



39th Annual Neurosurgery in the Rockies

March 15 - 18, 2026
Grand Hyatt Vail

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Department of Neurosurgery

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NEUROSURGERY IN THE ROCKIES

General Information

Neurosurgery in the Rockies is an intimate gathering hosted by the Department of Neurosurgery at the University of Colorado School of Medicine and the Colorado Neurosurgical Society. Our goal is to provide an environment in which neurosurgeons can exchange ideas, meet new friends, and enjoy the natural beauty of the Rocky Mountains. This conference is designed for neurosurgeons, residents, and allied health professionals who have an interest in the clinical neurosciences. The first two days of the conference will be subspecialty focused in the area of Brain Tumors and the final two days will include general neurosurgery topics relevant to private practice and academic neurosurgery. Special topic lectures will be given by internationally renowned visiting and local faculty. Please contact the coordinator Krystin Martinez; krystin.martinez@cuanschutz.edu for questions

Course Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will be able to:

- Identify recent advances in minimally invasive and open techniques for glioma treatment
- Identify opportunities for multidisciplinary collaboration in brain tumor therapy
- Identify important new technological advancements in the management of brain metastases
- Analyze and translate updates to the clinical practice of vascular, spine and functional neurosurgery to applications pertinent to one's own practice environment.
- Identify current standards of care relevant to community practice general Neurosurgery.

Scientific Program

Sunday, March 15, 2026

4:30 - 8:00 PM Vendor Set-up and Registration
4:00 - 8:00 PM Attendee Registration
4:00 - 7:00 PM Evening Lecture Sessions
7:30 PM Opening Reception

Monday, March 16, 2026

6:30 - 9:30 AM Exhibit Viewing
6:00 - 7:00 AM Colorado Neurosurgical Society Meeting
7:00 - 9:30 AM Morning Lecture Sessions
4:30 PM Exhibit Viewing
4:00 - 7:00 PM Evening Lecture Sessions

Tuesday, March 17, 2026

6:30 - 9:30 AM Exhibit Viewing
7:00 - 9:30 AM Morning Lecture Sessions
4:30 PM Exhibit Viewing
4:00 - 7:00 PM Evening Lecture Sessions

Wednesday, March 18, 2026

6:30 AM Exhibit Viewing
7:00 - 12:00 PM Morning Lecture Sessions
12:00 PM Closing Luncheon
1:00 PM Meeting Adjourns

Honored Guest Speaker:

Walter Stummer, MD

Course Director:

D. Ryan Ormond, MD, PhD

Scientific Committee Chairs:

D. Ryan Ormond, MD, PhD
Kevin Lillehei, MD

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The University Of Colorado School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Colorado School of Medicine designates this live activity for *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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Registration Fees

REGISTRATION TYPE	BY 1/24/26	AFTER 1/25/26
Physician	\$750	\$850
Active CO NS Society Member	\$700	\$800
Residents/Allied Health Professional	\$350	\$400
Additional Reception Guest	\$80	\$95
Additional Lunch Guest	\$80	\$95

Register Here



All registration fees include course syllabus, continental breakfasts, refreshments, Sunday evening reception dinner, and Wednesday luncheon. Spouses/guests are invited to attend the meals for an additional per person fee. Please make check payable to Neurosurgery in the Rockies.

A 90% refund will be made for cancellations up to February 1, 2026, a 75% refund will be offered until March 1st. No refunds will be made for cancellation after this time or for non-attendance. A comprehensive course program of the presentations will be given to each registrant upon check in.

Submit your Abstract by October 31, 2025.
Authors accepted for presentation will have registration fees waived.



Grand Hyatt Reservations

The Grand Hyatt Vail, is a two-hour drive from Denver.

Please visit:

<https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/group-booking/EGEGH/G-ANR6>
to reserve your room. The group rate is \$539 per room per night.
A block of rooms will be held at the Grand Hyatt Vail until
February 16, 2026