

REGISTRATION	Early Registration By Wednesday November 11, 2026	Walk-in Registration Friday, November 13, 2026 <i>*Only checks and exact cash accepted</i>
Physician	\$150.00	\$175.00
Nurses/Allied Health Professionals	\$100.00	\$125.00
Residents/Students (non-credit) Must include valid student ID	\$25.00	\$35.00

THOP EMPLOYEES



Registered Nurse, Allied Health Professionals, please scan the QR code to register.
****EXCLUDES Physicians, Nurse Practitioners, CRNAs, PAs**

ALL OTHER PARTICIPANTS

1. Pay Online

Physicians



Nurse/Allied Health Professionals



Residents/Students



2. Pay In-Person-complete registration form below:

- Credit cards, cash and checks will be accepted
 - The Hospitals of Providence, Sierra Campus 1625 Medical Center Dr., El Paso, TX 79902
 - Cashier's Office, located by the main entrance registration area, first floor
 - Open Monday-Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 - Checks payable to The Hospitals of Providence
 - Submit registration form with your payment

3. Walk-In Registration | November 13, 2026

- Extra fee applied, please only exact cash or personal checks

Name

Business Address

City State Zip

Title/Medical Specialty

Business Phone

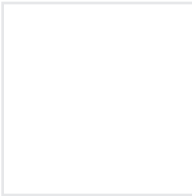
Email Address for confirmation

Registration Policy

To receive the discounted price, THOP must receive registration and payment by Wednesday, November 11, 2026. Registrations after Nov. 11th will be taken at the door only [exact cash or check please]. NO refunds will be provided. **THOP employees must register by Nov. 11, 2026.** Questions? Please call THOP Sierra Education office at **915-747-2776** or email christina.castaneda@tenethealth.com



2001 N. Oregon St., El Paso, TX 79902



32nd Annual Pediatric and Neonatal Symposium



Radisson Hotel El Paso Airport
1770 Airway Blvd.
El Paso, TX 79925



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Friday, November 13, 2026

AGENDA	
7 a.m.	Registration / Breakfast / Visit Exhibits
7:50 a.m.	Opening Remarks / Conference Guidelines
8 – 9 a.m.	Updates on Management of Early, Evolving & Established Lung Disease in Prematurity Dhruv Gupta, MD
9 – 10 a.m.	Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia Brian Mahmood, MD
10 – 10:15 a.m.	Break / Visit Exhibits
10:15 – 11:15 a.m.	Evaluation of Children with Congenital Heart Disease Srinivasarao Badugu, MD Rini Sahewalla, MD
11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Imperforate Anus George Raschbaum, MD, FAAP, FACS
12:15 – 1 p.m.	Lunch
1 – 2 p.m.	Feeding Intolerance and Failure to Thrive Aldo Maspons, MD
2 – 3 p.m.	Changing the Course of Type 1 Diabetes: Screening, Staging and Disease-Modifying Therapies Hector Granados, MD
3 - 3:15 p.m.	Break / Visit Exhibits
3:15 – 4:15 p.m.	Who Cares for Dad? Ethical Gaps in Parental Mental Health *CME Ethics William Hull, DNP, APRN, NNP-BC, RNC-NIC, C-ELBW, CEN, DCSD
4:15 – 4:30 p.m.	Evaluation and Adjournment

Target Audience: Primary care physicians, internal medicine, surgeons, registered nurses, pharmacists and other healthcare providers who treat, manage, and educate the pediatric population.

FACULTY

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Pediatric Cardiology
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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will be able to apply evidence-based approaches to the prevention, diagnosis, and management of common neonatal and pediatric conditions, including prematurity-related lung disease, bronchopulmonary dysplasia, congenital heart disease, feeding intolerance, failure to thrive, Type 1 diabetes and congenital anorectal malformations, while recognizing the psychosocial impact of NICU hospitalization on families to improve patient and family-centered outcomes.

ACCREDITATION AND DESIGNATION

Physicians:

The Hospitals of Providence is accredited by the Texas Medical Association to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Hospitals of Providence designates this live activity for a maximum of 7.0 **AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The Hospitals of Providence have designated the presentation, Who Cares for Dad? Ethical Gaps in Parental Mental Health for one credit of education in medical ethics and/or professional responsibility.

Nursing:

The Hospitals of Providence are approved as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by New Mexico Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

This activity provides up to 7.25 contact hours for the entire conference.

Other Healthcare Professionals

A certificate of attendance will be provided to other healthcare professionals for requesting credits in accordance with specialty societies or other professional associations.

Attendance will be verified through sign-in rosters at the beginning of the conference day. Participants must attend a minimum of one presentation in its entirety and complete the evaluation. Contact hours will be verified when the evaluation is received.

LOCATION AND GUIDELINES

The conference will be held at the Radisson Hotel El Paso Airport, 1770 Airway Blvd., El Paso, TX 79925. Dress is business casual. We recommend you bring a light jacket or sweater, as the conference room temperature is difficult to regulate. Please, no children allowed.

The conference planning committee reserves the right to cancel this activity or substitute faculty in the event of unforeseen or extenuating circumstances.

The Hospitals of Providence wants to provide individuals who have disabilities the appropriate services necessary to participate in this conference. If there is a need for any auxiliary aids/services or dietary needs, please make your request to the Education office at least 48 hours prior to the conference by calling **915-747-2776**.

PLANNING COMMITTEE

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