

The Home of Surgical Oncology

Where cancer surgeons connect, learn, and lead.

The Society of Surgical Oncology (SSO) is the premier global community dedicated to advancing cancer care through education, research, and collaboration. As an SSO member, you gain access to the tools, knowledge, and network that empower you to excel at every stage of your career.

WHY JOIN SSO?

Education & Professional Development

- Gain exclusive access to **SurgOnc Academy**—your hub for on-demand, specialty-focused education.
- Earn Continuing Medical Education (CME) credits with automatic reporting to the American Board of Surgery for SSO members (Members are responsible for updating their diplomat number and licensure information in their member profile to ensure credits are reported accurately).
- Explore professional development opportunities through SSO member-led mentorship programs and connect with leading surgical oncologists.
 - **Foster the Future Mentorship Program**
 - **Presidential Scholars Mentorship Program**
 - **Career Catalyst Mentorship Program (CCMP)**
 - **Community Practice Mentorship Program**

Research Funding and Publications

- Become eligible to receive one of SSO's multiple **research funding opportunities**.
- Receive a complimentary online subscription to *Annals of Surgical Oncology*, the leading journal in the field.
- Receive discounted manuscript submission to *Surgical Oncology Insight*, SSO's open access journal.
- Gain insights into updated Guidelines, annual Consensus Statements, and societally-endorsed publications from SSO's 8 Disease-Site Work Groups.
- Benefit from SSO's Advocacy Task Force that focuses on providing resources and representation on local and federal issues involving Billing & Coding, RVU adjustments, and endorsements.

Career Growth & Opportunities

- Explore the **SSO Career Center** for job opportunities, career resources, and recruitment tools.
- Increase your visibility through the **SSO member directory** and professional network.
- Participate in an **Observership** through the International Career Development Exchange program with one of SSO's global partners.

Community, Leadership & Engagement

- Serve on one of SSO's 35+ **committees**, building strong professional relationships while helping shape the future of the field.
 - Gain opportunities to develop and present educational content.
- Connect with members of shared interests and specialties through **Peer Network Groups** to build relationships, exchange ideas, and support one another through every stage of your career.
- Access the **SSO Member Global Discussion Group** to exchange clinical expertise, discuss complex cases, and engage in peer-to-peer learning with colleagues from around the world.



Meetings & Member Savings

- Access discounted registration for SSO meetings and events including:
 - CGSO Board Review Course
 - Advanced Cancer Therapies
 - SSO Annual Meeting
 - Fellows Institute
- Earn free SSO Annual Meeting Pre-course registration.

Member-Only Access & Communication

- Access exclusive member benefits on the SSO Mobile App:
 - SurgOnc Academy
 - Peer Network Groups (PNGs)
 - SurgOnc Today® Podcast
 - Journals: *Annals of Surgical Oncology* and *Surgical Oncology Insight*
 - Member Directory and Chat Feature
 - Job Board
- Receive monthly member emails with key updates, opportunities, and important announcements.
- Stay informed and engaged with everything happening across SSO.

Tools for Your Practice

- Explore exclusive member-led resources, including billing and coding tools to support your day-to-day practice.
- Access the Choosing Wisely Initiative, aimed at addressing important conversations between patients and physicians.
- Receive monthly sustainability Nuggets comprised of resources to convert your practice into an eco-friendlier environment.

Recognition & Professional Identity

- Become eligible to serve in leadership roles within SSO, including positions on the Board of Directors and various committees.
- Gain eligibility for FSSO designation

Join the Community Defining Surgical Oncology

SSO is more than a membership—it's your professional home. Together, we are advancing the science, practice, and impact of surgical oncology worldwide.

Become a member today.

