



OAMES 44th Annual Meeting & Exhibition Schedule

October 8-9, 2025 • The Grand Event Center • Columbus, Ohio

Presented by: ACU-Serve and OxyGo

Wednesday - October 8, 2025

8:30 am	Attendee Registration and Continental Breakfast
9:00 am	Welcome – Anthony LaCute, OAMES President; and Heidi Moss, OAMES Executive Director
9:15 am	Opening Keynote Speaker – Fragile Systems, Repairing the Communal Approach to Healthcare - Zachary Benedict, MKM architecture + design
9:30 am	HME Exhibitor Registration and Set-up
10:15 am	Coffee Break
10:30 am	Latest News on National Policies and Legislative Priorities – Cara Bachenheimer, Esq., Brown & Fortunato PC; and Jay Witter, American Association for Homecare
10:30 am	MCO Exhibitor Registration and Set-up
11:45 am	Lunch with Exhibitors <i>Lunch Sponsored by Prochant</i>
11:45 am	Exhibits Open – HME Exhibit Hall in Ballroom and MCO Pavilion in Pre-Function Area
1:00 pm	OAMES' 2024 Give-Back Recipient: A Kid Again
1:15 pm	Accountability Measures to Increase Productivity & Improve Culture - Miriam Lieber, Lieber Consulting
2:15 pm	ODM Update - Mark Rogers, Bureau of Health Plan Policy, Non-Institutional Policy Section
3:15 pm	Afternoon Break with Exhibitors
4:00 pm	Thriving Through Talent – Brooke Kraft, VGM
5:00 pm	OAMES AI Fresco! Reception in the Courtyard <i>Sponsored by: Compass Health, Professional Medical Supply, and VGM</i>
7:00 pm	Day 1 Adjourns

Thursday - October 9, 2025

8:00 am	Continental Breakfast – HME Exhibit Hall in Ballroom and MCO Pavilion in Pre-Function Area
8:30 am	Employee Engagement and Signs of Quiet Quitting – Jennifer Sylvester, ACU-Serve
9:45 am	State News: Ohio Legislative Update – Michelle Fitzgibbon, The Fitzgibbon Group
10:15 am	Coffee Break with Exhibitors, Exhibits Close at 10:45 am – HME Exhibit Hall in Ballroom and MCO Pavilion in Pre-Function Area
10:45 am	HME Payer Update – Laura Williard, American Association for Homecare
12:00 pm	Lunch & Closing Session – Employee Retention – Explore Your Options – Miriam Lieber, Lieber Consulting
1:30 pm	Prize Drawings and Conference Adjourns