

CALL FOR POSTERS

MAPPING THE FUTURE IN MEDICAL EDUCATION

THE 2003 POSTER EXHIBITION OF THE AHME/AODME SPRING EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE

Las Vegas, Nevada

The Spring Institute Poster Exhibition will be held during the Welcome Reception on Thursday, May 15, 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm.

Goals. To present new concepts and practical approaches to medical education.
To provide medical educators with ideas that can advance their programs.

Who should submit. All AHME and AODME members, and others involved in medical education, are invited to submit abstracts describing their posters. The abstracts will be reviewed by the Poster Committee.

Selecting a topic. Posters selected for presentation should address at least one of the topics in the detailed topic list that appears in the instructions for preparing an abstract.

The following are the categories of topics:

1. Contemporary Issues
2. Compliance with the General Competencies
3. Curriculum Development
4. Innovations in Teaching Methods
5. Internet/web Applications
6. Consortia and Other Cooperative Educational Ventures Between Institutions
7. Medical Education Administration
8. Implementation of Medical Economics Models in Teaching
9. Application of new computer technology -- hardware and software

Preparing your abstract. The abstract should include a description of the problem or issue addressed, rationale or pertinence to medical education, description of the educational method or innovation, and a summary of conclusions or implications.

Full instructions for preparing an abstract and for developing the poster are available online. Visit <http://www.ahme.org/events/spring2003.html>. You may also contact Laurel Humbert in the AHME office: 412-244-9302 or email <laurelmeetings@cs.com> for additional information.

Submitting your abstract. Please send your completed abstract to Laurel Humbert at <laurelmeetings@cs.com>. All abstracts must be submitted electronically. **YOUR ABSTRACT MUST BE RECEIVED BY APRIL 1, 2003**, to be considered for the poster presentation.

Topics for Submission. The text should include a description of the problem or issue addressed, rationale or pertinence to medical education, description of the educational method or innovation, and a summary of conclusions or implications. Posters selected for presentation should address at least one of the following topics:

1. Contemporary Issues
 - a. Strategies for complying with the duty hour regulations

- b. Meeting physician supply challenges
 - c. Confidentiality and privacy -- training for and implementation of HIPPA
- 2. Compliance with the General Competencies
 - a. Strategies for implementing the General Competencies
 - b. Teaching materials and methods
 - c. Outcomes measures: resident performance or program effectiveness
- 3. Curriculum Development
 - a. New topics/content
 - b. New ways of presenting content
- 4. Innovations in Teaching Methods
 - a. Technology: video conferencing, Interactive classroom, etc.
 - b. Faculty development: resident teacher, ambulatory, etc.
 - c. GME and CME enduring materials: interactive formats, graphics, animation
- 5. Internet/web Applications
 - a. Information and communications for teachers and learners
 - b. On-line teaching modules and systems
 - c. Access to medical expert databases and reference materials
- 6. Consortia and Other Cooperative Educational Ventures Between Institutions
- 7. Medical Education Administration
 - a. New organizational approaches
 - b. Information systems
 - c. Staff development
- 8. Implementation of Medical Economics Models in Teaching
 - a. Best practices
 - b. Patient population assessment and care improvement
- 9. Application of new computer technology -- hardware and software
 - a. PDAs and other hardware
 - b. Use of software for medical education administration and record keeping
 - c. Use of software for GME and CME teaching