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AOSSM Update on COVID-19 and Planned Events

AOSSM continues to monitor updates from health organizations and government offices related to COVID-19 and is responding to all advisories accordingly. Our thoughts are with those who have been affected by COVID-19. The health and safety of the community are the utmost priorities. We will continue monitoring new developments and keep you informed on the status of all upcoming AOSSM events.

With that being said, the events listed below are still scheduled to proceed as planned. Of course, this is a fluid situation with frequent new developments. AOSSM will communicate updates via email and sportsmed.org as soon as possible.

As of today, the following events are scheduled to proceed as planned. Click on the links below for more information and to register.

**Surgical Skills: The Athlete’s Hip**
May 29-30, 2020
OLC Education & Conference Center
Rosemont, IL

**2020 Annual Meeting**
July 9-12, 2020
Washington State Convention Center
Seattle, WA

Registration for the 2020 Annual Meeting is open and is available [here](#). If you have questions regarding registration, contact AOSSM at 877.321.3500 or [info@aossm.org](mailto:info@aossm.org).

Housing also is open for the 2020 Annual Meeting and we encourage you to make reservations for the event [here](#).

AOSSM/AAOS Orthopaedic Sports Medicine Review Course
*(information and registration coming soon)*
August 7-9, 2020
Westin Michigan Avenue
Chicago, IL

Cancelled events include: *Specialty Day on March 28* (scheduled to take place during the AAOS Annual Meeting) and *Surgical Skills: Orthobiologics in the Real World, April 17-18*.

We are closely monitoring developments and staying abreast of updates from health organizations responsible for tracking and responding to the virus, including the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the World Health Organization (WHO). We want to assure anyone planning to attend any of our events that your health, safety, and security is our top priority.
We encourage attendees to take common-sense precautions and follow CDC guidelines to prevent the spread of illness. If you have questions, contact AOSSM by email at info@aossm.org or by phone at 877.321.3500.

**Additional Resources:**
World Health Organization's [explanatory video](https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/video) and [resources webpage](https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/questionnaires)
U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation's [Coronavirus resource webpage](https://www.uschamber.com/coronavirus)
U.S. Travel Association’s [Coronavirus Resource webpage](https://www.travelusa.com/coronavirus)