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AMERICAN ACADEMY OF  
HOSPICE AND PALLIATIVE MEDICINE

**Annual Assembly 2026**  
**Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup> – Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026**  
**Anticipated Attendance: 3,000**

#### Group Description

The American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine (AAHPM) are a professional medical society dedicated to advancing the field of hospice and palliative medicine and improving the quality of care for patients with serious, life-limiting illnesses. It supports physicians and interdisciplinary healthcare professionals through education, clinical practice resources, research, and advocacy, with a focus on relief of pain and symptoms, communication about goals of care, and compassionate, patient- and family-centered care across all care settings.

#### Attendee Profile

Those who would attend The AAHPM Annual Assembly include physicians specializing in hospice and palliative medicine, primary care physicians, and specialists who care for patients with serious illness, as well as advanced practice providers such as nurse practitioners and physician assistants. The meeting also attracts nurses, social workers, chaplains, pharmacists, psychologists, and other interdisciplinary team members, along with healthcare administrators, educators, researchers, fellows, and trainees. In addition, representatives from hospice organizations, health systems, academic medical centers, and industry partners attend to engage in education, networking, and discussions on best practices, policy, and innovations in palliative care delivery.

#### Guest Room Block

| Participating Hotels                          | Peak Room Night |
|---|-----------------|
| Total Peak Nights = 1,386                     |                 |
| Embassy Suites Hotel San Diego Bay - Downtown | 125             |
| Hilton San Diego Bayfront Hotel               | 600             |
| Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego              | 456             |
| Omni San Diego Hotel at the Ballpark          | 205             |

## Schedule of Events

| Date                     | Wed Mar 04   | Thu Mar 05   | Fri Mar 06  | Sat Mar 07   |
|--------------------------|--|--|---|--|
| Attendee Open Meals      | All Meals  | Dinner   | All Meals   | All Meals  |
| Convention Center Agenda |  | <b>6:45AM-7:45AM</b><br>Integrating Spirituality into Clinical Practice: Breakfast with the GW Institute for Spirituality and Health |   |  |
|                          | <b>8:00AM-4:00PM</b><br>Exhibit Registration                     |  | <b>6:45AM-7:45AM</b><br>Cambia Leadership Breakfast   |  |
|                          | <b>8:00AM-5:00PM</b><br>Morning, Full Day and Afternoon Sessions | <b>9:45AM-11:30AM</b><br>Program Sessions  | <b>8:30AM-5:45PM</b><br>Keynote Speakers, Learning & Poster Sessions and Community Meetings | <b>8:30AM-12:30PM</b><br>Plenary and Learning Sessions |
|                          | <b>5:00PM-7:30PM</b><br>Opening Reception with Exhibits          | <b>11:30AM-1:00PM</b><br>Lunch with Exhibits and Posters   |   |  |
|                          |  | <b>12:00PM-7:00PM</b><br>Poster Sessions, Lectures and Job Fair in Exhibit Hall  |   |  |

*\*Schedule is subject to change*

## Off-Site Scheduled Events

No offsite events scheduled.

## Shuttle Information

No shuttle provided.

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