

On behalf of the American College of Rheumatology (ACR) and the Association of Rheumatology Professionals (ARP), we are pleased to invite you to attend ACR Convergence 2025, which will be held October 24–29 in Chicago, Illinois.

ACR Convergence is the world's premier rheumatology experience, featuring hundreds of sessions to educate professionals in every segment of the field. In addition to providing excellent content and cutting-edge research, ACR Convergence provides opportunities for professionals to connect and collaborate. ACR Convergence will be hosted in person, with opportunities to view select content online.

In the vast world of medicine, rheumatology is a relatively small specialty. Yet, our global collegiality is unsurpassed, and our attendees greatly value the opportunity to meet and network with colleagues. We are excited to learn from you this year, and your participation will help expand the data exchange critical to improving patient care worldwide. Although the ACR does not provide financial support or cover expenses for attendees, discounted rates are available through August 22, 2025.

To ensure your participation, we suggest you review the visa requirements for travel to the United States as soon as possible. Visa applications are subject to a greater degree of review than in the past, so it is essential to apply for a visa well before your travel departure date. We recommend visiting travel.state.gov for information on the visa application process, including the nearest U.S. Embassy or Consulate, estimated wait times, applications, and processing fees. Please understand that the ACR has no influence or role in the visa process.

If you need updated information on our meeting plans this year, including details on our scientific program and related travel information, please visit the [ACR Convergence 2025 website](#). Please accept our best wishes and anticipated opportunity to welcome you to Chicago, Illinois, for this outstanding educational event.

Sincerely,

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