

7th Annual Neuroscience Emergencies and Stroke Symposium	
Mayo Clinic Integrated Education and Research Building, Phoenix, AZ	
Monday, July 20, 2026	
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7:30 AM	Registration, Breakfast & Exhibits
8:00 AM	Welcome Announcements
8:10 AM	Seizure Evaluation and Management in the Field and the Emergency Department Matthew T. Hoerth, M.D.
8:45 AM	Stroke Updates Cumara B. O'Carroll, M.D., M.P.H.
9:20 AM	Neuro Imaging Katherine A. Kitzenberg, P.A.-C.
9:55 AM	Break and Exhibits
10:10 AM	Stroke Mimics and Chameleons / Stroke Localization Kaylie N. Dalton, P.A.-C.
10:45 AM	Recrudescent for EMT and Nurse Focus – Ability to Identify a Stroke from a Mimic Tamra I. Ranasinghe, M.B.B.S.
11:20 AM	LVADs and Stroke Eric D. Steidely, M.D.
11:55 AM	Stroke Systems of Care and Pre-Hospital Triage Vanessa K. Vanderhyde, M.S.N., SCRNP
12:30 PM	Lunch and Exhibits
1:00 PM	Assessment and LVO triage Gyanendra Kumar, M.D.
1:35 PM	Neuromuscular Emergencies/Non-Stroke Neuro Emergencies Onilia N. Zorio, D.O.
2:10 PM	Acute Monocular Blindness, Amaurosis, CRAO and Cases Oana M. Dumitrascu, M.D.
2:45 PM	Pharmacology of Stroke Patients / Reversal Harn Shiue, Pharm.D., R.Ph.
3:20 PM	LVO Management /ZODIAC Ali Turkmani, M.D.
3:55 PM	Hemorrhagic Stroke Bernard R. Bendok, M.D.

4:30 PM

Announcements/Adjourn