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NOVEMBER 5-7, 2026

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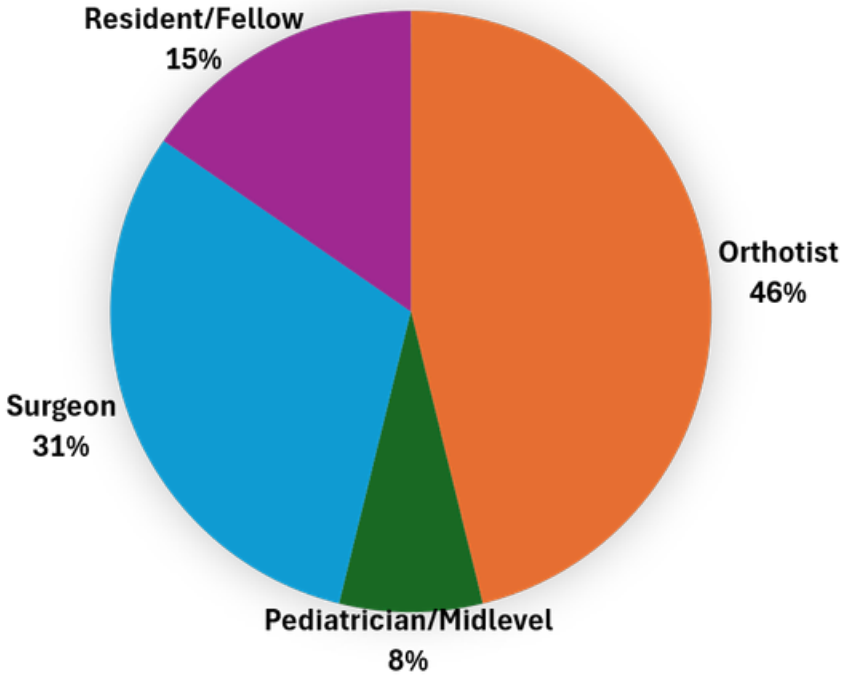
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ABOUT ENDOSCOPIC AND MINIMALLY INVASIVE CRANIOSYNOSTOSIS SURGERY SYMPOSIUM

El Paso Children's Hospital is proud to host the Endoscopic and Minimally Invasive Craniosynostosis Surgery Symposium, bringing together nationally and internationally renowned experts to share advancements, innovative surgical techniques, and best practices in craniosynostosis care. This premier educational event fosters collaboration, professional development, and the exchange of knowledge among healthcare professionals dedicated to improving outcomes for children with craniofacial conditions. Through education and innovation, we aim to advance pediatric surgical excellence and strengthen the future of craniofacial care.

SPECIALTY BREAKDOWN OF ATTENDEES



PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

The Symposium on Endoscopic Craniosynostosis, taking place from November 5-7, 2026, in El Paso, Texas, offers a hands-on learning experience focused on Endoscopic Surgery and Orthotic Therapy, led by leading experts in craniosynostosis treatment.

The event will feature two specialized courses:

Craniosynostosis Surgical Course:
This two-day course will cover minimally invasive techniques for treating all types of craniosynostosis through lectures from field experts, panel debates, and discussions on controversial topics.

Directed by:
David Yates, MD DMD, FACS and Ziyad Makoshi, MBBS, MSc, FRCS, FAANS

Cranial Molding/Orthotic Course:
Learn best practices in post-operative cranial orthotic planning, troubleshooting, and patient management.

Directed by:
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6:00 PM - 8:30 PM	**Cocktails & Conversations** Welcome by Cindy Stout, President & CEO of El Paso Children's Hospital

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

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9:35 AM - 9:50 AM	Vendor Networking Break & Poster Visit
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11:30 AM - 12:05 PM	Vendor Networking Lunch & Poster Visit
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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7

6:45 AM - 7:15 AM	**Breakfast**
7:15 AM - 8:00 AM	**Craniosynostosis and Facial Development** David Yates, MD, DMD, FACS & Russell Ettinger, MD
8:00 AM - 8:40 AM	**Timing and Craniosynostosis Repair: Endoscopic, Spring Assisted, Open** Makoshi (Endoscopic); Cho (Springs); Ettinger (Open); & Aquino (Modified Pi)
8:40 AM - 9:00 AM	**Panel: Case Discussion - Timing** Makoshi, Cho, Ettinger, Aquino, Proctor, Jimeno, Cuellar, & Requena
9:00 AM - 9:40 AM	**Starting a New Endoscopic Craniosynostosis Program** Grant, Gallo, & Evans
9:40 AM - 10:00 AM	**Panel: Discussion Regarding Specifics** ***Moderator:*** Aquino ***Panel:*** Grant, Gallo, Martin, & Newman
10:00 AM - 10:30 AM	**To Barrel Stave or Not Barrel Stave? Strip Width?** Daniel Cho, MD, PhD
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	**Panel Discussion:** Yates, Proctor, Cho, Ranalli, Miller, Infinger
11:00 AM - 11:45 AM	**ICP and Craniosynostosis** Ziyad Makoshi, MBBS, MSc, FRCS, FAANS
11:45 AM - 12:00 PM	**Panel** Gallo, Makoshi, & Ranalli
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9:00 AM - 11:00 AM **No CME credit*	**Cranial Orthosis for Sagittal, Metopic, Unicoronal, Bicoronal, Lambdoid, and Multisuture Craniosynostosis** Poidevin, Hinton, O'Shea, & Aguirre
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM **No CME credit*	**Hands on Cranial Orthosis Lab** Poidevin, Hinton, O'Shea, & Aguirre
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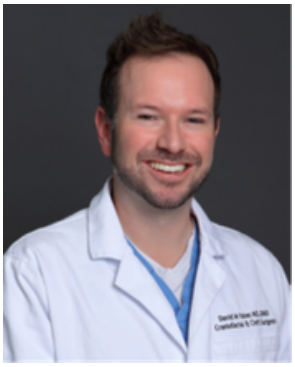


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NURSING CONTACT HOURS

This educational activity may provide up to 15.92 NCPD contact hours for the Surgical Course on November 6–7, 2026. For successful completion, the participant must:

1. Attend the entire educational activity for which contact hours are claimed.
2. Complete and submit the activity evaluation.

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SOCIAL EVENTS / NOVEMBER 5-7, 2026

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Thursday / November 5 — **6:00 - 8:30 PM**
OPENING RECEPTION

Hotel Paso del Norte - El Mirador
10 Henry Trost Ct., El Paso, TX 79901
All are welcome to attend.

Friday / November 6 — **5:00 - 8:00 PM**
SYMPOSIUM DINNER DAY 1

Cattleman's Steakhouse - Hopi Pavillion
3450 S. Fabens Carlsbad Rd., Fabens, TX 79838
All tiers $150 to attend. Reservation required.

Saturday / November 7 — **6:30 - 9:30 PM**
SYMPOSIUM DINNER DAY 2

Cafe Central - Large Terrace
109 N. Oregon, El Paso, TX 79901
All tiers $200 to attend. Reservation Required. Only 60 available reservation slots.

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Pediatrician / Midlevel	$300 EA
Resident / Fellow	$200 EA
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7:00 AM- 7:30 AM (breakfast)

9:35 AM - 9:50 AM (break)

11:30 PM - 12:05 PM (lunch)

1:45 PM - 2:00 PM (break)

Saturday, November 7

6:45 AM- 7:50 AM (breakfast)

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Saturday, November 7

3:00pm

PACKAGE LABELING INSTRUCTIONS

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