

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS TRAUMA SYMPOSIUM

Friday, November 21, 2025

Hilton Hawaiian Village Waikiki Beach Resort, Coral Ballroom
Honolulu, Hawai'i



**THE QUEEN'S
MEDICAL CENTER**



ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The Queen's Medical Center is Hawai'i's first and only Level 1 Trauma Center,
serving the entire State and Pacific Basin.

Trauma occurs without warning somewhere in Hawai'i every day. It affects all ages and races, kama'aina and malihini, the rich and poor alike. A consistent leading cause of death and disability among all age groups, its greatest impact is felt from age 18 to 44. Injury survivors may suffer long-term physical, emotional, economic consequences resulting in loss of productive years and a societal burden greater than cancer and heart disease combined.

In Hawai'i, our unique trauma system includes The Queen's Medical Center, the Emergency Medical Services and Injury Prevention System Branch of the State Department of Health, and other health partners across the state to ensure a coordinated approach for providing optimal care of injured patients across our island communities. This year's symposium will be a one-day program of cutting-edge, evidence-based presentations and discussions by a multidisciplinary faculty of local and national leaders in the field of Trauma.

We hope you will join our 24th annual gathering of pre-hospital providers, physicians, nurses, EMTs, paramedics and other health care professionals to network and learn together. Each of us plays an essential role in supporting the Hawai'i Trauma System. Collectively we provide a vital resource that serves the people of Hawai'i in their greatest time of need. Welina mai.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

After completing this educational activity, participants should be able to:

- Discuss optimal management of the critically ill and injured patient, with specific consideration in areas of Prehospital Care, Critical Care Medicine, Emergency Medicine, Disaster Management and Response, Adult/Pediatric Burn Management, Surgical Education and Post-Traumatic Care.
- Describe successful system-based practices and strategies in response to the challenges facing the trauma system.
- Identify new approaches and challenges to the management of subspecialty trauma issues.
- Explore special challenges impacting trauma care.
- Discuss specific traumatic events and their effect on the recovery of patients and others involved.
- Examine challenges in the prehospital, hospital and community setting.
- Explore new technologies and initiatives for efficient use of limited resources and improve patient care and systems.

PROGRAM

7:00 am	<i>Registration • Continental Breakfast • Exhibits</i>
7:45 am	Welcome & Opening Remarks <i>Jin Ra, MD</i>
8:00 am	EMS Involvement in a World of Ever-Growing Wildfires <i>Clayton Kazan, MD</i>
8:30 am	An Overview of Hawai'i's Statewide Trauma System: Data Enhancements for Epidemiology and Opportunities for Prevention <i>Daniel Galanis, PhD; Garrett Hall, MS, BSN, RN</i>
8:50 am	Aukahi Center <i>Heather Liana Ku'uualoha Texeira Beyer, BSN, MHA</i>
9:10 am	The Power of Unity: Transforming Trauma Care Systems for the Better <i>Heidi Hotz, RN</i>
9:40 am	<i>Break • Exhibits</i>
10:10 am	Initial Management of Burn Injury in Adult Patients <i>Jong Lee, MD</i>
10:40 am	Closing the Loop: The Importance of Outcome Data on Patients Transported by EMS <i>Capt. Michael Lam, Hawai'i Fire Department</i>
11:00 am	Collaborating for Safety: Strategies to Prevent Injuries and Build Safer Communities <i>Moderator: Christina "TJ" Donayri, RN, BSN, MSHS</i> <i>Panel: Lisa Dau, RN, MBA; Cameron Rogers, MSN, RN; Darshe Mendoza, BSN, RN</i>
11:50 am	<i>Lunch • Exhibits</i>
12:50 pm	Surfer's Myelopathy in Hawai'i <i>Stacy C. Brown, MD</i>
1:10 pm	Military-Civilian Health Care Interactions <i>Col. Mitchell Hamele, MD</i>
1:30 pm	Prehospital Blood Transfusion - Lessons Learned from a Large Urban System <i>Clayton Kazan, MD</i>
2:00 pm	<i>Break • Exhibits</i>
2:30 pm	The Intersection of Resilience and Engagement: A New Era in Trauma Care <i>Heidi Hotz, RN</i>
3:00 pm	Initial Management of Burn Injury in Pediatric Patients <i>Jong Lee, MD</i>
3:30 pm	Pediatrics Trauma Readiness: A Surveyor's Perspective <i>Heidi Hotz, RN</i>
4:00 pm	<i>Adjourn</i>



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REGISTRATION

EARLY REGISTRATION ENDS NOVEMBER 3, 2025, 4:00 pm (HST)

REGISTRATION ENDS TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2025, 3:00 pm (HST)

Registration and payment will be online. The fee covers access to course materials, breakfast and lunch, and validation for parking. Registration will be on space availability basis.

REGISTRATION FEES

BY 11-03-2025

AFTER 11-03-2025

Physician	\$250	\$300
Nurse / Other	\$200	\$250
Hawai'i Licensed EMT / MICT	\$150	\$200

• **NO CHILDREN:** Due to liability restrictions and concerns, children under 18 may not participate in any part of this symposium.

Go to: bit.ly/QueensCME

- Find ***"Hawaiian Islands Trauma Symposium"***
- Click on the link: Register.
- Complete the online registration with payment. One per participant.

Registration Confirmation: Upon successful registration, you will receive an email confirmation.

Conference Materials: Materials will be available online. You will receive this information in your registration confirmation.

SPECIAL NEEDS - The Queen's Medical Center fully intends to comply with the legal requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act. If you are in need of accommodation, please contact cme@queens.org.

REFUND - To receive a refund for the registration fee, cancellation must be made in writing. Refunds will be processed less 20% service fee if made by **November 3, 2025**. No refunds will be made after that date.

CANCELLATION - This activity is subject to cancellation. In the unlikely event that it would have to be canceled, refund of registration fees will be made in full; however, the sponsors are not responsible for any travel-related costs you incur.

MORE CONFERENCE INFORMATION

Location:

Hilton Hawaiian Village Waikiki Beach Resort
Coral Ballroom
2005 Kalia Road, Honolulu, HI 96815

Parking: Self-parking at the hotel will be fully validated. Valet parking will be validated with \$5 payment. This excludes participants who are staying at the hotel.

For More Information:

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CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

■ **Physicians** The Queen's Medical Center is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Queen's Medical Center designates this live activity for a maximum of **6.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

■ **Nurses** **AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™** issued by organizations approved by ACCME will be recognized by the American Nurses Credentialing Center (1 CME credit = 1 contact hour) and most other nursing certifying bodies. Check with your certifying body. It will also be recognized by the State of Hawai'i Board of Nursing for license renewal. (Queen's is an ACCME accredited CME provider: #0006372)

■ **EMS Personnel (EMT / AEMT / Paramedic)**
The Queen's Medical Center is an approved provider of continuing education for Emergency Services Personnel - Hawai'i Provider #19-029. This symposium has been approved for 6.00 hours.

■ **Trauma Registry CE** This activity has been approved for board Certified Specialist in Trauma Registries (CSTR) and trauma registry professional continuing education hours by the American Trauma Society.

■ **Other Health Care Professionals** A certificate of attendance will be provided to support your needs.