

# Southern California Rheumatology Society **2026 Annual Conference** In Collaboration with the California Rheumatology Alliance **22nd Annual Meeting & 4th Annual APP Meeting**

## Private Practice Workshop

Designed exclusively for private practice rheumatologists navigating today's most complex operational, regulatory, and technology shifts.



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## PRIVATE PRACTICE WORKSHOP FEATURED SESSIONS



### MID & In-Office Dispensing Under the Medicare

**Cap** - Understand how Medicare caps impact in-office dispensing and learn strategies to stay compliant while protecting practice revenue.

**SPEAKER:** Dr. Nehad Soloman, MD, FACR



**AI in Rheumatology** - Explore how artificial intelligence is already being used in rheumatology practices from workflow optimization to clinical decision support and what's coming next.

**SPEAKER:** Mark Allen, MD



### MIPS for Rheumatology: Why It's

**Challenging and What to Do** - Break down the complexities of MIPS, common pitfalls for rheumatology practices, and actionable ways to improve performance and avoid penalties.

**SPEAKER:** Stefani Hendrixon, MBA, RN

## Panel Discussion: How to Improve Performance in Practice



**SPEAKER**  
Karleen Su  
MD, FACR



**SPEAKER**  
Dr. Nehad Soloman  
MD, FACR



**MODERATOR**  
Samy K. Metyas  
MD



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