



Health Research Methods Course: Abstracts

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION DEADLINE: Monday December 19, 2011 at 5:00pm

****IMPORTANT:** Please ensure that you have read the requirements on this page before submitting your abstract.

After a successful first offering, the Health Research Methods Course is again inviting abstracts on innovative methodology that will contribute to our 2012 theme “Foundations for Innovations in Health Research Methods.”

Abstracts will be reviewed on the basis of the following criteria:

- novelty / innovation / creativity of methods used
- significance of the research
- clarity of presentation

Successful abstracts will be allocated a 20-minute presentation block (12-15 minute presentation, followed by 3-5 minutes for discussion) on Friday May 4, 2012.

Abstract Requirements

1. Title and Authors (please indicate presenting author using *)
2. Purpose and/or objective and/or hypothesis of research
3. Methods (Clearly indicate the novel or innovative method)
4. Results (if applicable)
5. Conclusions or Implications

Format

- 250 word maximum, 12 point, Times New Roman font, MS Word file
- Structured format. Please underline each heading (purpose, methods etc) and begin a new paragraph for each heading.

Other Considerations

1. Abstracts must not have been previously published.
2. Use of standard abbreviations is preferable. Identify special or unusual abbreviations in parenthesis after the full word when it appears for the first time.
3. You may submit more than one abstract, but each abstract must be submitted separately.
4. Submission will be considered as received; errors, misspelling and incorrect abbreviation will not be corrected.
5. Abstract presenters are responsible for covering their cost of the course registration.

Notification of abstract status will be sent on or before February 1, 2012. Send abstract submissions via email to Dr. Lynn McIntyre, Planning Committee Member, at lmcintyr@ucalgary.ca

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