1st National Medical Research Conference 2023 Organized by the Research Cell Ayub Medical College, Abbottabad

REGISTRATION AND SUBMISSION

Interested researchers will submit their abstract (poster and verbal) on designated email address mentioned on brochure and registration form. All fields of registration form must be mentioned correctly by the corresponding author who shall register on behalf of the entire team. The team is required to submit their Abstracts by 20^{th} April, 2023.

Ayub Medical College will scrutinize the submitted abstracts and shortlisted teams will be notified via emails. Registration fee will be paid within 3 working days.

Registration fee for participation in Poster Presentation Competition is Rs.1000/- per project and for Verbal Presentation Competition is Rs.1000/- per project. Fee submission instructions are provided in the registration form.

DEADLINES

- 1. Last date for abstract submission is 20th April, 2023.
- 2. Last date for submission of registration fee is 27th April, 2023.
- Last date for submission of final soft copy of the poster & verbal presentation is 29th April, 2023.

The final soft copy of the abstract poster & verbal presentation must be emailed with the evidence of fee payment, no later than 29th April, 2023 05:00 PM.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR PARTICIPANTS

- 1. All undergraduate students and trainees enrolled in a medical institution recognized by PMC.
- 2. Research abstracts submitted within stipulated time will be shortlisted after the scrutiny and participation in the competition will be finalized.
- 3. Abstract should contain: Title, Background (including Objectives and Rationale), Methodology, Results and Conclusion.
- 4. Maximum word limit is 300 words.
- 5. Each team will have minimum 2 and maximum 5 participants.

POSTER PRESENTATION COMPETITION:

CONTENT OF THE POSTER

- Title of the research.
- Name of the authors.
- Name of the educational institute.
- Introduction.
- Aims and objectives.
- Methods.
- Results.
- Conclusion.

FORMAT OF THE POSTER

- 1. Dimensions of the poster shall be 5 feet length and 3 feet width.
- 2. Poster should be well organized, decent fonts and color scheme may be used.
- 3. Avoid too much text and congestions; this will result in points deduction.
- 4. Maximum 3 pictures i.e. graphs, illustrations, charts, tables etc. must be included.
- 5. Please avoid any improper and objectionable content.
- 6. Selected teams will be informed via email after the deadline & poster template will be provided.
- 7. The soft copy of poster design (5*3) ready for print in PDF format shall be submitted within given deadline so that it can be printed on time.

PRESENTATION RULES

- English language will be used as official language.
- Time limit is 5 to 10 minutes.
- Researcher can present the primary results of the research.

VERBAL PRESENTATION COMPETITION:

COMPONENTS OF THE PRESENTATION

- 1. English language will be used as official language.
- 2. Maximum time limit is 15 minutes: 10 minutes for presentation and 5 minutes for Q & A session.
- 3. Presentation will be evaluated by using a standard template.
- 4. Only one investigator will be allowed to present the research study to the judging panel.
- 5. A suggested outline for the presentation is given below.

TITLE/TOPIC (1 SLIDE)

To ensure that your title and topic point directly to the focus of your research, check to see that key terms in the statement of the gap in the literature and the research aim are reproduced in the title.

RESEARCH 'PROBLEM' AND JUSTIFICATION (1-2 SLIDES)

Description of your research - what, how, why (the research was done) What issue, problem, controversy or important matter had led to research on the topic and set your research into wider context of the discipline

GAP IN THE LITERATURE (1-4 SLIDES)

Outlines the field of literature and the 'gap', the main findings to date, theories, debates, and remaining questions within the literature, and explains how the research contributed to the gap.

RESEARCH AIM, OBJECTIVE, OUESTION OR HYPOTHESIS (1 SLIDE)

- Outlines the focus or names the specific knowledge the research methodology aimed to generate.
- What was needed to answer the research question?

RESEARCH METHOD AND METHODOLOGY (1-5 SLIDES)

- Explains how research aim was achieved? Resources!
- How much time spent?
- What tools/methods were used? (Details may include)
- Theory tools used description of experiment or design tool the population or sample from which participants were selected location of the sample the sample size how the sample was selected surveys, questionnaires, and tests used.
- How the data generated was analyzed?
- Ethics and confidentiality does your research involve people? How the consent was taken?
- How the information was kept confidential?

RESEARCH KEY FINDINGS (1-2 SLIDES)

EXPECTED OUTPUT/TARGET BENEFICIARIES (1 SLIDE)

REFERENCES (1 SLIDE)

- Participants will be given certificates of participation.
- Students and Faculty can attend the conference as observers.
- CME Hours will be awarded to the faculty.
- Accommodation will be provided.