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### Call for Americas Region Expressions of Interest:

# Host the 2026 October Business Meetings & SNOMED CT Expo!

Once annually in October, SNOMED International and an individual Member country work together to hold an internationally-attended SNOMED CT event. The event is comprised of a four-day Business Meeting and a two-day SNOMED CT Expo, supplemented with regional and culturally focused social activities.

The Business Meetings allow SNOMED International governance and advisory bodies, such as the General Assembly, Management Board, Member Forum, Advisory Groups, and Clinical Reference Groups, to meet face-to-face and also gain exposure regarding the host country's health and eHealth environment.

By contrast, the Expo is a more externally-oriented event aimed at showcasing global SNOMED CT implementation successes and experiences.

With each event cycle a new call for hosts is made, encouraging Member consideration to submit a proposal to host the October events.

### GEOGRAPHIC EVENT TIMELINE

2025: EMEA Antwerp, Belgium

2024: ASIA-PAC Seoul, Republic of Korea

2023: AMERICAS Atlanta, USA

2022: EMEA Lisbon, Portugal

2020/2021: VIRTUAL

2019: ASIA-PAC Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

2018: AMERICAS Vancouver, Canada

2017: EMEA Bratislava, Slovak Republic

2016: ASIA-PAC Wellington, New Zealand

2015: AMERICAS Montevideo, Uruguay

2014: EMEA Amsterdam, Netherlands

2013: AMERICAS Washington, USA



## SNOMED International now invites 'Expressions of Interest' from Member Host Countries for October 2026

To maintain equality among the 3 global regions, proposals for 2026 are sought from:

• 2026: Americas Region Members

#### **HOW DOES THE SELECTION PROCESS WORK?**

#### **Call for Expression of Interest**

Call to SNOMED International Member countries to submit expressions of interest to host the October 2026 Business Meetings and SNOMED CT Expo events.

Deadline to Submit <u>Verbal</u> Expressions of Interest for Review by July 08, 2024.

#### **Request for Formal Proposals**

SNOMED International will shortlist Member hosts for 2026 with an invitation to prepare a formal proposal. Deadline to Submit Formal Proposals by October 02, 2024

Formal proposals submitted will require detailed information as outlined in the Host Country Proposal Requirements document, found on the Prospective Host Resource Page

Review of Formal Proposals by SNOMED International & Management Board: January 2025

Successful October 2026 Member host country decided upon and announced at the

#### LEARN MORE ABOUT MEMBER COUNTRY HOSTING

Learn more about what's involved in hosting the SNOMED International Business Meetings and SNOMED CT Expo:

- Review SNOMED International's <u>Prospective Host Resource Page</u>
- Contact your SNOMED International Customer Relations or Communications Executive



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