

Updates in Primary Immunodeficiency 2026
September 18-19, 2026
InterContinental Hotel & Conference Center, Cleveland, OH and Live Stream

Friday, September 18, 2026

7:15 am **Registration, Breakfast and Visit Exhibits**

7:50 am **Welcome & Introductions**
James Fernandez, MD, PhD

Session 1 – Humoral Deficiency

Moderator - James Fernandez, MD, PhD

8:00 am **CVID – the latest**
Charlotte Cunningham-Rundles, MD, PhD

8:30 am **CVID like syndromes – APDS and beyond**
Jocelyn Farmer, MD, PhD

9:00 am **Updates in Specific Antibody Deficiency and Diagnostic Vaccination Guidelines**
Kelli Williams, MD, MPH

9:30 am **IgE levels - what does it tell us?**
Monica Lawrence, MD

10:00 am **Panel Discussion**
Course Faculty

10:20 am **Refreshment Break & Visit Exhibits**

Session 2 – Hematologic Complications

Moderator - James Fernandez, MD, PhD

10:40 am **Chronic Neutropenia - how to handle**
Jarek Maciejewski, MD, PhD

11:10 am **ITP in immune disease**
Alan Lichtin, MD

11:40 am **Cancer in Immunodeficiency - screening recommendations**
Troy Torgerson, MD, PhD

12:10 pm **Panel Discussion**
Course Faculty

12:30 pm **Lunch, Visit Exhibits, and Optional Non-CME Satellite**

Session 3 – Cellular Defects

Moderator - James Fernandez, MD, PhD

- 1:30 pm **Idiopathic CD4 Lymphocytopenia**
Jonathan Bernstein, MD
- 2:00 pm **Job's Syndrome and CMCC - a dermatologist's view**
Anthony Fernandez, MD, PhD
- 2:30 pm **Mendelian Susceptibility to Microbacterial Disease**
Vivian Hernandez-Trujillo, MD
- 3:00 pm **Chronic Granulomatous Disease in adults (including X-linked)**
Antoine Azar, MD
- 3:20 pm **Panel Discussion**
Course Faculty
- 3:40 pm **Refreshment Break and Visit Exhibits**

Session 4 - Common Symptoms in the Immunocompromised

Moderator - James Fernandez, MD, PhD

- 4:00 pm **Thinking outside the box: diagnostic immunology evaluation of the complex immunology patient**
Roshini Abraham, PhD, D(ABMLI)
- 4:30 pm **Using Artificial Intelligence to your advantage in practice**
Nicholas Rider, DO
- 5:00 pm **Biologics use in the immunocompromised**
Jolan Walter, MD, PhD
- 5:30 pm **Panel Discussion**
Course Faculty
- 5:45 pm **Adjourn and Optional Non-CME Satellite**

Saturday, September 19, 2026

7:15 am **Registration, Breakfast, Visit Exhibits and Optional Non-CME Satellite**

7:55 am **Welcome & Introductions**
James Fernandez, MD, PhD

Session 5 - Therapies for IEI & Cases with the Experts
Moderator - James Fernandez, MD, PhD

8:00 am **The Headaches of Immunoglobulin Replacement- literally and figuratively**
James Fernandez, MD, PhD

8:30 am **Antibiotic resistance and prophylaxis**
Carlos Isada, MD

9:00 am **HSCT for adults with immunodeficiencies**
Larisa Broglie, MD, MS

9:30 am **Difficult Cases with the Experts - case 1**
Presenter - *John McDonnell, MD*
Moderator - *James Fernandez, MD, PhD*

10:00 am **Difficult Cases with the Experts - case 2**
Panel - *Charlotte Cunningham-Rundles, MD, PhD, Troy Torgerson, MD, PhD, and Jolan Walter, MD, PhD*

10:20 am **Refreshment Break & Visit Exhibits**

Session 6 - Complex Disease and Future Options
Moderator - James Fernandez, MD, PhD

10:40 am **Fatigue, diet and wellness in immune dysfunction**
Len Calabrese, DO

11:10 am **Musculoskeletal pain in AB def patients - diagnostic and therapeutic difficulties**
Cassandra Calabrese, DO

11:40 am **Chronic Sinusitis - when to be concerned**
Troy Woodard, MD

12:10 pm **Panel Discussion**
Course Faculty

12:30 pm **Closing Remarks**
James Fernandez, MD, PhD

12:35 pm **Adjourn**