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Where is the 2024 OHDSI Global Symposium being held?

The OHDSI Global Symposium is being held Tuesday, Oct. 22 – Thursday, Oct. 24 at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA.

What is the hotel's address and phone number?

The Hyatt Regency is located at 2 Albany Street, New Brunswick, New Jersey, 08901

Hotel Main Number: (732) 873-1234

Toll-Free Reservations: (800) 233-1234 **(when calling, please refer to the OHDSI Symposium, Group Code: G-OHDS)**

What are the hotel check-in and check-out times?

Hotel check-in time is 3:00 pm (ET); hotel check-out time is 12:00pm (ET).

Does Hyatt offer free Wi-fi in its hotel rooms?

Yes, the hotel offers free Wi-Fi in its guest rooms and public spaces.

Is there a fee to attend the Global Symposium and the Tutorials?

The registration fee for the symposium and workgroups activities is \$500; additional fees for the tutorials are \$100-\$200; however, as this is an open and inclusive event, if the registration fees presents a burden for you, please contact symposium@ohdsi.org and request a discounted or free ticket.

How do I register for the Symposium & Tutorials from Tuesday, Oct. 22 to Thursday, Oct. 24?

[Eventbrite OHDSI Global Registration](#)

[Symposium Homepage on OHDSI Website](#)

How can I find out about the tutorials offered on Tuesday, Oct. 22?

[Please click here](#) to read about the tutorials offered on Oct. 22.

[Please click here](#) to see the tutorials and schedule of events on Oct. 22.

How can I find out about the workgroup activities offered on Thursday, Oct. 24?

[Please click here](#) to read about the workgroup activities offered on Oct. 24.

[Please click here](#) to see the workgroups and schedule of events on Oct. 24.

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How do I change or cancel my registration tickets?

Upon registration completion you received an Eventbrite confirmation email. On that email it states, “view and manage” your order online. After you click this link, it will take you to Eventbrite where you can either create an account or log into your existing account. Once you are on the Eventbrite website, please click on the event name and then EDIT (on the upper right side) and make your changes; click SAVE at the bottom of the page.

You may cancel your registration tickets up to 7 days prior to the event’s start date. You may log into your Eventbrite account and click “Request a Refund” on the left side of the page. You will receive a cancellation email from Eventbrite; please note that Eventbrite fees are not refundable. You may change your workgroup activity (based upon availability) by logging back into your account and changing your selection. Please remember to SAVE your changes. If you need to change your registration ticket package, you may log into your Eventbrite account and click on TRANSFER on the upper right side. After you click transfer, you will select “Change Ticket” and Eventbrite will either credit or add additional fees to your new ticket package.

Where can I get information to participate in this year’s Collaborator Showcase?

Please visit the [Collaborator Showcase Page](#) on the OHDSI website for more information. The deadline to submit a brief report for the Collaborator Showcase is June 21, by 8pm ET.

How can I host a collaboration event for the community on Tuesday, Oct. 22?

[Please fill out this form](#) to inquire about hosting a collaboration activity on Oct. 22.

Will there be a webcast or virtual component of the Symposium?

No, there is no webcast or virtual component of the symposium. Videos will be available on the OHDSI website 2-3 weeks after the symposium concludes.

Are sleeping rooms being offered at the Hyatt Regency for the symposium?

There is a small room block for the symposium at a discounted rate of \$199 plus taxes per night for Oct. 21-24 (extra fees apply for more than two in a room). Once the room block is full or if you need additional nights, you may book a hotel room on the hotel’s website at their prevailing rates and upon availability.

We ask that you do not cancel your hotel room made through the OHDSI room block. If you must cancel, please do so by **Thursday, Sept. 15**, so that we can offer the room to others who may need one.

[Book Your OHDSI Guestroom Here](#)

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Will meals be provided at the Symposium?

A lite breakfast buffet and a buffet lunch will be offered at the Symposium from Tuesday, October 22 to Thursday, October 24. Please check the agenda for details as we get closer to the event date.

How can I offer sponsorship to the OHDSI community?

Please email sponsorship@ohdsi.org for further information.

How can I become an exhibitor at the 2024 OHDSI Global Symposium?

Please email symposium@ohdsi.org and inquire about exhibit space and fees. Please explain how your product/service connects to the OMOP CDM, OHDSI tools or OHDSI stakeholders.

How can I get driving directions to the hotel?

Please click here for directions [Google Maps](#)

Is there parking at the Hyatt Regency Hotel?

Yes. The hotel offers a discounted daily self-parking fee of \$10 a day for OHDSI attendees. The overnight parking fee for registered OHDSI guests is \$20 per night. The parking garage is located at the hotel.

What modes of transportation can I take to the hotel?

Airports (please note that there are no airport shuttles to/from the hotel)

Newark Liberty International Airport (EWR) is approximately 30 minutes (24 Miles) to the hotel. Please click this link for additional airport information [Newark Liberty International Airport \(EWR\) \(newarkairport.com\)](http://newarkairport.com)

Please click this link below for driving directions from Newark Int'l Airport to the Hyatt Regency Hotel [Newark Liberty Intl Airport \(EWR\) New Jersey to Hyatt Regency Hotel](#)

For other modes of transportation from Newark Int'l Airport to the hotel, you can check out this link [Newark Liberty Intl Airport \(EWR\) to Hyatt Regency New Brunswick \(rome2rio.com\)](#)

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La Guardia Airport (LGA) is approximately one hour (50 miles) to the hotel. Please note that in traffic this travel time can be significantly longer. Please click this link for additional airport information [New York LGA - LaGuardia Airport](#)

Please click this link below for driving directions from La Guardia Airport to the Hyatt Regency Hotel [New York La Guardia Airport \(LGA\) to Hyatt Regency Hotel](#)

For other modes of transportation from La Guardia Airport to the hotel, you can check out this link [New York LaGuardia Airport \(LGA\) to Hyatt Regency New Brunswick \(rome2rio.com\)](#)

John. F. Kennedy International Airport (JFK) is approximately one hour (50 miles) to the hotel. Please note in traffic the travel time can be significantly longer. Please see this link for additional airport information [JFK - John F. Kennedy International Airport \(jfkairport.com\)](#)

Please click this link below for driving directions from JFK Int'l Airport to the Hyatt Regency Hotel [New York JFK Airport to Hyatt Regency Hotel](#)

For other modes of transportation from JFK to the hotel, you can check out this link [New York JFK Airport \(JFK\) to Hyatt Regency New Brunswick \(rome2rio.com\)](#)

Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) is approximately 1.5 hours (70 miles) to the hotel. Please note that in traffic this travel time can be significantly longer. Please see this link for additional airport information [Philadelphia International Airport \(PHL\) | PHL.org](#)

Please click this link below for driving directions from Philadelphia Int'l Airport to the Hyatt Regency Hotel [Philadelphia Intl Airport \(PHL\) to the Hyatt Regency Hotel](#)

For other modes of transportation from Philadelphia Airport to the hotel, you can check out this link [Philadelphia Airport \(PHL\) to Hyatt Regency Hotel \(rome2rio.com\)](#)

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Amtrak Train

The Amtrak New Brunswick station (NBK) is a 5-minute walk from the Hyatt Regency Hotel. The station address is French St & Albany St, New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Please visit the Amtrak website for further information [New Brunswick, NJ \(NBK\) | Amtrak](#)

Please click this link for directions to/from the hotel to the Amtrak New Brunswick train station [Directions To/From Hotel to the NBK Amtrak Station](#)

The Amtrak train travel time from New York's Moynihan Penn Station (NYP) to New Jersey's New Brunswick train station (NBK) is approximately 45 minutes (and then a 5-minute walk to the hotel).

Taxis

All Brunswick Taxi, allbrunswicktaxi.com, 732-545-0900

AAA Taxi, [Taxi Service & Transportation | New Brunswick New Jersey \(aaataxinj.com\)](http://Taxi Service & Transportation | New Brunswick New Jersey (aaataxinj.com)), 732-628-0000

****Uber and Lyft operate in New Jersey.**

New Jersey Transit [NJ TRANSIT | New Jersey Transit Corporation | New Jersey](#)

Bus

A Coach USA Bus Stop is located at Albany and Spring Street, a few minutes' walk from the hotel. [Welcome to Suburban Transit | CoachUSA](#)

From this stop to/from New York City is approximately one hour and costs approx. \$15 per person.

Port Authority Bus Station in Manhattan

Please click this link for bus information from/to the Port Authority Bus Terminal in Manhattan from/to New Brunswick, New Jersey [Port Authority Bus Terminal to Hyatt Regency New Brunswick \(rome2rio.com\)](#)

What is the closest area for restaurants and shopping near the hotel?

The Hyatt Regency is located in New Brunswick where there are plenty of restaurants and retail stores within walking distance to the hotel. You may visit this site for further information [New Brunswick | VisitNJ.org](#)

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What events are taking place in New York City in October?

New York City has many events year-round in all 5 boroughs, Long Island, update New York, and neighboring states (Connecticut and New Jersey). Below are some links to find events, tours, parks, Broadway shows, best 2024 or oldest restaurants, and the many diverse neighborhoods in NYC.

[NYC Events October 2024 | New York, NY](#)

[New York City: Tours and Tickets - Tripadvisor](#)

[The Best Parks to Enjoy All Year Round in NYC | Best NYC Parks \(timeout.com\)](#)

[Broadway Tickets | Broadway Shows | Theater Tickets | Broadway.com](#)

[The Top Michelin Star NYC Restaurants \(secretnyc.co\)](#)

[11 Oldest Restaurants in NYC \(Open Since the 19th Century!\) \(familydestinationsguide.com\)](#)

[New York City Neighborhoods | The Official Guide to New York City \(nycgo.com\)](#)

Please click the hotel link below to find out more about the amenities offered at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in New Brunswick, New Jersey.

[Hyatt Regency New Brunswick](#)

If you need more information regarding the 2024 OHDSI Global Symposium, please email us at symposium@ohdsi.org. We will try to get back to you within 48 hours.

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