

# ACLI MEDICAL CONFERENCE 2025

March 15 - 17

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## ACLI MEDICAL CONFERENCE 2025 AGENDA

*\*Subject to change, as of March 10, 2025*

SATURDAY, MARCH 15

2:00 – 3:00 PM **REGISTRATION**

3:30 – 5:00 PM **JOINT BOARD OF MANAGERS AND MEMBERSHIP & MEDICAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING**

6:00 – 7:00 PM **WELCOME RECEPTION**

7:15 PM **BOARD OF MANAGERS DINNER** *(By invitation only)*

SUNDAY, MARCH 16

7:00 AM – 12:35 PM **REGISTRATION**

7:00 – 7:45 AM **BREAKFAST**

7:55 AM **WELCOME/OPENING REMARKS**

8:00 – 9:00 AM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION #1 - PRIMARY ALDOSTERONISM- THE NEGLECTED ENDOCRINE DISEASE**

Speaker:

**Robert Galagan, M.D.**

9:00 – 10:00 AM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION #2 – THE EFFECTS OF EARLY LIFE EXPERIENCES ON MORBIDITY AND MORTALITY**

Speaker:

**Charles Zeanah, M.D.**

10:00 – 10:15 AM **REFRESHMENT BREAK**

10:15 – 11:15 AM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION #3 – COMPREHENSIVE MS CARE**

Speaker:

**Elizabeth Crabtree, M.D.**

11:15AM–12:15PM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION #4 – TESTOSTERONE THERAPY**

Speaker:

**Lawrence Jenkins, M.D.**

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12:15 – 12:30 PM REFRESHMENT BREAK

12:30 – 1:30 PM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION #5 - MEDICAL DIRECTORS AND INNOVATION: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES**

The Medical Director's role in driving and vetting Innovation is evolving. How do we partner with colleagues from diverse disciplines (internal and external) to assess perceived vs actual value and become catalysts for innovation? This session will examine the challenges and visions for the future role of the medical director.

Moderator:

**Nico van Zyl**, MD, Assistant Vice President & Medical Director, Hannover Re Markets, RGA

Speakers:

**Brandon May**, Vice President and Chief Medical Officer, Northwestern Mutual

**Dave Rengachary**, MD, Senior Vice President, Head of Underwriting, US Individual Life, RGA

**Nicole Simpson**, MD, Head of Medical, MassMutual

1:35 PM AFTERNOON FREE/ON YOUR OWN

MONDAY, MARCH 17

7:00 AM – 5:00 PM **REGISTRATION**

7:00 – 7:45 AM **BREAKFAST**

7:55 AM **WELCOME**

8:00 – 9:00 AM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION #6 - SGLT2 INHIBITORS: BEYOND DIABETES CARE**

Speaker:

**Myra Kleinpeter, MD, MPH**

9:00 – 10:00 AM **SCIENTIFIC SESSION #7 – ADDICTION AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE**

Speaker:

**Smita Prasad, M.D.**

10:00 – 10:30 AM **REFRESHMENT BREAK**

10:30 – 11:30 AM **NAIC FIRESIDE CHAT WITH COMMISSIONER TIM TEMPLE**

Join us for a conversation as we sit down with Louisiana Insurance Commissioner Tim Temple to discuss today's most pressing topics. of the day.

Moderator:

**Dave Rengachary, MD**, Senior Vice President, Head of Underwriting, RGA

Speaker:

**Tim Temple**, Commissioner, Louisiana Department of Insurance

11:30 AM – 12:15 PM **LUNCH/BUSINESS SECTION MEETING**

12:35 – 12:40 PM **MEDICAL ISSUES COMMITTEE**

12:40 – 1:40 PM	<b>SCIENTIFIC SESSION #9 – UPDATES IN DIAGNOSIS AND MANAGEMENT OF FATTY LIVER</b> Speaker: <b>Brian B. Borg, M.D.</b>
1:40 – 2:40 PM	<b>SCIENTIFIC SESSION #10 – DEMENTIA AND COGNITIVE DISORDERS</b> Speaker: <b>Michele Longo, M.D.</b>
2:45 – 4:45 PM	<b>RISK CLASSIFICATION COMMITTEE MEETING</b> <i>ACLI MEMBER COMPANIES ONLY</i>
5:00 PM	<b>FORMAL PROGRAMMING ADJOURNMENT</b>
6:30 PM	<b>RECEPTION/DINNER</b>

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