

ACS Cancer Conference 2025

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ASTRO's Collaboration Efforts

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Areas of Collaboration

- Meetings and Education
- Advocacy Coalitions
- Joint Research Awards
- Clinical Practice Guidelines
- Quality Initiatives

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ASTRO's Meetings and Education Collaboration Efforts

- We have a MOU with ESTRO to co-host a session at their annual meeting and our annual meeting.
- We work with ASCO, AHNS, SITC on the Head and Neck Multi-D
- Our members work with ASCO on their GI and GU planning committees
- We have several sessions a year that are reviewed and accepted through the education session process at the AM that involve other organizations. We do not have any official agreements with these folks.

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ASTRO's Advocacy Key Coalitions

- **House of Medicine (AMA and medical specialties)**
 - Federal advocacy and political activity on Medicare, prior auth
 - CPT/RUC Process
- **Cancer Leadership Council**
 - Cancer patient groups focused on federal policy
- **One Voice Against Cancer**
 - ACSCAN-led focus on cancer research funding
- **Source Security Workgroup**
 - Industry groups focus on access to radioactive materials
- **Alliance for Value-Based Care**
 - Provider groups focused on value-based payment
- **Rally for Medical Research**
 - AACR led group on medical research
- **Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors**
 - State radiation control officers focus on licensing issues

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Patient Advocacy and Industry Partners



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2025 ASTRO Joint Research Awards

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PARTNER	PROGRAM
	ASTRO-AstraZeneca SCLC Therapy Challenge
	ASTRO-ACS Clinician Scientist Development Grant (CSDG) ASTRO-ACS Felix Feng Clinician Scientist Development Award
	ASTRO-BCRF Emerging Investigator Award
	ASTRO-MRA Young Investigator Award
	NRG Health Equity Fellows
	ASTRO-AAPM Physics Residents/Postdoctoral Fellows Seed Grant
	ASTRO-LUNGeVity Residents/Fellows in Radiation Oncology Seed Grant

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Clinical Practice Guideline Collaborators



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Collaborators for Quality Initiatives

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ASTRO Representatives serve on:

- Commission on Cancer (CoC)
- National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers (NAPBC)
- National Accreditation Program for Rectal Centers (NAPRC)

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