



FSR Regional Sarcoidosis Summit 2026 – Tentative Agenda
Sarcoidosis in Everyday Clinical Practice: Identification & Care Management
September 26, 2026, 08:00am-03:45pm EST
Sheraton Philadelphia Downtown, 201 North 17th Street, Philadelphia, PA

Register [here](#)

Complimentary Registration, Breakfast, Lunch, and Accredited CME Credits Provided to All Attendees

This educational initiative delivers a joint accredited CME-certified live/in-person only symposium hosted by the Foundation for Sarcoidosis Research (FSR) and accredited through the University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine. The event is powered by the FSR Global Sarcoidosis Clinic Alliance (FSR-GSCA) and co-hosted with FSR-GSCA Alliance Founding Members, Jefferson Health and Temple Health, and FSR-GSCA Member, Penn Medicine. This program will feature world-renowned sarcoidosis experts in pulmonology, dermatology, and cardiology providing insights into screening, diagnosis, treatment and care management of sarcoidosis patients.

This activity is approved for 7 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits TM

Learning Objectives:

- Improve recognition and diagnosis of sarcoidosis
- Employ diagnostic strategies
- Enhance referral and collaborative care decision-making
- Strengthen evidence-based treatment and monitoring approaches
- Advance patient-centered and coordinated care practices

Section I: Welcome

Sarcoidosis in Everyday Practice – Symptoms, Mimickers, and Diagnosis

08:00am-08:30am **Registration, Continental Breakfast, Networking**

08:30am-08:45am **Welcome Panel**

Introduction to the day's CME program and discussion of the current and future state of sarcoidosis research and clinical care.

Moderator: Rafael Perez, MD, *Emeritus Professor of Medicine, Pulmonologist, Jefferson Health**

Panelists: Rohit Gupta, MD, *Director - Sarcoidosis Program, Pulmonologist, Temple Health**

Behram Khan, MD, *Director - Sarcoidosis Program, Pulmonologist, Jefferson Health**

Mary McGowan, MHRM, *President and CEO, FSR*

Misha Rosenbach, MD, *Director - Cutaneous Sarcoidosis Clinic, Dermatologist, Penn Medicine*^*

Section 2: Sarcoidosis 101

Sarcoidosis in Everyday Practice – Symptoms, Mimickers, and Diagnosis

08:45am-9:05am	Pulmonary Sarcoidosis <u>Speaker:</u> TBD Learn how to recognize the symptoms, conduct a diagnostic differential to rule out mimickers, and determine what tests to conduct for diagnosis of pulmonary sarcoidosis.
09:05am-9:25am	Cardiac Sarcoidosis <u>Speaker:</u> TBD Learn how to recognize symptoms, when and how to screen for cardiac sarcoidosis, and what tests to conduct for diagnosis of cardiac sarcoidosis.
09:25am-09:45am	Audience Q&A
09:45am-10:05am	Cutaneous Sarcoidosis <u>Speaker:</u> TBD Learn about the morphology, mimickers, and diagnostic strategies for diagnosis of cutaneous sarcoidosis.
10:05am-10:25am	Neurosarcoidosis <u>Speaker:</u> Barney Stern, MD, <i>Medical Director, Department of Neurology, Johns Hopkins Medicine</i> [^] Learn about distinguishing neurosarcoidosis from other common neurological conditions.
10:25am-10:45am	Audience Q&A
10:45am-11:00am	Break – Networking Time

Section 3: Therapies and Clinical Management
Sarcoidosis Treatment and Monitoring

11:00am-12:20pm	Treatment & Monitoring Approaches <u>Speakers:</u> Colin Ligon, MD, MHS, <i>Rheumatologist, Penn Medicine</i> ⁺ Jin Sun Kim, MD, <i>Assistant Professor, Clinical Thoracic Medicine, Temple Health</i> [*] Shweta Sood MD, <i>Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine, Pulmonary, Allergy, and Critical Care, Penn Medicine</i> ⁺ Steven Rothenberg, MD, <i>Radiologist, Jefferson Health</i> [*] Learn about the standard treatment algorithm for sarcoidosis, recent changes in treatment protocols, and emerging therapies.
12:20pm-12:30pm	Audience Q&A
12:30pm-01:30pm	Lunch – Networking and Patient/Provider Interactive Session Enjoy complimentary lunch with time to network with colleagues and participate in a learning session with 60+ patients living with sarcoidosis and their caregivers.

Section 4: Care Coordination
Referral and Collaborative Decision-Making

1:30pm-02:30pm	Multi-Organ Sarcoidosis and Multi-Disciplinary Care
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Moderator: Behram Khan, MD, *Director - Sarcoidosis Program, Pulmonologist, Jefferson Health**

Speakers: TBD Cardiologist

Timothy Wilson, MD, *Assistant Professor of Rheumatology, Jefferson Health**

Rohini Samudralwar, MD, *Associate Professor of Clinical Neurology, Penn Medicine+*

TBD pulmonologist

Case-based discussion on how to manage, monitor, and treat multi-organ sarcoidosis and strategies for strong cross-disciplinary discussions for improved patient outcomes.

2:30pm-03:30pm Panel Discussion and Audience Q&A

Moderator: Rohit Gupta, MD, *Director - Sarcoidosis Program, Pulmonologist, Temple Health**

Panelists: Paco Bravo MD, *Associate Professor of Radiology, Penn Medicine+*

Rest of panel TBD

Learn from a multidisciplinary panel on best practices for referral strategies and coordinated care practice.

03:30pm-03:45pm Closing Remarks

Speaker: TBD

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