National Shoulder and Elbow Week

2026 National Shoulder and Elbow Week Host Site Application
May 2026

Thank you for applying to serve the **ASES Foundation** in promoting its mission to foster scientific advances and enhance the study of shoulder and elbow surgery. The **National Shoulder & Elbow Week (NSEW)** program has been a unique opportunity to not only raise funds but promote our society and its members through **grass-roots community collaboration** with patients, providers, administrators and industry.

This application will give the **Patient-Centered Initiatives Committee** an opportunity to learn more about your proposed event. As a site host, you will become a member of the **ASES Foundation's Patient-Centered (PCI) committee** with monthly calls. Collaborating frequently with your local subcommittee members is essential for success. As you put your proposal together, giving preliminary consideration to a budget for the event and ideas to promote it will be quite helpful. The PCI Committee and a group of prior Site Host Mentors will help you through the process if selected. Thank you for your time and interest in helping The ASES Foundation and ASES society.

Please address the following items when explaining your interest in hosting a 2026 NSEW regional event:

1. **Proposed host city/region**

2. **Subcommittee members (3-5 suggested)**

3. **Goals for NSEW event (topics, themes, speakers, attendance, and fundraising targets Note: In 2024, $50,000-$150,000 was raised per site from ticket sales, sponsorships, and donations)**

4. **Potential venues**

5. **Potential local uses for grant money (i.e. Research, Education, Events locally focused on shoulder and elbow health)**

Please submit your application by: March 15, 2025

Send to: ASES Foundation at info@asesfdn.org