SOCIETY OF THORACIC SURGEONS

Intermacs/Pedimacs Quality Assurance Webinar

April 25, 2024
AGENDA

- Welcome and introductions
- STS housekeeping
- Open Discussion
  - Please use the Q&A Function
  - We will answer as many questions as possible
  - We encourage your feedback and want to hear from you!
• Data Entry Deadline for Q1 - April 30th

• Intermacs/Pedimacs User Group Webinar - Wednesday May 29th @ 1pm CT
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Schedule

- Wednesday, September 11 - Intermacs/Pedimacs
- Wednesday, September 11 - General Thoracic
- Thursday, September 12 - Adult Cardiac
- Friday, September 13 - Congenital Heart
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- Wednesday, September 11th - Intermacs/Pedimacs
- In-person pricing and virtual pricing
  - Early bird discount through May 16th
  - Option for one day, two day or three day registration

### In-Person Pricing

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### Virtual Pricing

For those unable to travel to Nashville, STS offers a virtual registration option. Registrants who choose the “virtual pass” will gain access to on-demand content and e-posters online before AQO and the recorded archive of all sessions following the conclusion of the meeting. (The virtual pass does not include live streaming.)

In the months after the meeting, each registry will host an AQO Hot Topics webinar. We will bring back meeting speakers and give virtual attendees a chance to ask questions. Conversations will touch on valuable research and best practices from STS National Database professionals, all to improve data collection and patient outcomes.

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Hotel Arrangements

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Loews Vanderbilt Hotel (2100 West End Ave., Nashville, TN 37203). The special AQO group rate of $299, plus state and local taxes, is guaranteed through Wednesday, August 21, or until the group block is sold out. Guest rooms reserved after the cutoff date or when the room block is sold out are subject to hotel availability.

How to Reserve a Room in the STS Block:
1) Reserve online
2) Call 877-879-7818. Remember to reference “AQO” or “Advances in Quality and Outcomes.”
POLL TIME!

- Are you planning to attend AQO in 2024?
  - Answer options:
    - Yes, in-person
    - Yes, virtually only
    - Yes, undecided on which option
    - No, not able to attend
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