



## Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation®

# Regional Symposia Series

## 2026/2027 SPONSORSHIP PROSPECTUS

CCF kindly requests that company **pledges be submitted at least 90 days before the event date** to ensure full sponsorship benefits are received. If this date does not align with your company's internal timeline, we can be flexible on the pledge deadline; however, full sponsorship benefits may not be guaranteed.

### About the Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation

The Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation's (CCF) mission is to find a cure and improve the quality of life for those affected by cholangiocarcinoma (CCA). Founded in 2006 in Salt Lake City, Utah, by a family that lost a loved one to cholangiocarcinoma, CCF has become a leading global resource in patient support, education, advocacy, and funding basic, clinical, and translational research. The organization's core values are patients first, collaboration, innovation, and urgency.

### About our Regional Symposia Series

CCF hosts at least five one-day symposiums annually, partnering with institutions and drawing together CCA experts, researchers, healthcare professionals, patients, caregivers, and advocates. Each symposium features presentations by leading clinicians in the field, supplemented by distinguished guest speakers. These experts share research insights and participate in a Q&A panel discussion. Each symposium allows patients and caregivers to connect with others and glean valuable knowledge from healthcare professionals.

### Why Become a Sponsor

Your partnership in CCF's Regional Symposia Series provides a unique opportunity for **direct engagement with CCA patients, caregivers, clinicians, and researchers** through pre-event communications, on-site interaction, and post-event outreach. These events bring trusted, expert-led education to local communities, especially important for patients who cannot travel to our Annual Conference due to financial or physical limitations.

Many attendees are **newly diagnosed** and connecting with the CCA community for the first time, making these events a **critical touchpoint for education and support**. Regional symposia also offer a valuable platform for patients to **learn about clinical trials and treatment options** in their city or nearby, helping them feel more informed and empowered in their care decisions. With **75–150 participants** expected at each event, your sponsorship supports equitable access to information while reinforcing the patient voice in every stage of drug development.

All sponsors are invited and encouraged to attend conference sessions, meal functions, and social activities to engage with attendees.

- Meet trailblazers in the CCA community
- Interact 1-on-1 with patients, caregivers, and advocates
- Gather direct feedback from industry professionals and patients
- Hear from expert researchers and clinicians
- Build visibility and awareness for your company
- Introduce new products, treatments, and trials

## Upcoming Regional Symposia

Below is a list of upcoming dates for our Regional Symposia series. The first section outlines the remaining events in our current series running from **Fall 2025 through Spring 2026**. The second section highlights newly launched dates and prospective locations for our **Fall 2026 through Spring 2027** series.

### Fall 2025/Spring 2026 Regional Symposia (Remaining Events)

*Offered as a standalone opportunity or at a reduced rate when sponsoring five.*

- **September 26, 2025** – Chicago, IL | University of Chicago
- **December 12, 2025** – Houston, TX | Houston Methodist
- **January 23, 2026** – New York, NY | NYU Langone
- **February 20, 2026** – Birmingham, AL | UAB
- **April 7, 2026** - Boston, MA | Mass General

### BONUS SYMPOSIUM

- **June 26, 2026** | Cleveland, OH | Cleveland Clinic

*Thank you to our current sponsors*



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### NEW! Fall 2026/Spring 2027 Regional Symposia

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- **Sept/Oct 2026** - Chicago, IL | University of Chicago
- **Sept/Oct 2026** - Los Angeles, CA | USC Keck
- **Nov/Dec 2026** - Houston, TX | MD Anderson & Houston Methodist

Additional locations under consideration:

- St. Louis, MO | WASHU Medicine
- Rochester, MN | Mayo Clinic
- Phoenix, AZ | Mayo Clinic
- Jacksonville, FL | Mayo Clinic
- Nashville, TN | Vanderbilt
- Washington, D.C. | Johns Hopkins

## Sponsorship Levels

We offer exclusive promotional features based on the selected sponsorship tier level. Our Series Package allows industry partners to sponsor the first five Regional Symposia at a discounted rate. Individual Regional Symposium sponsorships are also available.

### First-Time Sponsors

CCF offers a discounted sponsorship rate for first-time industry partners interested in supporting our Regional Symposia. This is a unique opportunity to showcase your commitment to the CCA community, share information about your clinical trial or therapy in a trusted setting, and build meaningful connections with those most impacted by the disease, all at a reduced rate.

SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS	DIAMOND	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER	FIRST-TIME SPONSOR
Series Package (five symposiums)	\$160,000	\$120,000	\$90,000	\$65,000	\$45,000
Individual (one symposium)	\$35,000	\$27,500	\$22,000	\$15,000	\$10,000
Sponsor recognition at Patient and Caregiver Breakfast	●				
Sponsor recognition at Speaker's Dinner	●	●			
In-person exhibitor booth and two chairs	●	●	●		●
Two representatives to meet and speak with patients, caregivers, and advocates	●	●	●		●
Sponsor literature and/or branded items in attendee welcome bags	●	●	●		
Dedicated logo space on the CCF Regional Symposia registration page	●	●	●	●	●
Sponsor recognition on event-related correspondence and promotional materials	●	●	●	●	●
Sponsor acknowledgement on event-related CCF social media post	●	●	●	●	●
Sponsor recognition at snack stations	●	●	●	●	
Sponsor recognition at the symposium lunch	●	●	●	●	●
Logo on CCF's Industry Partner webpage	●	●	●	●	●

### Add Ons

- In-Person Exhibitor Booth and Two Chairs (Silver-Level Only)  
\$2,500
- Second In-Person Exhibitor Booth and Two Chairs  
\$5,000
- In-Person Patient Advisory Board  
\$65,000

## SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS EXPLAINED

### Sponsor recognition at Patient and Caregiver Breakfast

The Patient and Caregiver Breakfast is a dedicated breakfast event for patients, caregivers, CCF staff, volunteers, industry, and other event attendees. It offers a warm, welcoming space for attendees to connect, build community, and receive important updates. Your company logo will be placed on event signage, and you will be recognized during the event's welcome remarks.

### Sponsor recognition at the Speakers' Dinner

The Speakers' Dinner occurs the evening before the symposium. Attendees include the symposium speakers, institution staff, CCF staff, individual donors, and industry sponsors. Your company will receive recognition during the dinner.

### In-person exhibitor booth and two chairs (if allowed by the institution)

As a sponsor, you'll be able to showcase your company with an in-person exhibitor booth at the symposium. Booth availability is subject to institutional guidelines and may vary by location. Sponsors are responsible for providing branded tablecloths and displaying product samples or literature.

**NOTE:** If you are unable to send two representatives or do not intend to utilize your booth space, please inform Emma Mach ([emma.mach@cholangiocarcinoma.org](mailto:emma.mach@cholangiocarcinoma.org)) before the symposium date.

### Two representatives to meet and speak with patients, caregivers, and advocates

As a sponsor, your company can have two representatives on-site to engage with patients, caregivers, and advocates personally. Additional company representatives may attend our Regional Symposium(s) at no cost as attendees, but must register through the CCF Registration webpage.

### Sponsor literature and/or branded items in attendee welcome bags

As a sponsor, your company can include brochures, flyers, or promotional materials in the attendee welcome bags, introducing your brand to participants.

**NOTE:** CCF's Patient Outreach Manager, Emma Mach, will follow up with you after your pledge has been received to provide shipping instructions for any literature and/or materials you'd like included in the attendee welcome bags. To ensure inclusion, all items must be received by CCF **at least 30 days prior to the symposium date**. We recommend shipping enough material for **100 attendees** per symposium.

### Dedicated logo space on the CCF Regional Symposia registration page

As a sponsor, your company logo will be featured in the Sponsors section of the CCF Regional Symposia registration webpage.

### Sponsor recognition on event-related correspondence and promotional materials

Your company will receive prominent recognition on all event-related correspondence and promotional materials, ensuring maximum visibility and brand exposure throughout the symposium's marketing.

- Sponsor logo on the digital event invitation
- Sponsor logo on the attendee evaluation survey
- Sponsor logo displayed on event welcome and commencement slide deck
- Sponsor logo displayed on the symposium program or online agenda

**NOTE:** Your company logo and information must be submitted to CCF via email ([emma.mach@cholangiocarcinoma.org](mailto:emma.mach@cholangiocarcinoma.org)) **60 days before the event date**. If logos are not received by this date, the company understands that their information may not be included in signage, event-related correspondence, and promotional materials.

### Sponsor acknowledgement on event-related CCF social media post

With **54,000+** social media followers, CCF offers significant exposure for your brand. As a sponsor of one or more regional symposiums, your company will be prominently acknowledged across our social media platforms, amplifying your reach and impact.

### **Sponsor recognition at snack stations**

As a sponsor, your company logo will be showcased on table tents at the snack stations, providing excellent visibility to attendees throughout the symposium.

### **Sponsor recognition at the symposium lunch**

Your company will receive special recognition during the symposium lunch. Your logo will be prominently displayed on table tents at each lunch table or featured on a central sign in the lunch area, ensuring maximum visibility to all attendees.

### **Logo on CCF's Industry Partner webpage**

Your company logo will be featured on CCF's Industry Partner webpage, a dedicated space that highlights the vital role of industry collaborators in advancing research, education, and patient support. This webpage is regularly visited by patients, caregivers, researchers, and healthcare professionals seeking trusted resources and partners in the cholangiocarcinoma space.

### **(ADD-ON) In-Person Exhibitor Booth and Two Chairs (Silver-Level Only)**

Sponsor will receive a table/booth with two chairs for the exhibit hall. The sponsor is responsible for branded tablecloths and displaying product samples and literature.

### **(ADD-ON) Second In-Person Exhibitor Booth and Two Chairs**

Sponsor will receive an additional table/booth with two chairs for the exhibit hall and the one table/booth and two chairs already included with the sponsorship. The sponsor is responsible for branded tablecloths and displaying product samples and literature.

### **(ADD-ON) In-Person Patient Advisory Board**

CCF offers the opportunity to organize a customized Patient Advisory Board based on the specific needs of our industry partners. Participants provide valuable feedback and insights to inform clinical, educational, or commercial initiatives. CCF will coordinate, host, and facilitate the advisory board meeting, which typically lasts two hours and is moderated by CCF's Chief Patient Officer. Panels generally consist of 6–8 individuals with diverse experiences, treatment stages, and backgrounds to ensure a well-rounded discussion.

CCF's obligation is fulfilled by delivering on the commitments articulated in this prospectus for the year indicated above, as well as by the value the sponsor receives from its association with CCF's intellectual capital, partners, and constituents.