



Asia and South Pacific Ostomy Association (ASPOA)

Singapore Conference - 20th and 21th October 2023

At Suntec Convention and Exhibition Centre

The Asia and South Pacific Ostomy Association (ASPOA) is the peak body for ostomy associations in the Asia and South Pacific Region.

After years of COVID we are excited that we have the chance to bring together people from Ostomy Associations all over the region to share our methods of operation and learn from each other's experience in this important work of supporting ostomates as well as building connections through the Ostomy community.

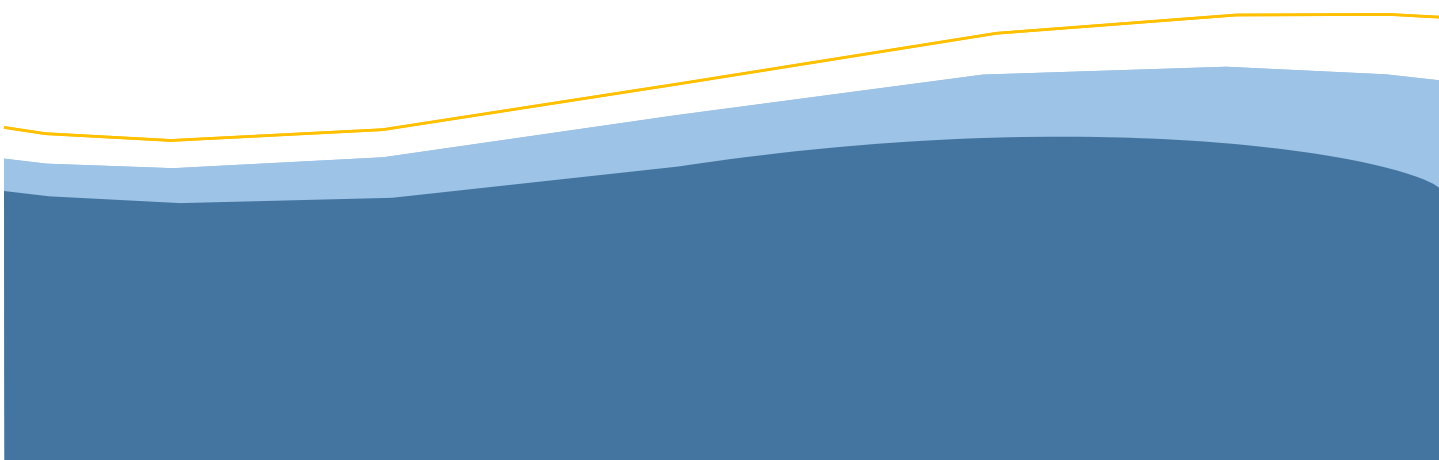
The ASPOA conference will be a stream at the international conference for Stomal Therapy Nurses (ASSR) and Colorectal Surgeons (APFCP). **Registration for ASPOA attendees is US\$75 for the Saturday ASPOA part of the Conference. There is also an optional Gala dinner on Saturday night which cost US\$25.**

A sponsored dinner for ASPOA attendees is also included on Friday Night.

The Conference will bring together Ostomates, Ostomy Association Staff and Ostomy Association Board Members and others who are who are interested in how Ostomates are provided support in the region and allow connections to be developed with the wider Ostomy community.

Draft Program attached for the ASPOA sessions.

To register and for further information please go to <https://www.apfcp.com/registration>



Singapore ASPOA Conference Sessions 2023 - v11

(Friday, 20 October) ASPOA Attendees Sponsored Dinner by Convatec at: Est. 1819, Boat Quay, Singapore

(Saturday, 21 October) ASPOA/IOA Delegates Conference - 0900 hours to 1630 Hours

Suntec City Combined Sessions Room Nicole 1 to 3	0730	Registration Desk Open
	0815-0900	Plenary Session 2
Suntec City Room Nicole 1	0900 - 0905	President's welcome
	0905 - 0940	ASPOA Review and Update
	0940 - 1000	Regional Strategic Plan - Presentation and Discussion
	1000 - 1030	ASPOA/IOA - Role and function
	1030 - 1100	Tea Break - Exhibition space
	1000 - 1115	Executive ASPOA Officers Election
	1115 - 1200	Stoma Associations Current Situation by Country x 6 (up to 10 minutes each)
	1200 - 1230	Parastomal Hernias by Ms Esther Thng (WOCNC) with Q & A
	1230 - 1330	Lunch - Exhibition Space
	1330 - 1410	Stoma Associations Current Situation by Country reports x 4 (up to 10 minutes each)
	1410 - 1500	Sexuality and Cancer by Martha Tara Lee (Psychologist)
	1500 - 1520	Tea Break - Exhibition space
	1520 - 1540	Ostomy Association of Singapore - Service design research study
	1540 - 1600	Harakesh Buch Professional Services Award - MDs and Nurses
Archie Vinetsky Award (started IOA) - Ostomy Associations outstanding contribution		
1600 - 1630	Future conferences	
Combined Session	1900	Gala Dinner