

## Rules for submission

Please read the submission rules before submitting an abstract

- Abstracts must be submitted online via the website only.
- ABSTRACTS SUBMITTED BY EMAIL WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
- If you wish to submit an abstract for the 23rd WFMH World Congress 'Mental Health – a global priority' please proceed to abstract submission and click on the relevant tickbox.
- Abstracts must be submitted in English.

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### Presentation Type:

- Abstracts may be submitted for oral or e-poster presentation.
- The Scientific Committee will determine whether the abstract will be accepted for presentation, with consideration given to the author's preference.

Abstracts must be received by the announced deadline. Abstracts received after the deadline will not be considered.

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### Limitations:

- The same person may submit up to 4 abstracts regardless of presenting author.
- The same person may serve as presenting author on up to 4 abstracts.
- Presenting authors must be registered participants.
- Only abstracts of authors who have paid their registration fees by the Early Registration Deadline of April 5th, 2021 will be scheduled for presentation.
- Submission of an abstract acknowledges your acceptance for the abstract to be published in the official Congress publications. The presenting author is required to ensure that all co-authors are aware of the content of the abstract and agree to its submission, before submitting the abstract.

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- Abstracts that have been previously presented at another meeting may not be submitted.

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### Disclosure of Conflicts of Interest:

- Abstract submitters will be required to disclose any conflict of interests in the submission form. Instructions for preparation of presentations will be made available on the Congress website.

# Guidelines for abstracts submission

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- Preferred Presentation type
  - Oral
  - E-Poster
- Abstract title. It must be in UPPER CASE and limited to 25 words. Please submit symbols as words.
- Abstract text. It is limited to 250 words including acknowledgements. Please note: word count is affected when tables are included.
- Abstract topic. Select the abstract topic from the list of topics.
- Images. The maximum file size of each image is 500 KB. The maximum pixel size of the graph/image is 600(w) x 800(h) pixel. You may upload images in JPG, GIF or PNG format.

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### Abstracts should clearly state:

- Objectives
- Methods
- Results
- Conclusions

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### Other instructions:

- Use only standard abbreviations. Place special or unusual abbreviations in parentheses after the full word the first time it appears.
- Use generic names of drugs. The presentation must be balanced and contain no commercial promotional content.
- Submissions may not contain patient names, hospital ID numbers or other identifying information.
- Click on the SUBMIT button at the end of the process in order to save your abstract.
- You will receive an abstract reference number via email after you have submitted your abstract.
- Please refer to this abstract number in all correspondence regarding the abstract.
- Please contact us if you have not received confirmation that your abstract has been submitted.

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### Changing a submitted abstract:

- You may log in to the system later to make changes to your abstract, up to the submission deadline.
- After the deadline, changes will not be possible.
- Please do not submit multiple copies of the same abstract.

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