2021 Scientific Meeting

NYACP E-Poster Competition (via Zoom)

Official Rules

**Abstract Eligibility:** The same abstract may be submitted to a New York Chapter Competition no more than two times. Abstracts/posters that have won at a previous Chapter Meeting or ACP Annual session cannot be submitted a second time. Abstracts are eligible if they have been published; however, abstracts based upon full papers that have been published are not eligible. You must be an ACP Resident Member and enrolled in an Internal Medicine Residency or fellowship training program within New York State; or you must be a Medical Student member and currently enrolled as a student at a New York State approved Medical or Osteopathic School with a rotation through a hospital in New York State.

**Category Entered:** Please read the category definitions carefully in order to ensure that your abstract is entered in the proper judging category. Misclassifying your abstract may jeopardize your chances of presenting your poster! (If you have any questions about your abstract's classification, please consult your Program Director.)

**Number of Entries:** An author may submit no more than two abstracts to the abstract competition.

**Deadline:** Friday, July 16, 2021.
NO ABSTRACTS will be accepted after that time. We encourage you NOT TO WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE. Computer glitches DO happen, however, we cannot take responsibility if your abstract was not submitted correctly. Do not call NYACP to verify receipt of your abstract - you will receive immediate notification of submission when you hit the submit button. No other confirmation will be sent.

**Program/Clerkship Director Authorization:** A Program Director Authorization Form MUST be submitted to our office. It is YOUR responsibility to follow up with your program/clerkship director. If we do not receive the form from the program director within eight days of the on-line abstract submission, the abstract will not be entered into the competition.

**Notification of Results:** Program/Clerkship Directors will be notified of abstract judging results the week of August 31, 2021. Those who have submitted abstracts will be notified that their program/clerkship directors have received the results. Residents and students will NOT be notified directly by NYACP of the results nor will results be conveyed via phone or email. It is the responsibility of the resident/student to get the results directly from their program director.

**Presenting Author's Availability:** First authors of an abstract chosen to present must be prepared to give a poster presentation of their work at the NYACP’s E-Poster Competition via Zoom – dates tbd. If the first author is unable to attend, a second author may present in lieu of the first author. The presenting second author must also be an ACP member to be eligible. ONLY the first author, as listed on the abstract, is eligible to win the competition regardless of who presents the poster.

**Abstracts Printed:** Those abstracts that have been chosen for presentation will appear 2021 NYACP Chapter’s online NYACP Annual Scientific Meeting E-Poster Booklet located on both the Residents and Medical Students webpages at www.nyacp.org

**Questions and further information:** Call or email Karen Tucker LaBello at 518-427-0366 or email: Klabello@nyacp.org