



NATIONAL ACADEMY OF MEDICINE ANNUAL MEETING 2025

2025 Annual Meeting Agenda

National Academy of Sciences Building - 2101 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC

(All times Eastern)

Sunday, October 19, 2025 (Virtual Attendance Only)

- 9:00 am–10:30 am** **Interest Group Meetings (Concurrent Morning Sessions)**
[\[Click Here to See interest Group Chairs and Topics\]](#)
1 – Health Policy and Health Care Systems
2 – Global Health, Infectious Diseases, Microbiology
3 – Neuroscience, Behavior, Brain Function & Disorders
7 – Maternal & Child Health & Human Development
10 – Biology of Aging/Geriatrics
16 – Rehabilitation and Human Function
17 – Primary Care
20 – Firearm Injury Prevention
- 11:50 am–12:35pm** **Awards Presentation**
Gustav O. Lienhard Award for Advancement of Health Care
The Rhoda and Bernard Sarnat International Prize in Mental Health
David and Beatrix Hamburg Award for Advances in Biomedical Research
and Clinical Medicine
NAM Member Awards
NAM Cecil Awards
- 2:15 pm–3:45 pm** **Interest Group Meetings (Concurrent Afternoon Sessions)**
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8 – Health of Populations/Health Disparities
9 – Education of the Health Care & Science Workforce
12 – Nutrition, Diabetes, and Obesity
13 – Cancer, Stem Cell Biology & Transplantation
15 – Human Rights, Professional Ethics and the Values of Medicine
18 – Health and Technology
19 – Climate Change (*Members Only*)

Monday, October 20, 2025

- 8:00 am–9:15 am** **General Breakfast (Tent)**
- 9:15 am–9:45 am** **Introduction of NAM Members, Fellows, Scholars
Awards Recap**
- 9:45 am–10:45 am** **President's Report to the NAM Membership and Presidential
Recognition**
Victor J. Dzau, MD, NAM President

Frontiers of AI & Health: Care, Discovery, and Education

- 11:00 am–11:05 am** **Opening remarks from the Program Chair**
Eva L. Feldman, M.D., Ph.D., Russell N. DeJong Professor of Neurology James W. Albers Distinguished University Professor, University of Michigan
- 11:05 am–11:35 am** **Keynote Address: *From Code to Cure: AI's Role in Transforming
Medicine***
Aviv Regev, PhD, Head, Executive Vice President, Genentech
- 11:35 am–12:35 pm** ***The AI-Powered Evolution of Health Care and Training***
Moderator: Patricia Flatley Brennan, RN, PhD, Emerita Professor,
University of Wisconsin-Madison
Panelists:
Chris Longhurst, MD, MS, Chief Clinical and Innovation Officer, University
of California, San Diego Health
Philip R. O. Payne, PhD, Vice Chancellor for BioInformatics and Data
Science and Chief Health AI Officer, WashU Medicine and BJC Healthcare
Sarah C. Rossetti, RN, PhD, FAAN, FACMI, FAMIA, FIAHSI, Associate
Professor, Columbia University
- 12:35 pm–2:00 pm** **Lunch**
General Lunch (Tent)
- 2:00 pm–3:15 pm** ***Reinventing Research: AI and the Future of Health Innovation***
Moderator: Suchi Saria, PhD, Founder & CEO, Bayesian Health
Panelists:
Lovisa Afzelius, PhD, MBA, General Partner of Flagship Pioneering; CEO and
Co-founder of Metaphore Biotechnologies
Paul Harris, PhD, FACMI, FIAHSI, Vice President for Research Informatics
and Director of the Vanderbilt University Medical Center Office of
Research Informatics, Vanderbilt University
Peter Lee, President, Microsoft Research
Fiona Marshall, PhD, President of Biomedical Research, Novartis
- 3:15 pm–3:40 pm** **BREAK**

- 3:40 pm–4:55 pm** ***Building Trust: AI Governance and Ethics in Medicine and Health***
Moderator: ***Kevin B. Johnson, MD, MS, FAAP, FACMI, FIAHSI, FAMIA,***
David L. Cohen, University Professor of Pediatrics, Informatics,
Engineering and Communication, Perelman School of Medicine, School of
Engineering and Applied Science, Annenberg School of Communication,
University of Pennsylvania; and Vice President, Applied Informatics,
University of Pennsylvania Health System
Panelists:
Robert Califf, MD, MACC, former United States Commissioner of Food and
Drugs, U.S. Food and Drug Administration
John D. Halamka, MD, MS, Dwight and Dian Diercks President, Mayo Clinic
Platform, and Michael D. Brennan, M.D., President's Strategic Initiative
Professor
Eric Horvitz, MD, PhD, Chief Scientific Officer, Microsoft
Vardit Ravitsky, PhD, President and CEO, Hastings Center
- 5:00 pm–6:15 pm** ***President's Forum: Health Leadership in Turbulent Times: Shaping
Science, Medicine, Policy, and Trust in a New Era***
Moderator: ***Victor J. Dzau, MD,*** President, National Academy of Medicine
Panelists:
The Honorable Alex Azar, II, JD, *Former Secretary of Health and Human
Services*
Giselle Corbie, MD, MSc, Senior Vice Provost and Kenan Distinguished
Professor of Social Medicine and Medicine, UNC School of Medicine
Karen DeSalvo, MD, MPH, Former Chief Health Officer, Google
Mark McClellan, MD, PhD, Director, Duke-Margolis Institute for Health
Policy, Duke University
John Nkengasong, PhD, Executive Director, Higher Education,
Collaboratives, and Strategic Initiatives, Mastercard Foundation
Elias Zerhouni, MD, President and Vice Chair, OPKO Health, Inc.
- 6:15 pm–7:00 pm** **Closing Reception**
Great Hall