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AGENDA AT A GLANCE

DAY I: TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2026

(Included in standard Congress registration)

- 11:00 am** Registration Opens
- 1:00 pm – 5:45 pm** HALF-DAY FOCUSED SPECIALTY SUMMITS
- Specialty Summit 1:** Whistleblower Complaints: From Hotline to Resolution: Managing Internal Investigations, Whistleblower Risk & Escalation Decisions
- Specialty Summit 2:** Pharmaceutical and Medical Device Advanced Privacy and Security/Cybersecurity Updates
- Specialty Summit 3:** Managing Medical–Commercial Interactions: Strategic Collaboration, Evolving Roles & Risk-Based Governance
- Specialty Summit 4:** AI in Action: Real-World Compliance Case Studies from the Front Lines of AI Use in Life Science Compliance Departments
- Specialty Summit 5:** GP 101: A Primer on the Fundamentals of Government Pricing for Compliance Officers & The Evolving Pricing and Contracting Landscape: What Compliance Officers Need to Know

DAY II: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2026

7:00 am Registration Opens & Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall

8:00 am – 8:50 am MORNING MINI SUMMITS: GROUP 1

MS1: Compliance Independence in the Real World: Governance Models That Work

MS2: Data Analytics and Compliance Monitoring in an AI-Powered World

MS3: Evolution of Patient Finding Activities

MS4: First Product Launch: Policy Development Strategies and Techniques

MS5: Manufacturer–Specialty Pharmacy Relationships: Managing Compliance Risk in Specialty and Rare-Disease Commercial Models

9:00 am – 9:50 am MORNING MINI SUMMITS: GROUP 2

MS6: From Pronouncements to Practice: Understanding DOJ Enforcement Priorities

MS7: Boring is Risky! Want Stronger Ethics and Compliance Engagement? Train & Communicate Colorfully

MS8: The Agentic Compliance Function of the Future

MS9: On the Front Lines: Navigating Field Force & Sales Compliance Risk

MS10: Ethicist Global Compliance Update

MS11: Designing HCP Engagement with Transparency Built In

9:50 am – 10:10 am NETWORKING BREAK (in the Exhibit Hall)

10:10 am – 11:00 am MORNING MINI SUMMITS: GROUP 3

MS12: Compliance and M&A: Why Early Engagement Matters

MS13: The State of Medical Device Compliance: Annual Industry Roundtable

MS14: The State We're In: Legal Trends Reshaping Pharmaceutical Compliance

MS15: Identifying and Managing Risk Associated with AI

MS16: Third Party Risk Management

MS17: Navigating Today's Enforcement Landscape with Culture, Data, and Ethics

11:10 am – 12:00 pm MORNING MINI SUMMITS: GROUP 4

MS18: Risk Advantage: How Resilient Organizations are Capturing Opportunity through Uncertainty

MS 19: View from the Top: Practical Advice for Accelerating Your Compliance Career

MS 20: Direct-to-Consumer (DTC) Models: Emerging Compliance Risks and Governance Considerations

MS 21: Fair Market Value: Practical Strategies and Targeted Insights for Building Defensible FMV Frameworks

MS 22: Swipe Right on Privacy: Navigating the State Privacy Law Landscape

MS 23: Agentic Risk Management: Transforming Compliance Across Key Business Processes

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AGENDA AT A GLANCE, CONTINUED

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

NETWORKING LUNCHEON

1:00 pm – 5:45 pm

PHARMA/DEVICE CONGRESS OPENING PLENARY SESSION

Welcome and Introduction: PCF Board

C-Suite Keynote Welcome Fireside Chat

Annual Keynote OIG Update by Mary Riordan, JD

US DOJ & AUSA Roundtable

Tech & Human-in-the-Loop Compliance — Why Human Judgment Matters More than Ever

Networking Break in the Exhibit Hall

The Next Generation of Compliance: Leveraging Data to Stay Ahead of Risk

Integrated Risk Transformation in Pharma: From Compliance Burden to Strategic Advantage

Annual Chief Compliance Officer Leadership Roundtable

Opening Plenary Session Adjournment

5:45 pm – 6:45 pm

NETWORKING RECEPTION

DAY III: THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2026

7:00 am

Registration Opens: Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall

8:00 am – 12:00 pm

PCF CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER ROUNDTABLE *(PCF-Sponsored, Exclusive Invitation-Only, Closed-Door Session)*

8:00 am – 8:50 am

MORNING MINI SUMMITS: GROUP 5

MS24: External Funding Risks and Mitigation: Latest Trends in Exhibit & Display and Sponsorship Requests

MS25: A Look Under the Hood: Exploring PBM and Payer Arrangement Risks and Emerging Reporting Requirements

MS26: From Speak-Up to Proof: Turning DOJ and OIG Expectations into Defensible, AI-Enabled Compliance Operations

MS27: Speaker Programs in 2026: Practical Legal and Compliance Considerations for Executing from Beginning to End Amid Ongoing Scrutiny

MS28: Pending

9:00 am – 9:50 am

MORNING MINI SUMMITS: GROUP 6

MS29: Building the Compliance Operating Model for What's Next

MS30: Leveraging AI for More Efficient and Effective Investigations

MS31: Compliance Considerations, Enforcements and Guidelines on Social Media Activities

MS32: Building a Compliance Roadmap: Practical Strategies for Scaling Compliance Programs

MS33: Fair Market Value in Flux: Navigating Complex Fee Arrangements, HCP & Patient Engagement, and Influencer Compensation Risks

MS34: Future-Proofing the Compliance Function: Operating Models for an AI-Enabled World

9:50 am – 10:10 am

NETWORKING BREAK (in the Exhibit Hall)

10:10 am – 11:00 am

MORNING MINI SUMMITS GROUP 7

MS35: Pending

MS36: Pending

MS37: Pending

MS38: Emerging Commercial & Market Access Risk in Life Sciences: Navigating Innovation, Compliance, and Evolving Access Models

MS39: Pending

MS40: Digital Ecosystem Considerations for Pharmaceutical Companies

11:10 am – 12:00 pm

MORNING MINI SUMMITS GROUP 8

MS41: Holistic, Ongoing Monitoring Case Studies in Compliance

MS42: Compliance Considerations for Rare Disease Products

MS43: Effectively Leveraging Post-Investigation Mitigation to Create a Narrative of Continuous Improvement

MS44: Transparency Reporting; Update on the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services Open Payments Program

MS45: Can Learning Data Reduce Risk? Using Measurement to Drive Defensible, Risk-Based Compliance Training

MS46: AI in Clinical Practice: Compliance, Governance & FDA Oversight

12:00 pm – 1:10 pm

NETWORKING LUNCHEON (with Dessert and Coffee in the Exhibit Hall)

12:10 pm – 1:00 pm

LUNCHEON MINI SUMMITS GROUP 9

MS47: Direct-to-Consumer (DTC) Models in the Pharmaceutical Space

MS48: ROI of AI: Separating Value from Hype

MS49: Lean, Credible, Defensible: Compliance Programs That Work Without Big Budgets

MS50: Compliance Considerations for Small to Mid-Size Companies

MS51: Pending

MS52: Annual FDA Office of Prescription Drug Promotion Update

1:10 pm – 5:15 pm

CLOSING PLENARY SESSION

Welcome and Introduction: PCF Board
Annual DOJ Civil Division Keynote Update
Investigations, Enforcement and Prosecutions Roundtable
Market Access in 2026 and Beyond: A Shifting Compliance Landscape
Burgeoning Compliance Risks
Networking Break in the Exhibit Hall
Enterprise Compliance Risk and the Role of AI
Managing Risk in Unsettled Times
Updates from AdvaMed, BIO and PhRMA

5:15 pm

CLOSING PLENARY SESSION ADJOURNMENT

DAY IV: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2026

8:00 am – 12 pm

INDUSTRY-ONLY COMPLIANCE BEST PRACTICES THINK TANK

(Hosted by PCF: Industry-only Session for Pharmaceutical and Medical Device Company Ethics and Compliance Professionals and In-house Counsel only)

Inside the New DOJ Initiative: The Rising Importance of Data Miners
Wins & Losses in the Early Days of AI — Audience Discussion Session
Mitigating Access Pressures: Evolving Customer Engagement Models, Field Role Overlap, and Office-Imposed Restrictions
Breakouts by Company Size
Open Forum & Benchmarking

12 pm

CONGRESS ADJOURNMENT