

July 30, 2019

FROM: Your SATRO® Planning Committee

## Dear Colleagues:

Please mark your calendar to join us at the 22<sup>nd</sup> annual meeting of the Southern Association of Therapeutic Radiation Oncology (SATRO®), "Facing Challenges, Forging Solutions", which will be held April 23-24, 2020, at the Atlanta Marriott Perimeter Center. The hotel offers shuttle service to the nearby Perimeter Mall (<a href="https://www.perimetermall.com/">https://www.perimetermall.com/</a>), offering 200 enticing shops and services. We have negotiated a special rate, \$169/night for up to four (4) guests, so bring the family! In addition, parking for attendees and guests is discounted.

A number of speakers have been invited to submit abstracts. As the planning committee selects the program topics to be offered, the pictures of those speakers will be posted at the Speakers tab of our website. This year we anticipate that all presentations will in a general session format, but there will be several refreshment breaks and other opportunities to network with attendees and vendor staff. Along with presentations by some of the preeminent billing and coding consultants in radiation oncology, we will again offer a consultant panel to answer your billing and coding questions.

In uncertain economic times such as these, SATRO® offers you one of the most cost-effective continuing education solutions. We plan to submit CEU approval requests to AAPC, ASRT, MDCB and ROCC®. We think you will agree that Atlanta is a great meeting venue, that registration and hotel costs are competitive when compared to other radiation oncology conferences, and that our 'compressed' schedule (1.5 days) permits your time away from work to be quite manageable. Plus, the nearby entertainment options available in Atlanta will easily fill any 'idle' time which you may have.

To access program information, information about speakers and the conference schedule, as well as lodging and registration specifics, please periodically check back as we update our website, by going to <a href="https://www.satro.org">www.satro.org</a>. In addition, you may wish to join our chat group of over 550 radiation oncology professionals on Yahoo (<a href="https://groups.yahoo.com/">http://groups.yahoo.com/</a>), for the latest billing and coding information. See the SATRO® website for details on how you may enroll.

To register, please download the form found at the Registration tab of our website, and submit it with payment, by mail to: SATRO®, P.O. Box 2496, Matthews, NC 28106, or by e-mail it to: mysatro@aol.com.