



ASOT 2026 OPHTHALMIC TRAUMA SYMPOSIUM

The Ophthalmic Trauma Playbook:

Best Practices from Initial Response to Long-Term Recovery

Held in conjunction with the American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting

Friday, October 9, 2026 | 12:30 PM – 5:30 PM

JW Marriott New Orleans, 614 Canal Street, New Orleans, LA

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- Brief opportunity to address attendees
 - Premium exhibit location
 - Enhanced recognition

WHY SPONSOR?

- Supported by the American Academy of Ophthalmology
- Interdisciplinary participation from leading subspecialty societies
- Internationally recognized faculty
- Comprehensive trauma program spanning Minutes to Weeks
- Networking with approximately 140 attendees
- Multiple breaks and networking opportunities

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**Expected
Attendance: 140
ophthalmologists,
trainees, faculty, and
subspecialty leaders**

CME: Not Offered



AGENDA



12:30 PM - 12:35 PM	Welcome and Opening Remarks
12:40 PM - 1:43 PM	Response: Minutes Initial Trauma Evaluation, Emergency Management, Risk & Liability, Patient Transfer Considerations, and Sight-Saving Procedures
1:58 PM - 3:18 PM	Response: Hours Open Globe Repair, Corneal Trauma, Retinal Injury, Neuro-Ophthalmic Trauma, Oculoplastic Injuries, and Pediatric Trauma
3:45 PM - 4:19 PM	Response: Days Traumatic Cataract, Secondary IOLs, Traumatic Glaucoma, Orbital Fractures, and Advanced Retinal Surgery
4:39 PM - 5:13 PM	Response: Weeks Delayed Vitrectomy, PVR Prevention, Mental Health Recovery, Visual Rehabilitation, and Emerging Technologies
5:13 PM - 5:25 PM	Multidisciplinary Case-Based Discussion Complex Trauma Cases, Collaborative Care Strategies, and Society Resource Showcase
5:30 PM	Adjourn

PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS

The symposium is being developed in collaboration with leaders from a broad spectrum of ophthalmic subspecialty societies, including:

- American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO)
- American Association of Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus (AAPOS)
- American Glaucoma Society (AGS)
- American Society of Cornea and Refractive Surgery (ASCRS)
- American Society of Oculoplastic and Reconstructive Surgery (ASOPRS)
- International Society of Ocular Trauma (ISOT)
- North American Neuro-Ophthalmology Society (NANOS)
- Ophthalmic Mutual Insurance Company (OMIC)
- Pan-American Ocular Trauma Society (APTO)
- Society of Military Ophthalmologists (SMO)

PLANNING COMMITTEE

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