

Saturday, October 24, 2026

Breast & Lung Cancer Symposium

Topics:

- Describe the history, mission, and impact of the Pink and Pearl Symposium.
- Review evidence-based recommendations for breast cancer screening.
- Explain the role of genetic testing and risk assessment in breast cancer care.
- Identify high-risk patients and apply risk-based breast cancer screening and prevention strategies.
- Evaluate breast imaging, including emerging applications of artificial intelligence (AI).
- Identify eligible patients and apply evidence-based lung cancer screening recommendations.
- Discuss recent advances in thoracic surgery and their clinical implications.
- Describe postoperative care, survivorship, and quality-of-life considerations after thoracic surgery.
- Interpret thoracic imaging findings to support diagnosis and management.

3.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)TM will be awarded upon completion of the evaluation for those who want to claim CME.

This symposium is for anyone interested in having information from medical professionals about Breast and Lung Cancer.

- Meet medical professionals who specialize in Breast and Lung Cancer.
- Breakfast and boxed lunches provided.
- Chance to win Raffle Baskets
- Network with vendors and collect giveaways

Speakers:

Neil A. Das Gupta, MD
Allison DePersia, MD
Neeraj Desai, MD, MBA, FACP, FCCP, D-AAIP
Christine Gresik, MD
Ted James, MD, MHCM, FACS
Seth Krantz, MD
Catherine Pesce, MD
Marc Roy, MD
Nicholas Yerkes, MD

DATE: October 24, 2026

TIME: 8:00 am - 1:00 pm
8:00 am - registration /
breakfast
8:30 am - program begins

LOCATION (In-person or Virtual):

Northwest Community Hospital
800 W. Central Rd., Arlington Heights, IL 60005
Auditorium and Rooms 6 and 7

REGISTRATION REQUIRED at

<https://www.endeavorhealth.org/patients-visitors/classes-events/location>
or call

(630) 527-6363

by OCTOBER 12th

Must register for in-person or virtual. A link will be provided to virtual registrants by October 23rd.

Questions? Email

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American Board of Thoracic Surgery (ABTS) Continuing Certification (CC)

Successful completion of this CME activity enables the learner to earn credit toward the CME requirement of the American Board of Thoracic Surgery's Continuing Certification program. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit learner completion information to the ACCME for the purpose of granting ABTS credit.

Accreditation: This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Illinois State Medical Society (ISMS) through the joint providership of Endeavor Health: Edward-Elmhurst Hospitals and Endeavor Health: Northwest Community Hospital. Endeavor Health: Edward-Elmhurst Hospitals is accredited by the Illinois State Medical Society to provide accredited continuing medical education for physicians. Endeavor Health: Edward-Elmhurst Hospitals designates this live activity for a **maximum of 3.50 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)TM**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.