



# VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL NEUROSCIENCE NURSING RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM



SATURDAY, AUGUST 7–SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 2021

## ABSTRACT SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

5<sup>th</sup> Annual International Neuroscience Nursing Research Symposium (August 7-8, 2021)  
Virtual Meeting

**Abstract Submission Deadline: Monday, April 12, 2021 at 11:59 PM (CST)**

Late submissions will not be accepted. There will be NO EXCEPTIONS.

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The International Neuroscience Nursing Research Symposium (INNRS) Symposium Planning Committee invites applications to present at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Symposium.

## SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

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By submitting an abstract, you agree to the following stipulations if the abstract is chosen:

- All abstracts must be submitted in English.
- Abstracts **MUST BE BLINDED** and must not refer to the organization, author, or location, in the title, presenter information, abstract text, etc. Any unblinded abstracts will be immediately disqualified.
- Each section of the abstract submission form must have a completed entry. Any incomplete abstracts will be disqualified.
- All references are required to be in AMA format in the Bibliography section.
- All conference registration costs are paid by the speaker(s).
- The abstract title, speaker information (including credentials) and abstract descriptions will appear in all conference materials exactly as submitted. No title changes can be made once the abstract has been submitted. Submitters are asked to determine the final title, proofread the application for typographical errors, and verify the accuracy of the speaker listings, abstract title, and content before the abstract is submitted.
- The poster presenter will be responsible for meeting all deadlines and requirements regarding the abstract. The poster presenter is responsible for notifying AANN Staff of any changes, additions, or corrections in poster presenter or co-author names, poster titles or availability to present the submitted poster at the assigned date and time. Unless otherwise noted on the abstract, the poster presenter will be considered the only contact.

## POSTER PRESENTATION FORMAT

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- Poster Presenter:
  - Presenters are assigned specific poster session times to present their poster and answer questions posed by colleagues during the conference. The poster presentation will be of research, QI, education, or leadership findings by an individual or representatives of a team.

## EXPERTISE LEVELS

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Classify the session according to attendee expertise levels, not the level of the presenter:

- Beginner: New to the field, topic or to the care of acute and critically ill patients.
- Intermediate: Has worked in the field and has proficient skills in research and practice pertaining to care of acute and critically ill patients.
- Expert: Has special knowledge or ability and performs skills that exceed a proficient nurse at an intermediate level.
- Advanced: Has acquired advanced preparation for expanded clinical practice with minimum of a master's degree. Clinical nurse specialists, nurse practitioners, nurse anesthetists and nurse midwives are considered advanced practice nurses.

## PRESENTER TITLES

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- Poster Presenter: Is the main poster presenter of a submitted abstract and will attend the meeting and present the poster.
- Author(s): Are individuals who contribute data, educational planning, or research towards the submitted abstract, but will **not** be attending the meeting.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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### Review and Selection:

Each abstract will be evaluated through a blinded peer review process by members of the Symposium Planning Committee. Notification of abstract selection or non-selection will be made by the end of May 2021.

If you have any questions, please contact Rita Wirth, AANN Education Coordinator, at [rwirth@aann.org](mailto:rwirth@aann.org) or 847-375-6439.

We hope you have found the above explanations helpful and look forward to reading your abstract submission.