



2025 AATB Annual Meeting Schedule-at-a-Glance

With this year's theme, "Driving Progress: Uniting for the Future," the 2025 AATB Annual Meeting will highlight the role of collaboration in sparking innovation and overcoming challenges. By forging meaningful connections and combining our efforts, we can accelerate advancements, celebrate achievements, and address the evolving needs of our industry. This shared commitment to progress unites attendees in shaping the future of tissue donation and transplantation.

Sunday, October 12, 2025

11:00am - 5:00pm	Registration		
2:00pm - 7:00pm	Exhibitor Move-In		
1:00pm – 3:00pm	Processing and Distribution Council Meeting	Physicians Council Meeting	
1:00pm – 2:00pm	Birth Tissue Council Meeting	NADO Council Meeting	Quality Council Meeting
2:00pm – 3:00pm	Accredited Tissue Banks Council Meeting	Donor Family Services Council Meeting	Recovery & Donor Eligibility Council Meeting
TBD	Board of Governors Meeting		
TBD	AATB Board of Governors Reception – Invitation Only		

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Concurrent Session Key

ATBC	Accredited Tissue Banks Council Track
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PHY	Physicians Council Track
QC	Quality Council Track
RADE	Recovery and Donor Eligibility Council Track
REG	Regulatory Track
STAC	Scientific and Technical Affairs Committee Track

Monday, October 13, 2025

6:30am - 5:00pm	Registration	
7:30am - 5:00pm	Exhibits Open	
7:30am - 8:30am	Breakfast (Exhibit Hall)	First-Time Attendee Welcome – Breakfast Included
8:30am - 10:00am	Welcome Remarks AATB Achievement Awards Keynote Presentation: The Blueprint for Innovation: A Transformational Guide to Leadership and Connection	
10:00am - 10:30am	Break (Exhibit Hall)	

10:30am - 11:45am	CONCURRENT SESSIONS I					
	PHY1: Sepsis vs Systemic Infection: A Risk-Based Approach for Donor Eligibility Determination	BTC1: Vaginally Delivered Birth Tissue: Overcoming Past Bias to Expand Acceptance	DFSC1: Supporting the Silent Heroes: Best Practices in Aftercare Services	ATBC1: Empathy Meets Innovation: Using AI Voice Simulation to Educate Donation Professionals for High-Stakes Conversations	Data-Driven Progress: The Opportunities in Tissue Donation	
11:45am - 1:00pm	Lunch & AATB Poster Presentations (Exhibit Hall)					
1:00pm - 2:15pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS II					
	QC1: Uniting Cost and Quality for Sustainable Growth	DEI1: Reframing DEI for Leadership: How to Pivot by Redefining Diversity Initiatives in This Current Environment	RADE1: Staff Retention and Hiring the Right People	NADO1: What I Wish I Had Known When I Started Out in Leadership in NADOs	Global Perspectives on Tissue Donation: Advancing Innovation and Celebrating Unity an AATB-WUTBA Joint Session	
2:15pm - 2:45pm	Break (Exhibit Hall)					
2:45pm - 4:00pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS III					
	STAC1: Advances in Musculoskeletal Grafting: From Bench to Bedside	P&D1: Navigating the Implementation Journey: Practical Strategies for Successful ISBT 128 Adoption in Tissue Banking	BTC2: Navigating CMS Local Coverage Determinations : Implications for Amnion and Placental-Derived Products in Tissue Banking	PHY2: Leaving a Mark: Cutaneous Manifestations of Tuberculosis and Other Relevant Infectious Diseases	DFSC2: Unity in Collaboration: Working Together With External Partners to Increase Donor Rates and Partner Satisfaction	REG1: FDA Inspections and Common Accreditation Inspection Nonconformities

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Tuesday, October 14, 2025

7:00am - 5:00pm	Registration				
7:30am - 8:30am	Breakfast (Exhibit Hall)				
7:30am - 5:00pm	Exhibits Open				
8:30am - 10:00am	Welcome Remarks & Annual Business Meeting Plenary Session 1: From Red Flags to Real Risks: A Multidisciplinary Look at Infectious Disease in Tissue Banking				
10:00am - 10:30am	Break (Exhibit Hall)				
10:30am - 11:45am	CONCURRENT SESSIONS IV				
	P&D2: Environmental Monitoring – Why We Do It, What Does It Tell Us & What Do We Do With the Data?	QC2: Uniting Systems for a Stronger Corporate Strategy	RADE2: Enhancing Tissue Recovery Processes: A Strategic Approach Using Specialized Working Groups	NADO2: Introduction to Auditing for NADOs	REG2: AATB Advocacy in Action: 2025 in Review and Looking Ahead to 2026
11:45am - 1:00pm	Lunch (Exhibit Hall)				
1:00pm - 2:15pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS V				
	ATBC2: Leading With Metrics: Driving Performance in Call Center and Tissue Recovery Operations	P&D3: Effectively Managing Change—Identify And Implement With Key Stakeholder Support	DEI2: Gender Identity Documentation and Reporting in Forensic Pathology and Medicolegal Death Investigation	STAC2: Validating Safety: Innovations in Sterilization and Viral Inactivation for HCT/Ps	DFSC3: Optimizing Donor Services Through Best Practices in Training and Strategic Hiring
2:15pm - 2:45pm	Break (Exhibit Hall)				
2:45pm - 4:00pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS VI				

	ATBC3: The Human Element: Strategic Staffing in Call Center and Tissue Recovery Operations	PHY3: Guardians of the Grafts: Navigating Emerging and Reemerging Infectious Threats in Tissue Banking	QC3: Uniting Teams for Regulatory Success	NADO3: More Complicated Than Schoolhouse Rock! A Personal Experience With the Legislative Process, Impacts of Lobbyists, Providing Testimony, and More	BTC3: Non-traditional Birth Tissue Donation Situations: Acceptability and Legality Issues	CTBS Recertification Process & Q&A
7:00pm - 10:00pm	"Rhythms of the Reef" Social Event at the Georgia Aquarium					

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Wednesday, October 15, 2025

7:15am - 12:00pm	Registration				
7:30am - 8:30am	Breakfast (Exhibit Hall)				
7:30am - 10:45am	Exhibits Open				
9:00am - 10:00am	Closing Remarks				
	Plenary Session II: The Power of Donation: Personal Stories Inspiring Collective Healing				
10:00am - 10:30am	Break (Exhibit Hall)				
10:30am - 11:45am	CONCURRENT SESSIONS VII				
	RADE3: Revolutionizing Donor Eligibility Evaluations With GenAI	DEI3: Training and Support: Employee Retention	STAC3: Birth Tissues in Clinical Practice: Innovations in Regenerative Applications	An Investigation of Potential MTB Transmission from Bone Product with Negative Findings	From Tariffs to Savings: Protecting your Organization’s Bottom Line
10:45am - 2:00pm	Exhibit Tear Down				

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