



January 2026 Newsletter

Interested in NEJM Image-Style Case Curation? Join ATS Quick Hits as a Reviewer!

ATS is revamping the ATS Quick Hits Program with brief, image-based clinical cases designed to help clinicians efficiently sharpen their diagnostic and interpretive skills in pulmonary, critical care, and sleep medicine. Each case features a concise clinical vignette paired with a key image such as a radiograph, ultrasound, bronchoscopy view, waveform, pathology slide, or

sleep study followed by a short discussion of the finding, clinical diagnosis, and/or treatment options and multiple-choice question(s). If you are interested in serving as a reviewer to review submitted cases, please email Lekshmi Santhosh to get more involved as soon as possible!

ATS Medical Education Grant (\$10K!) Applications Due Shortly!

The ATS is supporting educators and investigators who are redefining how pulmonary, critical care, and sleep medicine are taught and learned. Through two innovative grant programs, faculty and medical educators can secure funding to design, implement, and evaluate creative educational approaches that drive meaningful impact across institutions, and training programs:

Medical Education Research Grant (\$10,000), sponsored by the Section on Medical Education (SoME).

ATS-APCCMPD Research Grant for Medical Education of the Physician-Scientist (\$10,000), sponsored by the ATS and the Association of Pulmonary and Critical Care Medical Program Directors (APCCMPD).

The 2026 grant cycle is now open – explore your eligibility and plan your proposal today!

ATS Resident Boot Camp Deadline Extended

Great news! The registration deadline for the ATS Resident Boot Camp (Adult and Pediatric programs) has been extended to **Monday, Feb. 2**. If you have a trainee or mentee who has recently matched into a **Pulmonary/Critical Care** or **Pediatric Pulmonary** fellowship, please encourage them to register as soon as possible [here](#). This program is truly outstanding—and it's honestly what got me *hooked* on ATS!

Interested in Medical Education Mentorship through ATS?

Are you looking for mentorship in medical education from nationally recognized Med Ed leaders, or interested in paying it forward by serving as a Med Ed mentor? Consider signing up for the ATS Assemblies Mentorship Program! To participate, select the BSHSR Assembly, then choose Medical Education to be matched with a mentor or mentee. Matches will be made for those who sign up by Friday, Mar. 6. This is a great opportunity to learn, connect, and grow within the ATS Med Ed community.

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If you or your colleagues aren't receiving emails from us, please log into your ATS account and check your communication preferences to ensure you're subscribed to emails from the Section on Medical Education.

Important: Be sure to **open emails from ATS** regularly! If a member doesn't open 11 consecutive emails, they may be marked as "unengaged" and automatically removed from future email distributions.