

NECOEM/MaAOHN 2017 Annual Conference
Boston Marriott Newton, Newton, MA
November 30 and December 1, 2017

CALL FOR ABSTRACT:

Abstract submission is invited for poster presentation. Poster session is scheduled for the evening of Thursday, November 30th, 2017 in conjunction with the Annual Conference President's Reception (*scholarships available, see below).

POSTER APPLICATION

PERSONAL INFORMATION

*First Author Name _____

Credentials _____

Place of Employment _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Voicemail () _____ Phone: Cell/Pager () _____

Email address _____

*Will you be attending the conference? _____

If not: who will attend and monitor the poster? _____

A \$200 scholarship award is available to defray the conference registration fees for the first 15 posters that are approved. Anyone presenting a poster is eligible if they are personally paying for registration. Please check here if you are requesting this scholarship:

[] Yes, please apply this award to discount my registration fee

POSTER INFORMATION

Poster Title _____

Additional Author Name(s)/Credentials: _____

ABSTRACT GUIDELINES

Criteria

- Submissions from occupational health nurses, physician assistants or physicians, including those in residency training, industrial hygienists and other OEM professionals are welcome.
- Posters may focus on research results, case reports, educational projects or professional development. Posters may address any topic relevant to Occupational and Environmental Medicine. Submissions should ideally represent recent work.

- Author(s) may submit more than one abstract for review.
- If accepted, the author(s) or designate must register for at least one conference day and be present for the poster session on Thursday, November 30th from 5:00 to 8:00 pm.
- Posters must be free of any commercial interest. The ACCME defines a “commercial interest” as any proprietary entity producing health care goods or services, with the exemption of non-profit or government organizations and non-health care related companies.

Format

- Posters should fit an area that is no more than 4 feet high by 8 feet wide. Posters can be hung in the downstairs ballroom any time after noon on Thursday in preparation for the President’s Reception which will be held in the same space. Posters should be taken down immediately after the reception. The Marriott Hotel staff will assist with hanging posters.
- If you prefer not to print your poster – it can be displayed electronically. The cost is \$95 per poster. We would need a minimum of 5 electronic posters to be able to provide this service. Further information is available from NECOEM’s Executive Director, necoem@comcast.net or by contacting Kathryn Phillippe [kathrynn.phillippe@eposterboards.com]. In 2016 there were 8 electronic posters.

Submission/Deadline

Please email your poster application and abstract of 250 words or less to Dianne Plantamura, NECOEM Executive Director at necoem@comcast.net. The deadline for submission is October 30, 2017.

Review

All submissions will be reviewed by the NECOEM/MaAOHN Annual Conference planning committee. The review will focus on the following:

- Significance of the findings for Occupational Health practitioners
- Clarity and quality of the presentation
- Quality of the research methods used
- Absence of commercial interest

Decisions will be made and communicated as soon as possible after submission.