehab – Part 2 – Rehab Interventions	Patricia Bobryk, MHS, PT, MSCS, ATP, Moderator Sarah Donkers, BSc, MPT, MSc, PhD, Chair
5/30/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM8	SC		Whitaker Invited Lectures	Ahmed Zayed Obeidat, MD, PhD, Chair
5/30/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM9	SC		The Evolving Field of Fluid Biomarkers for Managing MS	Mark Freedman, HBSc, MSc, MD, CSPQ, FAAN, FRCPC, Chair
5/30/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM10	SC		Genetic Predictors of MS Risk and Prognosis: Research Updates and a Path Forward	Kathryn Fitzgerald, ScD, Chair
5/30/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM11	MG		Developing Effective Models of Care for People Living with Advanced MS	Rachael Stacom, ANP-BC, MSN, MSCN, Chair
	9:15 AM	9:20 AM					• Introduction	Rachael Stacom, ANP-BC, MSN, MSCN
	9:20 AM	10:00 AM					• Developing a Care Management Model: Using Data to Improve Systems of Care and Improve Health Outcomes	Rachael Stacom, ANP-BC, MSN, MSCN
	10:00 AM	10:40 AM					• Approach to Symptom Management in Advanced MS	Stephen Krieger, MD

	10:40 AM	10:55 AM					• Break	
	10:55 AM	11:35 AM					• Using Adaptive Equipment and Assistive Technology to Maximize Function in Advanced MS	Elaine Castelluccio, PT, MPT, MSCS, CDP
	11:35 AM	12:15 PM					• A Home-based Model of Care Serving Individuals Living with MS and Significant Disability	Renee Stewart, APRN-NP, DNP
5/30/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM12	MG		Optimizing DMT Management in Multiple Sclerosis: Addressing Challenges and Enhancing Patient Care <i>Organized by the VA MS Centers of Excellence</i>	Francesca Bagnato, MD, PhD, Chair
	9:15 AM	9:20 AM					• Introduction	Francesca Bagnato, MD, PhD
	9:20 AM	10:00 AM					• DMTs in the MS Spectrum: Navigating Phenotypes, Aging, and Perioperative Challenges	Carolyn J. Bevan, MD
	10:00 AM	10:30 AM					• Understanding Infection Risks in MS: Identifying High-Risk Patients on DMTs	Anza Memon, MD, FAAN
	10:30 AM	10:45 AM					• Break	
	10:45 AM	11:15 AM					• Vaccination in MS: Strategies for Maximizing Efficacy and Safety	Suma Shah, MD
	11:15 AM	11:45 AM					• Intervention Implementation: Where the Rubber Meets the Road	Heidi Maloni, PhD, CNRN
	11:45 AM	12:10 PM					• Q&A and Discussion	Panel
	12:10 PM	12:15 PM					• Closing Remarks	Francesca Bagnato, MD, PhD
5/30/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM13	MH		What Does the Brain Tell Us About Fatigue? Clinical Implications	John DeLuca, PhD, ABPP, FACRM, FAPA, FAPS, FNAN, Chair
5/30/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM14	MG		Unlocking Relief: MS Symptom Management Strategies	Jenelle H. Montgomery, PharmD, BCACP, CPP, Chair
5/30/25	11:00 AM	2:00 PM					Exhibit Hall Open	
5/30/25	12:15 PM	1:45 PM					Luncheon	
5/30/25	12:30 PM	2:00 PM		VA			VA MSCoE Business Meeting	
5/30/25	12:30 PM	1:00 PM		SS7			Supporter Showcase 7	
5/30/25	1:15 PM	1:45 PM		SS8			Supporter Showcase 8	
5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM		FUND3	MG		Fundamentals of MS Care – Part 3	Beverly Layton, RN, BSN, MSCN, Moderator

5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM		REHAB3	RH		Current Topics and Trends in MS Rehab – Part 3 – Network Failure and Behavioral Interventions in Multiple Sclerosis	Patricia Bobryk, MHS, PT, MSCS, ATP, Moderator Brian M. Sandroff, PhD, Chair
	2:45 PM	2:50 PM					• Introduction	Brian M. Sandroff, PhD
	2:50 PM	3:25 PM					• The Network Collapse as a Framework for Understanding Clinical Progression in MS	Menno M. Schoonheim, PhD
	3:25 PM	4:00 PM					• Diet as an Approach for Mitigating Network Collapse in MS	Ilana Katz-Sand, MD
	4:00 PM	4:15 PM					• Break	
	4:15 PM	4:50 PM					• Exercise as an Approach for Mitigating Network Collapse in MS	Brian M. Sandroff, PhD
	4:50 PM	5:25 PM					• Harnessing Transcranial Direct Current Stimulation for Functional Recovery and Preservation in MS	Leigh Charvet, PhD
	5:25 PM	5:45 PM					• Discussion: The Path Forward – Preparing for Integration in Future RCTs	Robert W. Motl, PhD and Panel
5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM					SYMPOSIA	
5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM		SYM15	SC		Whitaker Platform Session	Ahmed Zayed Obeidat, MD, PhD, Chair
5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM		SYM16	SC		Novel Imaging Biomarkers in the New Diagnostic Criteria of MS	Francesca Bagnato, MD, PhD, Chair
	2:45 PM	2:50 PM					• Introduction	Francesca Bagnato, MD, PhD
	2:50 PM	3:15 PM					• New Diagnostic Criteria for MS	Daniel Ontaneda, MD, PhD
	3:15 PM	3:45 PM					• When and How to Image Patients with MS	Nancy Sicotte, MD
	3:45 PM	4:00 PM					• Break	
	4:00 PM	4:30 PM					• New Biomarkers: CVS and PRL	Daniel Ontaneda, MD, PhD
	4:30 PM	5:00 PM					• Imaging CVS and PRL	Pascal Sati, PhD
	5:00 PM	5:30 PM					• Clinical Cases for Discussion Panel	Nancy Sicotte, MD
	5:30 PM	5:45 PM					• Closing Remarks	Francesca Bagnato, MD, PhD
5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM		SYM17	SC		Cases in Neuromyelitis Optica Spectrum Disorder and MOG Antibody-Associated Disease	Eoin P. Flanagan, MD, MBBCh, Chair
	2:45 PM	2:50 PM					• Introduction	Eoin P. Flanagan, MD, MBBCh
	2:50 PM	3:25 PM					• Cases in MOGAD Diagnosis	Eoin P. Flanagan, MD, MBBCh
	3:25 PM	4:10 PM					• Cases in NMOSD Diagnosis	Brian G. Weinshenker, MD
	4:10 PM	4:25 PM					• Break	

	4:25 PM	5:05 PM					• Cases in MOGAD Treatment	Smathorn Thakolwiboon, MD
	5:05 PM	5:45 PM					• Cases in NMOSD Treatment	Shailee Shah, MD
5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM		SYM18	PE		Women in MS Care and Their Allies: Building Skills for Thriving in Your Career	Carrie M. Hersh, DO, MSc, FAAN, Chair
	2:45 PM	2:55 PM					• Introductions	Panel
	2:55 PM	3:15 PM					• Post-It Ice Breaker Session: Sharing Ideas and Knowledge Gaps	Panel
	3:15 PM	3:45 PM					• Gratitude As a Way to Build Connections and Other Burnout Strategies	Amy Sullivan, PsyD, ABPP
	3:45 PM	4:15 PM					• Growing in Confidence and in Your Profession	Carrie M. Hersh, DO, MSc, FAAN
	4:15 PM	4:30 PM					• Break	
	4:30 PM	5:00 PM					• Building Your Agility for the Changing Times in Healthcare	Mary Rensel, MD, FAAN
	5:00 PM	5:30 PM					• Is the Grass Greener? ...And Other Common Dilemmas	Mary Alissa Willis, MD, FAAN, FANA
	5:30 PM	5:45 PM					• Networking/Speed Mentoring/Sharing Ideas	Panel
5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM		SYM19	MG		Multiple Sclerosis and Fatigue: An Update and Overview of Clinical Trials and Management <i>Organized by the VA MS Centers of Excellence</i>	Mitchell Wallin, MD, MPH, Chair
	2:45 PM	2:50 PM					• Introduction	Mitchell Wallin, MD, MPH
	2:50 PM	3:25 PM					• Pharmacology: Overview and Update	Mitchell Wallin, MD, MPH
	3:25 PM	4:00 PM					• Behavioral Intervention: Overview and Update	Aaron Turner, PhD
	4:00 PM	4:15 PM					• Break	
	4:15 PM	4:50 PM					• What Does the Brain Tell Us About Interventions for Fatigue?	John DeLuca, PhD
	4:50 PM	5:25 PM					• Intervention Implementation: Where the Rubber Meets the Road	Lindsey Knowles, PhD
	5:25 PM	5:40 PM					• Q&A and Discussion	Panel
	5:40 PM	5:45 PM					• Closing Remarks	Mitchell Wallin, MD, MPH
5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM		SYM20	MG		MS Update 2025-What Everyone Wants to Know in 2025: Exploring the Latest Topics in MS	Patricia K. Coyle MD, FAAN, FANA, Chair Marijean Buhse, PhD, RN, ANP-BC, MSCN, FAAN Patricia Melville, RN, MSN, NP-BC, MSCN

	2:45 PM	3:05 PM					Accurate Family Planning/Counseling for MS and NMOSD	Patricia K. Coyle MD, FAAN, FANA
	3:05 PM	3:25 PM					Current MS Diagnostic Issues	Patricia K. Coyle MD, FAAN, FANA
	3:25 PM	3:50 PM					Data on When to Discontinue Therapy	Marijean Buhse, PhD, RN, ANP-BC, MSCN, FAAN
	3:50 PM	4:10 PM					MOGAD Pearls	Patricia Melville, RN, MSN, NP-BC, MSCN
	4:10 PM	4:25 PM					Break	
	4:25 PM	4:45 PM					Symptom Management-Focus on Gait and Bladder	Marijean Buhse, PhD, RN, ANP-BC, MSCN, FAAN
	4:45 PM	5:05 PM					Late Anti-CD 20 issues (hypogammaglobulinemia, neutropenia, immune colitis)	Patricia Melville, RN, MSN, NP-BC, MSCN
	5:05 PM	5:25 PM					Deciphering PIRA	Patricia K. Coyle MD, FAAN, FANA
	5:25 PM	5:45 PM					Q&A & Discussion	Panel
5/30/25	2:45 PM	5:45 PM		SYM21			Open	
5/30/25	6:00 PM	8:00 PM		CLOSING			Recognition and Closing Ceremony	

Saturday, May 31, 2025

Date	Start Time	End Time	Room	Session ID	Track	Credits	Session Title / Topic	Chair/Speaker
5/31/25	7:00 AM	8:00 AM		ISS6			Independently Supported Symposium 6	
5/31/25	8:15 AM	9:00 AM		LEC4			John Kurtzke Memorial Lecture	Robert Fox, MD
5/31/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		FUND4	MG		Fundamentals of MS Care – Part 4	Beverly Layton, RN, BSN, MSCN, Moderator
5/31/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		REHAB4	RH		Current Topics and Trends in MS Rehab – Part 4	Patricia Bobryk, MHS, PT, MSCS, ATP, Moderator
	9:15 AM	10:45 AM					Session A: Vision Retraining in Multiple Sclerosis	Clotilde M. Hainline, Chair
	10:45 AM	11:00 AM					Break	
	11:00 AM	12:15 PM					Session B: Navigating MS Rehabilitation: Fresh Perspectives and Challenges from Emerging Clinicians	Kasey Melsness, DPT, Chair Andrea Tchir, MSc, OT Megan Coyle, PT, DPT
	11:00 AM	11:15 AM					Shared Experiences from Speakers in Clinical Work Since Onset of Career	Panel

	11:15 AM	11:30 AM					Current Challenges and Barriers to Success and Independence as a New Clinician	Panel
	11:30 AM	11:45 AM					Current Resources and Support Available to Us Currently Based on Location and Globally	Panel
	11:45 AM	12:05 PM					Closing the Gap. Shared Ideas on Mentorship, Managing Expectations, and Preventing Burnout	Panel
	12:05 PM	12:15 PM					Q&A / Feedback from the Audience Including Current MS Clinical Specialists in the Field	Panel
5/31/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM					SYMPOSIA	
5/31/25	9:15 AM	12:15 PM		SYM22	MH PE		When Fulfillment Becomes an Internal Fight: Managing Burnout in Medicine	Amy Sullivan, PsyD, ABPP, Chair
	9:15 AM	9:25 AM					Introductions and Worldview	Amy Sullivan, PsyD, ABPP
	9:25 AM	9:55 AM					Impact of Stress on the Body	Amy Sullivan, PsyD, ABPP
	9:55 AM	11:00 AM					Burnout Stories with Audience Process	Amy Sullivan, PsyD, ABPP Carrie M. Hersh, DO, MSc, FAAN
	11:00 AM	11:15 AM					Break	
	11:15 AM	11:50 AM					Combating Burnout & Time Management for Work-Life Integration	Carrie M. Hersh, DO, MSc, FAAN
	11:50 AM	12:15 PM					Panel Q&A and Audience Participation	Panel
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