



Thank you for registering for the 2025 Annual Conference of the South Atlantic Cardiovascular Society/Atrium Health SACS ACHD Symposium. We are looking forward to a great meeting!

Please be sure to have your housing confirmations with you. Kiawah Resort is almost sold out over the SACS conference, and we do not want you to have any problems with your reservation.

TRAVEL/RESORT ACCESS

If you are staying at the Villas, the address to Villa Registration is 1 Vacation Way, Kiawah Island, SC 29455 (The West Beach Conference Center, where the conference will be held, is next door to Villa Registration).

If you are staying at The Sanctuary, the address is One Sanctuary Beach Drive, Kiawah Island, SC 29455.

Upon arrival at the gate, the guards will check your reservation and direct you to the appropriate check-in location.

If you are not staying at Kiawah Resort, please advise the security guard you are attending the SACS Conference. You will be given a daily parking pass. *Unfortunately, for guests not staying at Kiawah Resort, or renting through VRBO/AirBnB, you will not have access to Kiawah's pools/parks.*

If you are flying into Charleston International Airport, it is about 33 miles to the resort and should take around 50 minutes, depending on traffic. We have been told there is a shortage of Uber drivers in the Charleston area, so it may take a little longer than average. If you would like to schedule a car service ahead of time, you can call Kiawah Island Resort Transportation:

- For guests staying at the villas or homes on Kiawah, please call 843-768-2790
- For guests staying at The Sanctuary, please call 877-683-1234

SACS CONFERENCE LOCATION/ISLAND TRANSPORTATION

SACS Registration, Thursday Meet and Greet with Exhibitors and Welcome Reception, all educational talks and exhibits and the Closing Brunch will be West Beach Conference Center, located at 2 Shipwatch Road. Some GPS systems will not recognize this address; you may also use the address 1 Vacation Way (the conference center is next to Villa Check-In). There is parking available or (if you booked your accommodations through Kiawah Resort) you may use Kiawah's shuttle service, which circulates throughout the Resort. Use the On-Island Transportation button on your phone in the villas. At Sanctuary, speak w/the valet at the bell stand. Kiawah Transportation begins at 7AM, but SACS has added additional shuttles starting at 6AM on Friday, Saturday and Sunday mornings.

SACS Registration will open at 1:00pm on Thursday, July 17, in the Grand Hall (West Beach Conference Center).

SACS BEACH

Meet other families at “SACS Beach!” This informal gathering spot will be set up in front of The Sanctuary Hotel on Friday and Saturday starting at 10AM. Identified with signs with the SACS logo - the beach chairs and umbrellas are available for all attendees on a first come first served basis. There will be 20 umbrellas with 2 chairs each.

SACS GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Golf tournament on Friday is open to all attendees but pre-registration (\$175) is required. If you have not already registered and you want to play, please email us at heather@sacsconference.com and we will invoice you upon arrival. On Site registrations will be accepted on a space available basis.

If you want to schedule your own golf outing, this link may be useful.

<https://kiawahresort.com/golf/>

SACS TENNIS & PICKLEBALL

We have reserved two courts for Pickleball from 1:30pm – 3:00pm on Friday and Saturday. A pro will be on hand as well. All levels are welcome to participate in informal round robin formats. Additionally, we have tennis courts reserved from 3:00pm – 4:00pm. There will be a sign up at the SACS registration desk to help us gauge the number of attendees, but pre-registration is not required.

Tennis and Pickleball are located at the Roy Barth Tennis Center.

RECREATION

The Resort offers a wide variety of recreational activities, bike rentals and more. For details, visit the Kiawah Island website at:

<https://kiawahresort.com/>

Because the Resort is so busy in July, we recommend that you make reservations ahead of time for your recreational activities.

DINING

SACS has a Friday cookout and a Saturday dinner, but if you are making plans for other evenings, there are several options at the Resort. We recommend making reservations ahead of time.

<https://kiawahresort.com/dining/>

ATTIRE

- Dress for the educational sessions is business casual.
- Thursday and Friday evening's functions are casual.
- Saturday night's reception and dinner is Resort Casual. Coats are requested, ties are optional for gentlemen.

SACS SOCIAL EVENTS/RSVP:

Families are welcome at the SACS social events but require a separate registration. Adult Guests are \$200; Children ages 5-18 are \$50.00 each. The registration fee includes: Thursday Meet & Greet Reception, Welcome Reception, Friday Family Cookout, Saturday Dinner (adults) and Youth Party* (4 – 13 for children whose parents are at the dinner) and the Sunday Brunch. We STRONGLY ENCOURAGE you to pre-register guests so we can more accurately forecast attendance at our events. (Please email the information to us at heather@sacsconference.com and we will update your records and invoice you upon arrival.) Limited on-site registrations will be available.

**Please note that you must pre-register for the Youth Party and there is a \$25 per child fee.*

If you have not filled out the participation form online, please let the SACS Registration Desk know and you can fill it out there.

CASE OF THE YEAR COMPETITIONS

All SACS attendees are encouraged to participate in the Sunday “Case of the Year”. Bring imaging cases as well as procedural cases. We will have TWO awards. Bring your best case and sign up at the SACS Registration Desk!

SCHEDULE

All talks are open to all attendees. (SACS attendees may participate in the ACHD program and vice versa.)

Thursday, July 17

1:00pm – 7:30pm	Registration Grand Hall
3:00pm – 4:00pm	Steering Committee Meeting Sweetgrass (West Beach Conference Center)
	Hands-On/Demo Tables Grand Foyer (by appointment w/each company, sign up at registration)
4:30pm – 5:30pm	Meet and Greet with Exhibitors (open to all attendees) Carolina Ballroom 1-4 & Grand Hall
5:30pm – 6:30pm	Cases and Cocktails Carolina Ballroom 6
6:30pm – 7:30pm	Welcome Reception Carolina Ballroom 5 & Grand Hall

Friday, July 18

6:00am – 5:30pm	Registration Grand Hall Hands-On/Demo Tables Grand Foyer (by appointment w/each company, sign up at registration)
6:15am – 12:20pm	Exhibits Open with Continental Breakfast & Breaks Carolina Ballroom 1-4
7:00am – 12:20pm	SACS Talks Carolina Ballroom 5 & 6
10:00am – 6:00pm	SACS Beach Beach at Sanctuary Hotel
12:20pm – 1:20pm	Medtronic Lunch Symposium Azalea 4 & 5 (West Beach Conference Center)
1:00pm	Dr. Peter Gazes Golf Tournament (must be pre-registered) Turtle Point Golf Course
1:30pm – 5:30pm	Atrium Health SACS ACHD Symposium (ALL educational talks – SACS and ACHD – are open to all attendees) For details visit https://sacsconference.com/achd/ Carolina Ballroom 6
1:30pm – 3:00pm	Pickleball (Round Robin)
3:00pm – 4:00pm	Tennis
6:30pm – 9:00pm	Family Cookout/Dinner Mingo Point

Saturday, July 19

6:00am – 6:00pm	Registration Grand Hall Hands-On/Demo Tables Grand Foyer (by appointment w/each company, sign up at registration)
6:00am – 12:05pm	Exhibits Open with Continental Breakfast & Breaks Carolina Ballroom 1-4
7:00am – 12:05pm	SACS Talks

Carolina Ballroom 5 & 6

12:15pm – 1:15pm BMS Lunch Symposium
Azalea 4 & 5 (West Beach Conference Center)

1:30pm – 6:00pm Atrium Health SACS ACHD Symposium
(ALL educational talks – SACS and ACHD – are open to all attendees)
For details visit <https://sacsconference.com/achd/>
Carolina Ballroom 6

1:30pm – 3:00pm Pickleball

3:00pm – 4:00pm Tennis

6:30pm – 10:00pm Youth Program (ages 4 – 13)
Night Heron Pavilion
Children must be pre-registered to attend. There is a \$25 per child fee. Please RSVP at SACS Registration Desk (if you haven't already signed up) if your children are planning to attend the Youth Party. We need the ages of the children and a headcount to insure we have adequate staffing.

SACS cannot provide childcare for children under 4, but this can be arranged through outside vendors that Kiawah Island Resort recommends:

Perfectly Poppins (Owner: Michelle Barbera)

Website: <https://perfectlypoppins.net/>

Phone: 843-898-0707

Email: michelle@perfectlypoppins.net

Your Happy Nest

Website: <https://www.yourhappynest.com/charleston-childcare>

Phone: 843-400-3025

Kiawah also has a list of employees of the Resort who can babysit at night. If you are interested in this list, you can find it at the SACS Registration Desk.

7:00pm – 11:00pm Reception and Dinner/Dancing
Grand Oaks Ballroom
Sanctuary Hotel

Sunday, July 20

7:30am – 10:00am Registration
Grand Hall

7:30am – 10:00am Exhibits Open with Breaks
Carolina Ballroom 1 - 4

8:00am – 9:15am SACS Talks

9:15am – 10:00am Case of the Year

9:30am – 11:00am Farewell Buffet Brunch (no program; drop by whenever you are ready)
Azalea 1 – 5 (West Beach Conference Center)