American College of Physicians
2019 Georgia Chapter Resident/ Student Abstract Submission Guidelines

The Georgia Chapter ACP Abstract Competition for all Georgia Internal Medicine Resident & Medical Student abstract submission opens May 7, 2019. The submission deadline is **Midnight, Sunday, July 7, 2019.**

**Note:** There will not be an extension granted beyond 7/7/2019.

The only exception to the deadline is for PGY1 abstracts if submitted by their program director directly to Georgia ACP by 7/31/2019.

**The abstract author must be an active member of the Georgia Chapter ACP and enrolled in a Georgia Medical School or IM Residency Program to submit an abstract.** Your ACP number must be included on the abstract form or if you have applied you may enter your # as pending. You can apply for membership here:

[www.acponline.org/membership](http://www.acponline.org/membership)

1. **Eligibility:** All Resident and Student members of GA ACP conducting work in a clinical vignette, basic or clinical research, QI or Patient Safety. Any research **not** published or in press as a manuscript. Abstracts based upon papers that have been published are not eligible.

2. **Abstract Submission:** All submissions are submitted through the ACP Abstract Submission portal with the following guidelines:

   Abstract Submissions are 450 words (excluding the Title, Author, Co-author(s) & Institution) submitted via the ACP abstract portal.

   **There will be strict adherence to the word limit and submission over 450 words will be disqualified**

   All text in the body of your abstract should be blinded for names and institution affiliation.

   Please copy and paste abstract or type the abstract directly into the abstract box.

   **DO NOT** include Title, Author, Co- Author(s) and Institution in text box. If included in body of abstract, abstract will be disqualified.

   Please include at least one Co-Author. A Co-Author will be allowed to present the poster
in case the first author is unavailable and as long as he/she is an ACP member at a Georgia program and not presenting another poster as a first author.

No more than ONE abstract per primary author for each category:
1. Clinical Vignette
2. Research Clinical or Basic Science and Quality Improvement/Patient Safety/High Value Cost Conscious Care

Link to resident or student only abstract submission at

https://forms.acponline.org/webform/georgia-chapter-medical-students-and-resident-members-abstract-form

or link to all meeting related information, including abstract submission at

www.gaaccp.org

**Fellows should compete in the faculty competition and do NOT submit in the Resident Abstract portal**

Please note abstracts will be declined, if presented at the ACP or any other national meetings or if based on a published paper.

Judging by faculty will take place by early August. All abstract submitters will receive a notification based on the judging results via email with instructions on poster presentations.

You will have a **maximum space of 48 inches high x 42 inches across** and may arrange your poster or printed sheets within those dimensions. **Posters may be smaller than above dimensions. Posters exceeding 48x42 will be disqualified.**

After submitting the abstract, you will be sent a verification e-mail notifying you that it has been received. If you do not receive a confirmation email, please contact jcarson@gaacp.org to confirm receipt of your abstract in the portal system.

Thank you

We look forward to your participation in the abstract competition.

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