LIVER HEALTH SYMPOSIUM
GLOBAL LIVER INSTITUTE

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# 2026 AT A GLANCE

## Program Summary:

Global Liver Institute hosted its second annual Liver Health Symposium on June 27 in Orlando, Florida, bringing together community members, patients, caregivers, healthcare professionals, and advocates for a one-day educational event dedicated to improving liver health awareness and outcomes. Expert faculty from Mayo Clinic, Florida State University Health, UF Health, and other leading institutions delivered tailored educational sessions for both community and clinical audiences.

The community track engaged the patient community on liver disease fundamentals, patient advocacy, emerging therapies, and lifestyle interventions. The provider track focused on early risk stratification, metabolic dysfunction-associated steatotic liver disease (MASLD), cirrhosis, screening, and advances in liver cancer diagnosis and treatment. The symposium also featured a community health fair with comprehensive liver, kidney, and heart screening services, providing attendees with educational resources and connections to local services.

## Community Healthcare Partners:

- Care Access
- Center for Multicultural Wellness and Prevention
- Eisai
- FSU Florida Healthy Liver Program
- GLI's Liver Action Network
- Harmony Healthcare Orlando
- K2 Medical Research
- Mayo Clinic
- Mental Health Association of Central Florida
- Orange County Medical Clinic
- Sirtex
- Type Zero Foundation
- UF Health
- United Against Poverty

## Key Numbers:

**70**
*Attendees*

**14**
*Health Fair Booths*

**50+**
*Health Screenings Provided*

**2**
*Educational Tracks*

- Healthcare Provider Track
- Community, Patient, and Caregiver Track

**16**
*Speakers*

## Testimonials:

"Learning that liver diseases can go unseen and the relationship between liver diseases and diabetes."

"Most liver diseases are reversible if patients are screened and interventions are used early. Comorbidities, such as diabetes, are commonly linked to liver diseases."

"I aim to expand the Florida Healthy Liver Program to other primary care sites in Florida to detect liver disease at the earliest stage in the general population setting.

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