

CSM APTA Combined Sections Meeting

The Specialty Sections of the American Physical Therapy Association hereby issue a

CALL FOR POSTER AND PLATFORM ABSTRACTS

for the **COMBINED SECTIONS MEETING**

Washington, DC | January 23 – 26, 2019

Abstract Submission Deadline: June 15, 2018, at 11:59 PM (Pacific)

Visit www.apta.org/CSM/Submissions to submit your abstract for poster or platform presentations.

DEFINITIONS: Posters are posted for a specific period of time during the conference, with presenters scheduled to present for two hours, as assigned by the Section. Platform presentations are oral presentations of approximately 5 – 15 minutes. The schedule of Platform presentations is coordinated by each Section's Program Chair.

AUTHORS AND FEES: There is a fee of \$40.00 associated with submitting each abstract. This fee defrays a portion of the cost of APTA's Abstract Central. Individuals may submit up to 2 abstracts as the presenting author, but are allowed unlimited submissions as a secondary author. If an abstract is accepted for presentation as either a poster or a platform, the presenter must register for CSM. There is no waiver of registration fees for presentation of a poster or platform.

SUBMISSION: All abstracts must be submitted online. During the submission, you may specify your preferred presentation format (poster or platform). Each Section reviews abstracts submitted to it and makes the final decision regarding presentation format and date/time.

After submission, abstracts cannot be switched to other Sections for review. Submitters are expected to ensure all information is correct at the time of submission.

* Speaker information will appear **exactly as submitted in all CSM publications both in print and on-line.** Contact co-speakers to ensure the accuracy of this information **before** finalizing your submission. **All credentials should be listed under the field "degree".**

For examples of quality abstract submissions, visit <http://www.apta.org/CSM/submissions>. Abstracts are intended to represent scientific research or non-commercial content related to clinical practice. Advertisements are not acceptable. Abstracts require presenter/author information including credentials (listed in the degree field), contact information, institutions, city, and state. Please be sure that your contact information is correct as all correspondence relating to submissions will occur via email. Please also include the following required fields:

| RESEARCH REPORT | SPECIAL INTEREST REPORT | CASE STUDY REPORT | THEORY REPORT |
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| Title | Title | Title | Title |
| Purpose/Hypothesis | Purpose | Background & Purpose | Theory/Body |
| Subjects | Description | Case Description | References |
| Materials/Methods | Summary of Use | Outcomes | |
| Results | Importance to Members | Discussion | |
| Conclusions | References | References | |
| Clinical Relevance | | | |
| References | | | |

There is a limit of 3,125 characters for the text of your abstract submission, including spaces. This DOES NOT include authors, institutions or references.

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