



**North Carolina Thoracic Society's
2024 Annual Educational Conference**

Charlotte Motor Speedway

Friday April 26 6:00 - 9:00 PM

Saturday April 27 8:00 AM - 2:15 PM

This educational conference will include several critical care workshops Friday PM and Saturday afternoon. Presentations on Saturday include Mild Asthma, Robotic bronchoscopy in lung cancer, discussion of new ATS spirometry, bias in critical care devices, and fellows' presentations

Target audience: All healthcare professionals, researchers, and others involved in lung health

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AGENDA

Friday April 26, 2024

- 6:00 - 7:00** **Reception/exhibits (heavy hors d'oeuvres throughout evening)**
- 7:00 – 8:30** **Critical care workshop**

Saturday April 27, 2024

- 7:30 – 8:00** **Registration/Exhibits**
- 8:00 – 8:15** **Introduction (Sweta Patel, MD)**
- 8:15 – 9:15** **Keynote – Nicholas Hanania, MD – Mild Asthma**
- 9:15 – 9:50** **Neil MacIntyre, MD - Review of New PFTs Guidance**
- 9:50 – 10:10** **Break, Exhibits**
- 10:10 – 10:45** **Ian Wong, MD, PhD – Critical Bias in Critical Care Devices**
- 10:45 – 11:20** **Connie Palandenech, RRT, RCP, FAARC – Pulmonary Rehabilitation Update**
- 11:20 – 12:10** **Lunch/exhibits**
- 12:10 – 12:45** **Brad Icard, MD – Robotic Bronchoscopy in Lung Cancer**
- 12:45 – 1:45** **Fellow presentations**
- 2:00 – 3:00** **Critical Care Workshops**
- 6:00 – 9:00** **NCTS Reception and Dinner, Product Theatre (Location TBD)**

We Seek to Build the North Carolina Pulmonary Community

and

Advance Lung Health in the State

FACULTY (General Session)

Nick Hanania, MD, MS – Chief of Pulmonary, Critical Care, and Sleep Medicine; Ben Taub Hospital and, Professor, Medicine-Pulmonary Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX

Brad Icard, DO – LeBauer Pulmonary and Critical Care, Cone Health, Greensboro, NC

Neil MacIntyre, MD – Professor of Medicine, Division of Pulmonary, Allergy, and Critical Care Medicine, Duke University School of Medicine, Durham, NC

Connie Palandenech, RRT, RCP, FAARC – Manager Pulmonary and Cardiac Rehabilitation, Wake Forest Baptist Health, Winston Salem, NC

Ian Wong, MD, PhD – Assistant Professor of Medicine and Biostatistics and Bioinformatics, Division of Pulmonary, Allergy, and Critical Care Medicine, Duke University School of Medicine, Durham, NC

FACULTY (Critical Care Workshops)

Faculty to be announced

Likely workshops: Difficult to Manage Airways, Mechanical Ventilation, Point of Care Ultrasound

REGISTRATION

Learners are free (please email ncthoracicsociety@gmail.com to register)

ATTENDEES DO NOT HAVE TO BE A MEMBER OF NCTS or ATS

Fee \$50 (additional \$5 fee by Eventbrite)

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