

RESEARCH TRACK ABSTRACT PROPOSAL FORM

2002 MIDWEST FARMWORKER STREAM FORUM
LE MERIDIEN HOTEL, NEW ORLEANS, LA, NOVEMBER 20-23

We are seeking the very best in professional development and information-sharing programs that will improve the capacity of participants to serve migrant farmworkers and their families. If you have new information or innovative ideas and strategies for improving the health status of farmworkers, please consider this opportunity to share your knowledge with your colleagues.

The farmworker stream forums provide a venue for networking with others who provide health and social services in community and migrant health centers. Equally as important, they offer opportunities to gain farmworker-specific continuing education.

TYPE OF SESSIONS

Workshops – Abstract proposals for 30, 45, 60 and 90-minute workshops will be accepted. Workshops are educational activities at the professional level in which specific learning objectives are achieved through active involvement of participants.

Intensive – Abstract proposals for 4-hour educational sessions will be accepted. Intensives are educational activities at the professional level in which specific learning objectives are achieved through an in-depth training based curriculum.

Poster Session – If you are interested in submitting a poster for presentation at the Research Track Reception please indicate your choice on the Research Track Abstract form. Reception to be held at 5:00 pm, November 20.

Abstracts must be submitted by May 24, 2002 and include a biography and curriculum vitae (resumes may substitute for CV's) for all speakers listed.

Continuing Education Units (CEU) – All accepted abstracts are reviewed for CEUs in the respective disciplines that apply to the topic. Upon acceptance, presenters will be sent more detailed forms and information.

Peer Review – All abstract proposals will undergo a peer review by a panel of experts.

Notification of Proposals – For each proposal, two notifications will be mailed: One for notification of receipt of the proposal and one for notification of the decision made by the Program Committee.

WHAT TO SUBMIT

Abstract Form -The Abstract form provided must be completed in full. Include a 150 - 800 word summary of the proposed presentation for each workshop or intensive. The summary must be placed on 8-1/2 by 11-inch paper, one side only, single-spaced, and attached to the Abstract Form.

Title – Not to exceed 10 words.

Conference Topics – This abstract form is for Research Track related topics. For all other presentations please use the General Abstract Proposal form.

Proposals with Multiple Speakers – Abstracts for presentations with multiple presenters must clearly identify the author who will deliver the presentation and receive all correspondence. At times, sessions may be limited to only a primary and secondary presenter.

Scheduling of Presentations – Persons whose proposals have been accepted must participate at the presentation time scheduled, or arrange to have the presentation delivered by an appropriate substitute.

Persons with time constraints for religious or other reasons must bring this information to the attention of the Conference Coordinator, under "Additional Information" when submitting the Abstract Form.

Publication of Abstracts

Accepted Abstracts will be published along with Speaker information in the conference program and conference proceedings. Please be sure to list all licensures.



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Midwest Farmworker Stream Forum

Hosted by the National Center for Farmworker Health, Inc.
Le Meridien Hotel, New Orleans, LA. ~ November 20 – 23, 2002

Complete each item thoroughly to ensure that continuing education credit can be obtained.

Primary Presenter, Include Licensures: _____

Position/Title: _____

Affiliation: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____ Email: _____

Federal or State Employee? Yes No

Other Presenters, Include Licensures:

Name: _____

Position/Title: _____

Affiliation: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

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Email: _____

Federal or State Employee? Yes No

Name: _____

Position/Title: _____

Affiliation: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

P() _____, F() _____

Email: _____

Federal or State Employee? Yes No

TITLE OF SESSION:

SESSION DESCRIPTION (Please limit to 150-800 words):

Attach a typed description of the proposed session.

- Oral *Poster Both Either

*A dedicated poster session will be scheduled to not conflict with conference workshops.

TARGET AUDIENCE -- Please check all that apply:

- Clinician Social Service Provider Administrator Lay Health Worker/ Outreach
 Advocate Researcher Dental Other: _____

TEACHING METHOD -- Please check all that apply:

- Lecture Group Discussion Simulations Games Handouts

AUDIO/VISUAL TOOLS – Limit two choices, charges may apply for additional A/V requests:

- LCD Projector Flip Chart/Markers Overhead Projector
 *Laptop computers not provided Slide Projector/ Other: _____

*Funding support for these forums is in part provided by
Health Resources & Services Administration and
Center for Disease Control & Prevention.*

LEVEL OF INFORMATION – Check all that apply:

- Beginner Intermediate Advanced

OPTIMAL AMOUNT OF TIME NEEDED FOR PRESENTATION – Please rank order your top 3 preferences of presentation length, with 1 being your top preference.

____ 30 Min. or less ____ 45 Min. ____ 60 Min. ____ 90 Min. ____ 4 Hour Intensive ____ Flexible

ABSTRACT FOCUS – Please use General Abstract form for Clinical, Layhealth/Outreach, and Leadership Development proposals. This form is for the Research Track only.

- Research Project Evaluation Innovative Methodology Other _____

LEARNING OBJECTIVES: *

Include at least 3 objectives. Please express objectives in *behavioral terms*. For example, a session titled “Migrant Men’s Perceptions on Family Planning” might have the following objectives— “At the end of this session, participants will be able to: a) *identify* factors which influence family planning choices in migrant men; b) *design* family planning outreach efforts to migrant males; and c) effectively *utilize* available media outlets.”

At the end of this session, participants will be able to:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

* Required for Continuing Education Units, and to be published in program.

If you are interested in participating in other aspects of the conference, please circle your primary choice:

Moderator Exhibitor Plenary speaker Other: _____

Additional Information: (Optional)

**ABSTRACT PROPOSALS MUST INCLUDE
AN ATTACHED
BIOSKETCH AND RÉSUMÉ
AT TIME OF SUBMITTAL
(CURRICULUM VITAE may substitute for RESUME)**

PROPOSALS ACCEPTED THROUGH MAIL, FAX, OR EMAIL

ABSTRACT PROPOSALS DUE MAY 24, 2002

Direct Submissions and all conference related questions to:

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