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PASSIONATE ABOUT TRANSPLANTS
AND HEALTHCARE TO SUBMIT YOUR
ABSTRACT! CHECK OUT THESE
ESSENTIAL GUIDELINES TO
PARTICIPATE IN THIS INTERNATIONAL
EVENT:



- ✓ **Accepted Abstract Types:**
- 1 Research/Quality Improvement**
 - 2 Literature Review**
 - 3 Case Study/Case Report**

✔ IMPORTANT RULES:



- ◆ Abstracts must not exceed 350 words (specific word limits apply to each section).
- ◆ References are not included in the word count.
- ◆ Include three learning objectives - this is mandatory! ⚠ Abstracts without these objectives will be automatically rejected.
- ◆ Ensure Institutional Review Board (IRB) approval is completed, if applicable.
- ◆ All co-authors must agree to the submission.
- 🎤 Podium Presentations:
 - ◆ Limited to three presenters per presentation.

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1 RESEARCH/QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

This type of abstract is ideal for presenting original scientific studies or quality improvement projects.

Recommended Structure:

- Introduction and Objective (50-75 words):

- Explain the problem investigated or the project's objective. Include the rationale for your research or improvement initiative.

- **Example: "This study explores the impact of standardized nursing protocols on reducing post-transplant infections."**

- Methods (100-125 words):

- Describe the study design (quantitative, qualitative, mixed methods, etc.), participants, setting, instruments, data collection, and analysis.

- **Example: "A cohort study was conducted with 50 liver transplant patients in a high-complexity hospital unit."**

- Results (100-125 words):

- Present the most relevant findings. Use numbers or statistics to highlight impacts or trends.

- **Example: "The protocol implementation reduced infection rates by 30% ($p < 0.05$)."**

- Conclusion (50-75 words):

- Explain the practical relevance of the results.

- **Example: "The adoption of standardized protocols is essential to improve health outcomes for transplant patients."**



2 LITERATURE REVIEW

This abstract type is suited for compiling and analyzing studies on a specific topic.

Recommended Structure:

Introduction and Objective (50-75 words):
Present the topic and justify its relevance.

Example: "This study synthesizes evidence on self-care strategies in liver transplant recipients."

■ Methods (75-100 words):

■ Describe how the review was conducted: databases, inclusion/exclusion criteria, and search strategy.

■ **Example: "A review of 50 articles published between 2015 and 2022 was conducted using PubMed, Scopus, and CINAHL databases."**

■ Results (100-125 words):

■ Summarize the main findings, identifying patterns or gaps in the literature.

■ **Example: "Studies highlight the importance of continued education to improve treatment adherence, but few address cultural barriers."**

■ Conclusion (50-75 words):

■ Indicate how the findings can influence future practices or research.

■ **Example: "There is a need for studies on tailored educational strategies for diverse populations."**



3 CASE STUDY/CASE REPORT

This category highlights unique clinical experiences or significant outcomes.

Recommended Structure:

- Introduction (50-75 words):
 - Provide the case context and explain its significance.
 - **Example: "We report the case of a kidney transplant patient after 15 years on hemodialysis, with an unexpectedly favorable outcome."**
- Case Description (125-150 words):
 - Detail the clinical history, interventions performed, and case progression.
 - **Example: "The 45-year-old patient experienced acute rejection controlled with immunosuppressant adjustments. Full recovery was observed after six months."**
- Discussion (100-125 words):
 - Analyze the case's relevance in comparison to existing literature.
 - **Example: "This case illustrates the effectiveness of individualized immunological monitoring, aligning with recent international guidelines."**
- Conclusion (50-75 words):
 - Highlight key learnings and potential clinical implications.
 - **Example: "This case emphasizes the importance of personalized approaches for high-complexity patients."**



GENERAL TIPS FOR ALL ABSTRACTS:



◆ **Learning Objectives:** Include three clear objectives outlining what the audience will learn.

Example: "After this presentation, participants will be able to:

1. Identify strategies to improve self-care in transplant recipients.
2. Understand the impact of personalized interventions on post-transplant outcomes.
3. Apply evidence-based protocols in transplant care."

◆ **Clarity and Conciseness:** Use straightforward sentences and avoid jargon.

◆ **Review:** Proofread and revise the abstract to ensure compliance with the guidelines.



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CLARITY

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REVIEW

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