Resident Research Symposium

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Copy and paste abstract text into the appropriate box on the Abstract Application Form (see page two of this document). You must use this form to submit your abstract application.
2. Each abstract should contain the following sections:
   1. Purpose: A clear hypothesis
   2. Significance: Background of the work with a critical evaluation of the state of relevant knowledge in the topic area
   3. Methodology: The manner in which the investigations were conducted with the appropriate attention to experimental design and statistical analyses
   4. Results: Clearly stated with no figures or graphs
   5. Conclusion: Clearly state with appropriate references to the body of data available how this work advances a better understanding of the utility and/or value of the research project
3. Abstract may not exceed 200 words.
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5. Abstracts will not be edited; be sure to submit a final draft suitable for publication in the symposium workbook.
6. Submission(s) must be made as a Word document. PDF files are not acceptable.
7. You may submit up to three abstracts, but no more than one abstract will be selected for each resident.

**Deadline**

**Applications are due July 9, 2025.** Please download an abstract submission form and instructions via the OREF website <https://www.oref.org/abstracts>.

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