INSTRUCTIONS FOR ABSTRACTS

General Information

• Abstracts will be considered for oral presentation, short communication or poster presentation.

• All abstracts must be submitted via the following link:

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• Deadline for abstract submission: March 21, 2025

• Applicants will be notified about the acceptance of their abstract by April 15, 2025.

• The conference will be accredited by the Health and Social Care Quality Assurance Agency (HSQAA).

• Individuals must register for the conference in order to present the submitted abstract.

Guidelines   for   abstract   preparation

The abstract is advised to be structured as follows:

Title: The title should be brief, without abbreviations or initials.

Authors: List the authors (full first and last names) and their affiliations in the desired order.

Affiliations: If the authors belong to more than one institution, please use 1, 2, 3, etc., to list them and place the corresponding number next to each author.

Contact information: Provide the email address of the corresponding author.

Abstract: The abstract should be a maximum of 250 words, excluding the title, authors' names, and   affiliations.

- Original research abstracts should be structured objectively and concisely, including the essential information according to the following sections:

  • **Introduction**: Authors should briefly present the existing literature on the topic and describe the key reasons that led to the development of the study.
  • **Objectives**: Authors should clearly specify the main objectives of the study. The objectives should be precise, measurable, and clearly defined.
  • **Methods**: The methods used to conduct the research should be described. This may include information on the study design, tools and techniques used for data collection, as well as strategies for their analysis. These details should be sufficient to allow for replication of the study by other researchers.
  • **Results**: Authors should present the study results clearly, including quantitative and/or qualitative data that support the study objectives. Results should be accurate, concise, and accompanied by statistical analyses.
  • **Conclusion**: Authors should summarize the main findings of the study and illustrate their contribution to the existing knowledge. The conclusion may also include study limitations and suggestions for further research.

- **Abstracts of Clinical Cases** should be structured as follows:
  • **Introduction**: In this section, authors should briefly present the importance of the clinical case and its medical context. They should describe why the case is interesting or unique and how it relates to existing literature.
  • **Case Presentation**: Authors should describe the details of the specific case: the patient's medical history, symptoms, clinical findings, test results, and any diagnostic or therapeutic procedures used. This section should be clear and provide detailed information to help the reader understand the complexity of the case.
  • **Discussion**: Authors should analyze and interpret the case, making connections to existing literature, examining diagnostic possibilities, treatments, and management similar to other cases. The discussion should also analyze how this case differs from standard protocols.
  • **Comments and Conclusions**: Authors should present the main conclusions of the case

and highlight the lessons learned for medical practice, offering valuable recommendations for improving the process of diagnosis and treatment in the future.

Bibliography: Each abstract must include references from recent years.
Text Style: Abstracts should be written in Times New Roman, font size 12, with single spacing.
Format: The abstract should be submitted in Microsoft Word or PDF format.

Evaluation procedure

All abstracts will be peer-reviewed by the Scientific Committee according to the following criteria:

(i) novelty and relevance of the research work;

(ii) methodology;

(iii) implications for research and practice.