Niagara Health Research Day - Call for Poster Presentations

Niagara Health is proud to announce the return of our Annual Research Day event on Thursday, February 10th, 2022!
This will be a virtual event

NH will be hosting a virtual poster presentation session at the upcoming NH Research Day. We invite you to submit your research or quality improvement work to share at this forum. Whether you are an NH staff, a student or a member the community conducting research or quality improvement work to support A Healthier Niagara, we want to hear from you! The presentation of research and quality improvement through a poster is one of the many ways in which you can enrich your academic and work experience.

How to Participate
All interested poster presenters must submit an abstract. The abstract should describe original research or quality improvement work and should be 250 words or less. You can submit your abstract to Barb Wiinholt at Barbara.Wiinholt@niagarahealth.on.ca.

Deadline
The deadline for abstract submission is **Thursday, December 23rd, 2021**. Applicants will receive a decision notification via email on or before **Monday, January 10th, 2022**.

What Is A Poster Presentation?
A research poster summarizes your research or quality improvement project in a concise and visually appealing way. It helps to publicize your work and generates productive discussion about methods, findings and implications. The poster itself is usually a mixture of brief text combined with tables, graphs and pictures to capture key aspects of the project.

Poster sessions are a great way to tell others about your research or quality improvement, in a format that is informal and highly interactive. It also allows you to connect with other students, professionals and researchers with similar interests.

Is My Study A Good Fit For The Poster Session?
Posters can report research or quality improvement work that is either in-progress or has been completed. There are no restrictions on the types of studies that can be presented.

What Will Happen After An Abstract Is Accepted?
Details for formatting and presenting your virtual poster will be shared when you receive the decision notification about your abstract.

We encourage you to start thinking about your poster well in advance. While there are no rules for creating the different sections of your poster, we suggest that it should contain the following sections and/or information:

- Title (with authors and affiliations)
- Introduction / Background
- Objectives / Aims / Goal / Problem
- Method/s
- Result/s
- Conclusions
- References (if any)
- Please make sure that your name and institution are clearly visible on the poster.

Additional information
- The research poster session will be held virtually during *NH's Research Day* on **February 10th, 2022**
- Details regarding the format for sharing virtual posters and participating in question and answer sessions will be shared in the email notifying you of the decision regarding your abstract.

If you would like further information please contact: Elaina Orlando, Research Manager at Elaina.Orlando@niagarahealth.on.ca