

# 2026 Annual New York State Thoracic Society Conference

## Non-CME Events

### Thursday, March 26th

12:15-1:00 PM (LeChase Assembly Room)  
COPD Type 2 Inflammation: A Spark for Deeper COPD Understanding  
**Nicola Hanania, MD, MS**

4:45-5:00 PM (Auditorium)  
Business Meeting

5:05-6:00 PM (LeChase Assembly Room)  
ION Robotic Bronch Test Drive  
**Michael Nead, MD**

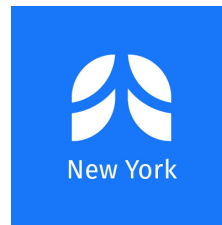
5:05-7:00 PM (Atrium)  
Social Networking/Cocktail Hour

7:00-9:00 PM (Anderson)  
(SEM)Cardiopulmonary Risk in Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)  
**Keith Harris, DO**  
**Sabu Thomas, MD**

### Friday, March 27th

12:15 -1:00 PM (LeChase Assembly Room)  
ION Robotic Bronch Test Drive  
**Michael Nead, MD**

1:30-2:00 PM (Auditorium)  
Advocacy Committee Meeting



## Shuttle Service

**A shuttle service will run a continuous loop between the Hilton Hotel and Flaum Atrium.**

March 26th

Morning loop- 6:30AM through 8:30 AM  
Afternoon loop- 4:45 PM through 7:30 PM

March 27th

Morning loop- 6:45 AM through 8:30 AM  
Afternoon loop- 3:30 PM through 5:00 PM

