CALL FOR HEALTH RESEARCH ABSTRACTS FROM STUDENTS
for presentation at the
13th Annual Student Interdisciplinary Health Research Poster Session

Date: February 23, 2012
To: Undergraduate Students, Graduate Students, Post-Docs, and Fellows
From: Interdisciplinary Health Group (IHG) Student Poster Session Committee
Re: 13th Annual Student Interdisciplinary Health Research Poster Session

You are invited to submit a research abstract for the 13th Annual Student Interdisciplinary Health Research Poster Session. The University of Iowa Interdisciplinary Health Group sponsors this poster session to give all University of Iowa students an opportunity to present health-related research and to encourage students to interact with researchers from areas other than their respective disciplines. The poster session will be held on Tuesday, April 10, 2012, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm in the First Floor Atrium, Eckstein Medical Research Building (EMRB). Presenters may set up their posters between 9:30 and 10:45 am, and should be available to answer questions concerning their research from 11 am to 1 pm.

Ten awards of $100 each will be presented. Judging will occur between 11:00 am and 12 pm. Announcement of award winners will be at 12:30 pm.

Abstracts and posters MAY BE presented even if they have been or will be used for other presentations.

The practical relevance of the research and the ability of non-experts to understand the research should be emphasized in the oral presentation to the judges (and included in the poster if possible).

Abstract submission website and form:
http://www.ppc.uiowa.edu/ihgpostersession

Please follow these guidelines in submission of abstracts:
   Word Count: 300 words or less
   Format:
   Title of research
   Author(s)' name(s)
   Departmental or college affiliation, student educational level (i.e., undergraduate, masters, PhD, post-doc/fellow, professional)
   Description of project including: Introduction and Purpose, Experimental Design, Results, and Conclusions, including relevance to clinical problem or policy application
   Presenter’s e-mail address

Selection of abstracts for poster presentation will be based on quality and potential for, or actual relevance to, clinical and/or policy issues. Please submit your abstract via the Abstract Submission Form by Monday, April 2, 2012. Persons submitting abstracts will be notified by e-mail regarding acceptance by April 4, 2012. For further information or to ask questions, contact: rudy-marcelino@uiowa.edu.

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