



2026

TAA ANNUAL

CONFERENCE

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND, TX
APRIL 29 – MAY 1

Initial Administrator of Record Course (AOR)

Wednesday & Thursday, April 29-30, 2026

16 HOURS

This course meets the initial requirements for new participants and the continuing education requirements for those who are already an AOR.

Course Topics Include:

- Texas EMS Laws and Regulations
- Compliance Programs
- Dispatch
- Billing
- Medical Accountability
- Quality Improvement
- Roles and Responsibilities of the Medical Director
- Controlled Substance Registration
- OSHA and Infection Control Plans

Wednesday, April 29, 2026

**8:00 AM -
5:00 PM**

Initial Administrator of Record Course (AOR) - Day 1

First day of the comprehensive AOR course covering medical accountability, quality improvement, dispatch protocols, and controlled substance registration.

Thursday, April 30, 2026

**8:00 AM -
5:00 PM**

AOR Course Continues - Day 2

Second day covering controlled substance registration, OSHA requirements, infection control plans, compliance programs, billing procedures roles and responsibilities of the medical director.

Full Conference Agenda

Thursday, April 30, 2026

Agenda subject to change

8:00 AM -
8:45 AM

Registration

8:45 AM

President's Welcome

Opening remarks and conference overview from the TAA President.

9:00 AM -
10:30 AM

State EMS Update

The State of the State Address covering current initiatives, regulatory changes, and future directions for EMS in Texas.

10:30 AM – 10:45 AM: Refreshment Break

10:45 AM -
12:15 PM

Medicare Review: Updates and Reminders (AOR CE REQUIRED)

Gail Atnip, Novitas Solutions, Inc.

Comprehensive overview of current regulations, billing updates, and compliance requirements specific to EMS.

Operational Track

Matt Zavadsky, EMS/Mobile Healthcare Consultant PWW|AG

President's Lunch, Awards, Membership Meeting & Board Elections
12:15 PM - 1:30 PM

**1:30 PM -
2:45 PM**

Medicare Review: Continued (AOR CE REQUIRED)

Gail Atnip, Novitas Solutions, Inc.

Operational Track

Matt Zavadsky, EMS/Mobile Healthcare Consultant PWW|AG

2:45PM – 3:00 PM: Refreshment Break

**3:00 PM -
5:00 PM**

MCO and HHSC – (AOR and Billing)

OSHA, Infection Control (AOR and Operational)

Scott Moore, Werfel, Moore & Kelly

Exhibitor's Reception

5:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Join us for networking and refreshments! Visit with our sponsors and exhibitors who make this conference possible.

Friday, May 1, 2026

**8:00 AM -
8:30 AM**

Registration

**9:00 AM -
12:00 PM**

Medicare Update

Brian Werfel, Werfel, Moore & Kelly

Analysis of recent policy changes, billing practices, and compliance strategies for ambulance services.

10:30 AM – 10:45 AM: Refreshment Break

Registration

MEMBERS

Initial Administrator of Record Course (AOR)

Before March 30 - \$650

After March 30 - \$700

Full Conference - Before March 30

1st Attendee - \$425

Additional - \$250

After March 30

\$475

\$300

NON-MEMBERS

Initial Administrator of Record Course (AOR)

Before March 30 - \$700

After March 30 - \$750

Full Conference - Before March 30

1st Attendee - \$600

Additional - \$375

After March 30

\$650

\$425

Cancellation Policy

Cancellation by an attendee after April 15, 2026 obligates the attendee to full payment of the registration. No refunds will be made after this date. If cancellation is received on or prior to April 15, 2026, a refund of all payments minus a \$25 administrative fee will be issued. Advance conference guarantees necessitate this policy.

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