ePoster Abstracts Information

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A minimum of three keywords or brief, keyword phrases (e.g., emergency nursing, quality improvement, blood culture contamination) are required. Do not enter the same keyword/phrase more than once.

Abstract
Abstracts must include only essential information for communicating the nature and results of the study. Authors are encouraged to have a colleague review their abstract before submitting it. Abstracts not meeting the format requirements will not be reviewed. Additionally, please adhere to the following:

- Abstracts must reflect either completed projects or projects in the final stages of completion with results available for inclusion in the poster (due in May, if accepted).
- Literature reviews, systematic reviews, and meta-analyses are not accepted and will not be reviewed.
- Abstracts must be in narrative format only—no graphs, charts, tables, images, or bulleted lists allowed.
- Do not include personal identifying information or the facility/hospital name in the abstract.
- Do not cite references within your abstract content.
- Abstracts must contain these seven sections:
    - *Purpose:* Begin with one to two background sentences stating the scope or nature of the problem you are addressing in your project; i.e., the rationale supporting the need for the endeavor. Clearly state the objective of your study.
    - *Design:* State the design using appropriate terminology (e.g., utilization, prospective, descriptive, qualitative, process improvement).
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    - *Implications:* State reasoned conclusions based on the data presented and implications for emergency nursing research, education, practice and/or policy. Provide recommendations for managers, leaders, nurses, and researchers, as appropriate. For research in progress, provide anticipated or projected outcomes of the study.
- The total of all seven sections must be 500 words or less (section subheadings are not included in the word count).

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Review Process
All abstracts are blind-reviewed by three emergency nurse content experts selected from the ENA membership. Each section of the abstract receives a weighted score.

Notification of Acceptance
Notifications will be sent in late March. If accepted, you will have to then create your poster in PowerPoint and submit it in May 2021 (exact date TBD).

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All posters meeting the stated criteria are automatically considered for this award. Judging will occur during June-July 2021. Winners will be notified in August 2021. Additional information on poster criteria and the judging process will be available in March 2021.