Lodging and Location

Location
It's hard to match the stunning beauty of the Palm Springs/Palm Desert area in winter. Spectacular mountain and desert scenery, balmy temperatures, legendary golf courses, and some of the world’s finest resorts together create the appeal of this popular travel destination.

Palm Desert’s sophisticated El Paseo is a shopper’s paradise—magnes familiar to Paris, New York and Beverly Hills blended with boutiques, cafes and galleries unique to this desert community. A short distance away, Palm Springs offers its own myriad of shopping opportunities presented in the flamboyant style that is unmistakably its own.

Directly across the street from the Marriott’s Rancho Las Palmas Resort and Spa is “The River.” Multiple shops, restaurants, theaters and a bookstore are within walking distance.

Travel to the Palm Springs/Palm Desert area is easy, too. Palm Springs International Airport offers dozens of flights each day from major city airports around the country. Ontario International Airport is 90 minutes drive by freeway and besides the major carriers it offers discount carriers including Southwest and Jet Blue.

Lodging
Charm, sophistication and superb service are hallmarks of the conference hotel, Marriott’s Las Palmas Resort and Spa in Rancho Mirage. Spanish Hacienda style accommodations, fine dining, magnificent views and the excellent quality of personal service distinguish this Mobile Four-Star and AAA Four-Diamond resort.

Golf enthusiasts will appreciate the magnificent views from the 27-hole Ted Robinson-designed course. Twenty-five lighted courts are available for tennis buffs, with eight lighted courts for night play.

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Reservations
Make hotel reservations directly by calling (760) 568-2727. Identify yourself as an attendee of the Loma Linda University Anesthesia Symposium to receive special conference rates. Reservations by January 16, 2006 will ensure the conference rate of $240 single/ double room rate; occupancy taxes are additional.
Course Descriptions

Purpose
This program is designed to update anesthesiologists and CRNAs on recent advances in selected areas that are pertinent to contemporary anesthetic practice. Each participant will be provided with a syllabus that has been prepared by the speakers and will serve as an ongoing reference.

Program Objectives
This course will address the changing concepts and recent advances in several areas of anesthesia. Issues relevant to contemporary practice will be addressed covering a wide range of clinically important topics with an emphasis on the impact of management on outcomes for patients in the perioperative period. Directed panel discussions will allow the practitioners to assess the possible application of the topics presented to their individual practice settings. Questions will be encouraged from the attendees.

Optional Workshop
Sunday, February 19, 2006, 14:30 to 17:30

Disclosure
The American Association of Nurse Anesthetists (AANA) has granted approval for up to 23 Category I hours/23 AANA credits available

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