

## 2020 Nevada ACP Chapter Abstracts Competition

The Nevada ACP Chapter is pleased to announce a request for scientific abstracts submissions for the 2020 Nevada ACP Chapter Abstracts Competition. We will begin by holding regional poster competitions which will determine eligibility for presentation at the State Abstract Competition on November 13, 2020. The northern regional competition will be held in Reno, while the southern regional competition will be held in Las Vegas. Eligible participants include associate members (Residents & Fellows-in-training) and medical students. **Active membership is required for entering into the competition.**

### Categories:

There are four categories for competition. The categories are:

1. Resident/Fellow-in-training Clinical Vignette
2. Resident/ Fellow-in-training Research
3. Medical Student Clinical Vignette
4. Medical Student Research

\*Research may be basic, clinical or patient safety quality improvement

### Locations & Dates:

Northern Region: October 23, 2020; Location: 6130 Plumas St, Reno, NV 89519

Southern Region: October 20, 2020 (location pending)

### Submission Criteria:

All authors should have contributed in a meaningful fashion to the abstract submission. Guidelines for the preparation of abstracts & posters in each category are described on the National and Nevada State ACP website ([www.acponline.org](http://www.acponline.org)) under the Residents and Fellows menu/competitions. Abstracts must be submitted electronically to:

<https://forms.acponline.org/webform/nevada-chapter-abstract-form>

**Deadline: October 9, 2020** for both the Northern and Southern Regions.

### Judging & Awards:

Judging guidelines that are used at the National ACP meeting will be utilized at the regional as well as state annual meeting. Judges will use the same guidelines to critique abstracts at the Northern and Southern competitions and select winners prior to State Abstract Competition.

During the regional competitions, the judges will select 2 awardees from each residency program and 2 student awardees from the regional competitions from each of the 4 categories. These individuals will be selected to display their work and present at the State Abstract Competition. Those regional winners that are selected as Nevada State winners will present

their presentations followed by question and answer session. First place associate and student member winners will receive a stipend to present their abstracts at the **ACP National Meeting in Orlando, Florida, April 29- May 1, 2021**. The winners will each receive \$750.00 to help cover the cost of registration, travel, housing and meals if they decide to attend the meeting.

We look forward to high quality and educational contributions by fellows, residents, and students.

Sincerely,  
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