Call for Poster Abstracts
2019 Clinical Vaccinology Course
November 16-17, 2019
Washington, DC

The National Foundation for Infectious Diseases (NFID) invites abstract submissions of clinical best practices for poster presentation. Abstracts will be peer-reviewed for quality, originality, and overall impact. Accepted abstracts will be scheduled as poster presentations at the NFID 2019 Clinical Vaccinology Course (CVC) on November 16-17, 2019 in Washington, DC. Learn more about the course at: www.nfid.org/cvc.

How to Submit:

All abstracts must be submitted online at: bit.ly/CVC19Posters

Key Dates:

June 26, 2019	Abstract submission site opens
October 16, 2019	Abstract submission deadline
November 16-17, 2019	NFID 2019 Clinical Vaccinology Course
	Marriott Washington Metro Center, Washington, DC

Categories for Abstract Submission:

During the submission process, authors must select the most appropriate subject category from the options below. The CVC Planning Committee reserves the right to change the selected category to more appropriately reflect the abstract content.

- Addressing Immunization Disparities
- Addressing Vaccine Hesitancy
- Best Practices to Increase Immunization Rates
- Effective Communication Strategies
- Managing Vaccine-Preventable Disease Outbreaks
- Vaccine Safety: Data and Monitoring

Submission Format:

All submissions must be in English and must reflect original work. The data may have been published or presented at another meeting and inclusion of updated information based on additional data generated and/or analyzed since a prior presentation is encouraged.

Submissions must contain the following components:
- **Title:** Concise title that summarizes the content
- **Category:** Select the most appropriate topic category
- **Program/Project Setting:** Select the setting that best reflects the location of the program/project
- **Background:** Concise statement of the issue
- **Program/Project Description:** Brief description of the methods, program, or solution
- **Results & Conclusions:** Summary of results, specific findings, challenges, and lessons learned
- **Learning Objectives (optional):** You may submit up to three learning objectives for each poster abstract submitted. Sample learning objectives are available at: http://nfid.org/professional-education/presenter-resources/learning-objectives.pdf
- **References (optional):** You may include literature references/citations to support program/project findings. Use the conventional style for listing references as referred by the American Medical Association (AMA) Manual of Style: A Guide for Authors and Editors. Sample references are available at: https://jamanetwork.com/journals/jama/pages/instructions-for-authors#SecReferences.
- **Infographic/Toolkit (optional):** If your program implemented an infographic or toolkit, you may upload it in the **References** section.
- **Presenting Author:** Individual who will present at the course
- **Disclosures:** NFID requires all presenters to disclose all relevant financial relationships with any commercial interest in any amount occurring within the past 12 months.

Selection:
All submissions will be reviewed by members of the CVC Planning Committee for quality, originality, and overall impact. Submissions will be reviewed for the following: a clearly stated summary of the issue (background statement), specific findings, and specific conclusions. Statements such as "the data will be presented," "the results will be discussed," or "to be completed" are unacceptable. The presenting authors of accepted abstracts will be invited to present their work as poster presentations.

Poster Presentation Information:
Detailed information for preparing poster presentations will be provided upon acceptance. Poster presentations will be displayed on standard poster boards, measuring 4 feet high by 8 feet wide (1.22 meters high by 2.44 meters wide). Note that presenting author disclosures must be included on the poster.

Registration & Attendance:
All presenters must register for the course and pay the appropriate registration fee no later than **October 25, 2019** or their abstract will be withdrawn from the program. Presenters who fail to appear at the course at the specified time(s) will forfeit their registration fee and any future abstract submissions may be disqualified from consideration for two years. No support for travel costs or registration fees is available.

Abstract Publication:
Poster abstracts or PDFs may be uploaded to the course website for a limited period of time. Select poster information may be included in future NFID communications.