

Abstract Submission Guidelines



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What is an Abstract?

Abstract is a brief summary of the manuscript. The abstract should include the sections; background and aim of the project, brief description of methods, results and conclusion.

Abstracts essentially answer four questions:

1. What was the problem and the aim of the project?
2. Which methods did the author(s) use to find a solution to the problem?
3. What was discovered as a result of the research or practice?
4. What can be generalized or learned from these results?

Criteria for Review

The following criteria will be used to ascertain that the abstracts are acceptable.

1. Knowledge contribution: abstract builds on and expands previous work/literature/theories or shares valuable experiences from practice.
2. Innovativeness: material shared is up-to-date, innovative and will lead to future advancement in healthcare or the sciences.
3. Clarity: The abstract is clearly presented and includes all essential information.

Type of Abstracts Encouraged

- Research (Qualitative, Quantitative, Mixed, Action, Experimental, etc.)
- Clinical Audits
- Case Studies
- Reflections
- Literature Reviews
- Systematic Reviews
- Projects

(Only Genuine and Novel work will be accepted)





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- One author can submit more than one abstract on different topics.
- The abstract text should contain less than 350 words. Abstracts of more than 500 words will not be considered for reviewing.
- The body of the abstract should be organized into sections; Introduction, Methods, Results and Discussion, Conclusion, & Key Words.
- Type the title of the abstract in lower case, except for the first word, proper nouns and/or abbreviations/acronyms. Keep the title to a maximum of 100 characters.
- Names of authors and affiliations should be written below the title as shown in the 'Sample abstract format'.
- The name of the presenting author should be underlined and the corresponding author should be identified with an asterisk <*> sign after the author's name.
- The abstract should be one column, fitting into A4-sized paper, comprising of maximum one page;
 - Font type: Times New Roman
 - Font sizes: Title - 12, Body - 11
 - Alignment: Title/Authors - Center-aligned, Content - Justified.
- Top, Bottom and Right margins should all be set to 1.0 inch, and the left margin should be 1.25 inches.
- Should be submitted as softcopies in the below given format on or before **19th September, 2021** to bioinquirer.abstract@gmail.com.
- All abstracts must be submitted in English.
- Abstracts which are submitted after the closing date may not be accepted (contact an official to inquire regarding this).





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Important Information

- All submissions shall go through a peer review process through a pre-selected peer-review committee.
- Peer review shall be singly blinded with adequate safeguards regarding conflict of interest, etc.
- The decisions of the peer-review committee cannot be challenged.
- Authors selected for oral and poster presentation will be informed by **30th October, 2021**.
- Notices and instructions will be sent to the corresponding author's e-mail address provided at the time of abstract submission.
- Abstracts selected for presentation during the conference will be printed from the electronically-submitted material. Every effort will be made to reproduce the content of the abstracts as submitted.

Rejection Criteria

BioInquirer reserves the right to reject abstracts based on the following criteria:

- Abstracts not complying with style guidelines, including excessive length.
- Abstracts containing inappropriate/irrelevant content.
- Abstracts falling outside of the topical scope of the sessions.
- Advertising or purely descriptive papers.

Members of the BioInquirer '20 Scientific Committee are prepared to assist authors of such papers to develop their work for the BioInquirer 2021 audience.

