



**FSR Regional Sarcoidosis Summit 2026 – Agenda**  
**Sarcoidosis in Everyday Clinical Practice: Identification & Care Management**  
September 26, 2026, 08:00am-03:45pm EST  
Sheraton Philadelphia Downtown, 201 North 17<sup>th</sup> 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 <sup>TM</sup>

**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

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**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<sup>\*,^</sup>*

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**Section 2: Sarcoidosis 101**

***Sarcoidosis in Everyday Practice – Symptoms, Mimickers, and Diagnosis***

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| <b>08:45am-9:05am</b>  | <b>Pulmonary Sarcoidosis</b><br><u>Speaker:</u> Kathryn Flack, MD, <i>Assistant Professor of Pulmonary, Allergy, and Critical Care Medicine, Penn Medicine</i> <sup>+</sup><br>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.        |
| <b>09:05am-9:25am</b>  | <b>Cutaneous Sarcoidosis</b><br><u>Speaker:</u> Misha Rosenbach, MD, <i>Director - Cutaneous Sarcoidosis Clinic, Dermatologist, Penn Medicine</i> <sup>+</sup> <sup>^</sup><br>Learn about the morphology, mimickers, and diagnostic strategies for diagnosis of cutaneous sarcoidosis.                                                                         |
| <b>09:25am-09:45am</b> | <b>Audience Q&amp;A</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>09:45am-10:05am</b> | <b>Cardiac Sarcoidosis</b><br><u>Speaker:</u> Kyung Taek (David) Oh, MD, <i>Assistant Professor of Cardiovascular Medicine and Echocardiography, Columbia University Irving Medical Center</i> <sup>+</sup><br>Learn how to recognize symptoms, when and how to screen for cardiac sarcoidosis, and what tests to conduct for diagnosis of cardiac sarcoidosis. |
| <b>10:05am-10:25am</b> | <b>Neurosarcoidosis</b><br><u>Speaker:</u> Barney Stern, MD, <i>Medical Director, Department of Neurology, Johns Hopkins Medicine</i> <sup>^</sup><br>Learn about distinguishing neurosarcoidosis from other common neurological conditions.                                                                                                                    |
| <b>10:25am-10:45am</b> | <b>Audience Q&amp;A</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>10:45am-11:00am</b> | <b>Break – Networking Time</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |

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**Section 3: Therapies and Clinical Management**  
***Sarcoidosis Treatment and Monitoring***

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| <b>11:00am-12:20pm</b> | <b>Treatment &amp; Monitoring Approaches</b><br><u>Speakers:</u> Colin Ligon, MD, MHS, <i>Associate Editor for The Rheumatologist and Clinical Rheumatologist, Penn Medicine</i> <sup>+</sup><br>Shweta Sood, MD, MS, <i>Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine, Pulmonary, Allergy, and Critical Care, Penn Medicine</i> <sup>+</sup><br>Paco Bravo, MD, <i>Associate Professor of Radiology, Penn Medicine</i> <sup>+</sup><br>Colin Dunn, MD, <i>Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine Fellow, Temple Health</i> <sup>*</sup><br>Steven Rothenberg, MD, <i>Vice Chair of Innovation, Department of Radiology, Jefferson Health</i> <sup>*</sup><br>Learn about the standard treatment algorithm for sarcoidosis, recent changes in treatment protocols, and emerging therapies. |
| <b>12:20pm-12:30pm</b> | <b>Audience Q&amp;A</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |

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**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.

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**Section 4: Care Coordination**  
***Referral and Collaborative Decision-Making***

**1:30pm-02:30pm Multi-Organ Sarcoidosis and Multi-Disciplinary Care**  
Moderator: Behram Khan, MD, *Director - Sarcoidosis Program, Pulmonologist, Jefferson Health\**  
Speakers: Sofia Carolina Masri, MD, *Associate Professor of Heart Failure and Transplantation Cardiology, Jefferson Health\**  
Timothy Wilson, MD, *Assistant Professor of Rheumatology, Jefferson Health\**  
Rohini Samudralwar, MD, *Associate Professor of Clinical Neurology, Penn Medicine\**  
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: Genna Braverman, MD, MS, *Associate Program Director of the Rheumatology Fellowship Program, Hospital for Special Surgery\**  
Misha Rosenbach, MD, *Director - Cutaneous Sarcoidosis Clinic, Dermatologist, Penn Medicine\*^*  
Behram Khan, MD, *Director - Sarcoidosis Program, Pulmonologist, Jefferson Health\**  
Learn from a multidisciplinary panel on best practices for referral strategies and coordinated care practice.

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**03:30pm-03:45pm Closing Remarks**  
Speaker: Craig Lipset, *FSR Board of Directors*

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