



## CALL FOR PAPERS & POSTERS FOR ADOLESCON 2021, LUCKNOW

The Scientific Committee invites scientific abstracts for presentation during ADOLESCON 2021, the 21st Annual Conference of Adolescent Health Academy, to be held from 12th- 14th of November, 2021 at dAP platform hosted by Lucknow Adolescent Health Academy, Uttar Pradesh.

Before starting the submission process, please check the guidelines. For technical problems or submission support, please contact [adolescon2021lucknow@gmail.com](mailto:adolescon2021lucknow@gmail.com).

### IMPORTANT

- The last date for submitting abstracts is 30th September 2021. This deadline will be strictly observed.
- Authors should submit abstracts with a clear understanding that the research work is original, and has been conducted following all necessary regulatory approvals, including clearance from an institutional/independent ethics committee. The submitting author should also declare that all the listed authors qualify ICMJE authorship criteria.
- Central AHA membership number is mandatory for presenting author. The presenting author should be listed as first author of the abstract. In case presenting author has applied for membership, please mention "Applied for Membership" in the membership number field.
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- ADOLESCON 2021 does not take responsibility for abstracts which are not considered due to wrongly entered membership number/membership application.
- Papers from non-members will not be accepted.

### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- Abstracts must be received by the announced deadline. Abstracts received after the deadline will not be considered.
- Abstracts must be submitted via the email to [adolescon2021lucknow@gmail.com](mailto:adolescon2021lucknow@gmail.com).

- Abstract should be written only in English. The acceptable word limit for each category as mentioned should not exceed.
- The selection and format for mode of presentation (oral or e-poster) of free papers will be decided by the scrutinizing committee from amongst the abstracts received and authors will be informed accordingly.
- Abstract content will be reproduced exactly as submitted, therefore proofreading beforehand is essential. Please conduct a spell check of your document. Before submission as this will help avoid typographical errors.
- Please do not submit multiple copies of the same abstract.
- Abstracts have been previously presented at another meeting may not be submitted.
- 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.
- Disclosure of Conflicts of Interest: Abstract submitters will be required to disclose any conflict of interests in the submission form.
- If you are submitting more than one abstract you can use the same email address for each abstract.
- Withdrawing an abstract: If you would like to withdraw an abstract, please contact the Conference Organizer.
- **Confirmation of submission:** After you submit your abstract, you will receive a confirmation email containing the title of your abstract.

## ABSTRACT CATEGORY

Your abstract should be submitted to one of the following categories:

1. **Research Paper:** The text (Body) of the abstract' for Research papers should contain no more than 500 words. It should be structured in the following manner:
  - Objectives
  - Methods (including statistical methods where relevant)
  - Results
  - Conclusion

*The research papers not selected for oral will be taken for e-Poster.*

2. **Case Report:** The text (Body) of the 'Abstract' for Case Reports should contain no more than 300 words. It should be structured in the following manner:

- Background
- Case characteristics (patient's age, gender, clinical presentation)
- Outcome (Result of tests revealing the diagnosis, response to treatment, outcome)
- Message (one single statement directly emerging from the present case)

*Case reports will only be considered for e-posters.*

## **SUBMISSION GUIDELINES**

**Presentation format:** Authors can submit abstracts for oral and poster presentation in the following format:

1. **Abstract Title:** The title of the paper should be brief but adequately descriptive.
2. **Authors:** Name, designation & AHA membership number of presenting author, and name & designation of all co-authors
3. **Body text:** limited to 500 words (research & award paper) & 300 words for case report. We recommend using word-processing software (for example Word) for editing your abstract and counting the number of words. Please be sure not to include extra spaces and symbols, as these are included in the word count.
4. The text of the Abstract should be structured.
5. Please do not enter any special characters, tables, or references in the abstract
6. You will be asked to confirm that you will disclose any conflict of interests in your presentation at the Forum.

## **NOTIFICATIONS**

**ABSTRACT ACCEPTANCE** notifications will be sent by October 20, 2021.

## SUBMISSION RULES AND CONDITIONS

- By submitting an abstract, the submitting first-author confirms that all information of the abstract is correct and has been approved by the co-authors.
- Submission of an abstract constitutes the authors consent for publication in the Souvenir of the conference.
- The submitting author warrants on behalf of all authors and institutions that he/she is the sole owner or has the rights of all the information and content ("Content") provided to ADOLESCON 2021 (Hereafter: "The Organizer"). The publication of the abstract does not infringe any third-party rights including, but not limited to, intellectual property rights.
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**Conference: 12<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> November 2021**

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