2026 Annual Meeting Program Agenda ~

FRIDAY, MAY 1, 2026

Time	Event	Location
12:00 - 2:00 pm	**Executive Committee Meeting**	*Solarium*
2:30 - 4:00 PM	**Exhibitor Setup**	*Wentworth Foyer*
2:30 - 7:00 pm	**Registration Check-in** —*Check-in with the WHOVA App – open your QR Code* —*Pick up your Name Badge and Passport to the Exhibits*	*Grand Ballroom Foyer* *??*
4:00 - 6:00 pm	**President's Welcome Reception** —*Exhibits Open, Cashless Bar and Appetizers*	*Wentworth Foyer*
6:00 - 7:30 pm	**President's Welcome Dinner** —*Welcome, Buffet Dinner, Cashless bar, open to all attendees*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
6:30 - 6:45 pm	**President's Welcome Remarks** —*Lisa Rosenthal, NEFS President 2026*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
6:45 - 7:30 pm	**2nd Annual Nancy A. Harrington RNC, REIN Memorial Lecture:** *"Understanding the Journey of the Marginalized Patient Population"* —*Jen Wood, RN, BSN*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
7:30 - 9:30 pm	**President's Dessert Reception** —*Exhibits Open, Networking* —*Dessert, Coffee and Signature Drinks*	*Westbrook Foyer and Solarium (?)*

SATURDAY, May 2, 2026—*Morning Session*

Time	Event	Location
6:30 - 8:00 am	**REGISTRATION** —*Check-in with the WHOVA App – open your QR Code* —*Pick up your Name Badge and Passport to the Exhibits*	*Grand Ballroom Foyer*
6:30 – 7:00 am	***Yoga by the Sea*** —*Led by TBD* —*Open to all guests-start off the day with a healthy dose of stretching* —*Please bring a yoga mat if you have one* —*Supported by AllPaths Family Building-limited yoga mats available*	*Do you have a space where we could hold a session for about 25 to do yoga in the am?*
6:30 - 8:00 am	**President's Welcome Breakfast and Exhibits** —*Exhibits Open/Buffet Breakfast*	*Grand Ballroom & Wentworth Foyer*
8:00 am	**President's Opening Remarks** —*Lisa Rosenthal, NEFS President 2026*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
8:15 - 9:00 am	**10th Annual Oskowitz Lecture:** *"One in Four: Infertility, Reproductive Aging, and Burnout Among Women Physicians"* —*Eliza Chin, MD, MPH*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
9:00 - 10:00 am	**Scientific and Clinical Innovation in the Lab:** *"How are scientific discoveries being applied to improve outcomes—and what are the promises, limitations, and ethical considerations of integrating innovation into fertility care? "* —*Kathryn J. Go, PhD, HCLD (ABB), Moderator* —*Stephanie Nichols* —*Jay Patel. MSc, TS (ABB)* —*Goli Ardestani, PhD HCLD (ABB)*	*Wentworth Ballroom*

10:00 - 10:45 am	*Morning Coffee Break and Exhibits*	*Grand Ballroom &*
	—*Coffee break and refreshing snacks, Exhibits Open*	*WW Ballroom Foyer*
	—*Return completed Passports and purchase additional raffle tickets*	

10:45 -11:45am	**Shaping the Fertility Policy Landscape: Where Federal, State & New England Strategy Meet Clinical Voices**	*Wentworth Ballroom*
	—*Davina Fankhauser*	
	—*Kate Weldon LeBlanc*	
	—*Joe Cody*	

11:45 – 12:00 pm	*Poster Award Presentation: "TOPIC TBA"*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
	—*Poster Presenter to be Announced*	

12:00 - 1:30 pm	Roundtable Lunch	*Grand Ballroom*
	—*Lunch and Roundtable Discussions, Networking*	

SATURDAY, May 2, 2026 – *Afternoon Session*

1:30 - 2:30 pm	*"Clarifying Roles & Professional Standards in Fertility Emotional Care – Scope, Training & Accountability"*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
	—*Jessica van der Wal*	
	—*Alice Domar, PhD*	

2:30 - 3:15 pm	*Aligning advocacy and Medicine: Collaboration, Tension and the Path Forward*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
	—*Alison Zimon, MD*	
	—*Barb Collura*	

3:15 - 3:45 pm	*Poster Session and Afternoon Coffee Break*	*Solarium*
	—*Last chance to return Passports and purchase raffle tickets*	
	—*Sponsor TBA*	

3:45 - 4:30 pm	*"Delivery of Care: Podcast Style"*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
	—*Alison Bartolucci . PhD, HCLD (ABB)*	
	—*Kathryn Go, PhD, HCLD (ABB)*	

4:30 - 4:45 pm	*"Stretch Break"*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
	—*Lisa Rosenthal, NEFS President 2026*	

4:45 - 5:30 pm	*"Burnout in Fertility Medicine: Confronting the Strain, Building Sustainable Practice"*	*Wentworth Ballroom*
	—*Ben Lannon, MD*	
	—*John Petrozza, MD*	

5:30 pm	**Closing Remarks**	*Wentworth*
	—*Lisa Rosenthal, NEFS President 2026*	

5:45 pm	**Soiree By the Sea Closing and Silent Auction**	*Wentworth Ballroom, Solarium and Foyer*
	—*Food Stations Reception with Cashless Bar and Beverages*	