

2026 ASPO-HNS SUMMER MEETING

THE APP SIMULATION

SKILLS & DIDACTIC SESSION

SATURDAY, JULY 18TH, 2026 | NORTHWESTERN FEINBERG SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

DIDIACTIC SESSION 1:

Time:	Session Title:	Faculty:
7:30 – 7:50 AM	Complex Tracheotomy Challenges	Carol Li
7:50 – 8:10 AM	Otorrhea	Kathy Billings

HANDS-ON SIMULATION EXPERIENCE (ROTATION PERIOD):

8:10 – 9:00 AM | Participants will be divided into four groups: Red Group, Blue Group, Yellow Group, and Green Group. Each group will complete two simulation stations during this block, rotating after 25 min.

#	Simulation:	Faculty:
1	Flexible Endoscopy, Laryngoscopy	Monica Deshpande & Lisa Gagnon
2	Nasal Packing from Epistaxis	Saied Ghadersohi
3	Ear Foreign Body Removal	Taher Valika
4	Suture Station with Pig Belly	Lauren Gute

Time:	Red Group:	Blue Group:	Yellow Group:	Green Group:
8:10 – 8:35 AM	Simulation 1	Simulation 2	Simulation 3	Simulation 4
8:35 – 9:00 AM	Simulation 2	Simulation 1	Simulation 4	Simulation 3

DIDACTIC SESSION 2:

Time:	Session Title:	Faculty:
9:00 – 9:15 AM	Training Curricula for APPs	Laurie Newton
9:15 – 9:30 AM	Academic Promotion and Advancing APP Opportunities	Amy Ashburn
9:30 – 10:00 AM	Radiology: Head and Neck Imaging (Neck Masses and Mastoiditis)	Maura Ryan & Pascale Aouad
10:00 – 10:20 AM	Deep Space Neck Infections	Grace Banik
10:20 – 10:40 AM	Ear Molding	Charlie Lin & Lauren Riggs

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10:40 – 11:30 AM | Participants will be divided into four groups: Red Group, Blue Group, Yellow Group, and Green Group. Each group will complete two simulation stations during this block, rotating after 25 min.

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Time:	Red Group:	Blue Group:	Yellow Group:	Green Group:
10:40 – 11:05 AM	Simulation 3	Simulation 4	Simulation 1	Simulation 2
11:05 – 11:30 AM	Simulation 4	Simulation 3	Simulation 2	Simulation 1

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION:

- Participants will be assigned to one of four groups: Red Group, Blue Group, Yellow Group and Green Group
- Each group will rotate through all four simulation stations during the two hands-on simulations blocks.
 - Each station rotation will last 25 minutes.
- Final group assignments and rotation logistics will be shared at the start of the session.

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