

## AMCP 2026 Call for Abstracts

AMCP invites abstract submissions for presentation at AMCP 2026, which will be held **April 13–April 16, 2026**, at the Music City Center in Nashville. Poster presentations provide a forum for managed care pharmacy researchers to share their research with AMCP 2026 attendees, who can interact with authors and discuss their findings.

### IMPORTANT DATES

- **Submission Portal Open:** August 18, 2025
- **Submission Deadline:** November 10, 2025, 11:59 pm PT
- **Submission Deadline for student/fellow/resident:** January 5, 2026
- **Notification of acceptance status:** January 12, 2026

### PODIUM SESSION

The most highly rated abstracts will be selected for a 15-minute podium presentation as part of an education session at AMCP 2026. After final decisions are made on all abstract submissions, the exact date and location of the podium session will be communicated to the presenting faculty. The AMCP Education Department will work directly with the presenter. Podium presenters will still present their posters during the poster sessions.

### HOW TO SUBMIT AN ABSTRACT

Please [CLICK HERE](#) to submit your abstract.

The submission site will guide the submitter through the process. Once started, work can be saved and completed in the future. Abstracts can be revised at any time before the submission deadline, even if they have already been submitted. **No changes or corrections are permitted after the submission deadline.**

Abstracts are acknowledged by email immediately after being submitted. If you do not receive an email acknowledgment, don't hesitate to get in touch with [posterabstracts@amcp.org](mailto:posterabstracts@amcp.org)

## SUBMISSION CATEGORIES

- 1. Professional Reviewed:** The majority of abstracts will be submitted to this category. Only abstracts of research will be considered; non-research abstracts will be rejected. All abstracts must contain results; abstracts with “results in progress” will be rejected. Student pharmacists, residents, fellows, and graduate students **are eligible** for this category, but students who submit to this category **will not be eligible** for the AMCP Foundation Best Poster Award. Further, students whose abstracts are rejected from the reviewed category **cannot** be moved to the student category after rejection.
- 2. Encore, Reviewed:** This category applies to abstracts that have been presented and published with another organization. Authors of these abstracts will display the poster at the AMCP meeting using the format required for the AMCP meeting. Encore abstracts are not eligible for the podium presentation and will not be published in the *JMCP* supplement because of the copyright ownership of the original presenting organization. The abstract title and author list will be included in the *JMCP* supplement.
- 3. Student Pharmacist/Resident/Fellow/Graduate Student, Non-Reviewed:** This category is only available for submissions with **first authors** who are student pharmacists, residents, fellows, or graduate students. Abstracts are not required to have results at the time of submission; however, results are expected to be included in the poster presentation. Abstracts submitted to this category are not eligible for the podium session. These submissions are not peer-reviewed and are thus not included in the *JMCP* abstract supplement. The abstract title and author list will be included in the *JMCP* supplement.

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- 1. Author information:** The following information is required for each author: First Name, Last Name, Main Phone Number, Address, City, State, Zip, Country, Position, Affiliation, Degree, Role. This information will be printed exactly as submitted. Please use the two-letter postal code for states (eg, NC for North Carolina.)

The submitter will select the author order. If the submitter is not the author, the submitter’s name can be removed from the author list.

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- All authors have met the [authorship criteria](#) defined by the International Committee for Medical Journal Editors.
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(except for Encore abstracts).

- At least one author of each accepted abstract (preferably the primary author) must register for and attend the meeting. A single author can only represent one poster.
2. **Title:** Only capitalize the first word of the title and proper nouns. Eg, Costs of Medicare prescriptions
  3. **3. Please choose the category that best fits your abstract. If accepted, this category will determine how your abstract is grouped in the published JMCP supplement and organized in the on-site poster hall. Abstract: The abstract headings are Background, Objective, Methods, Results, Conclusions, and Sponsorship.** The maximum number of characters is 2,600, including spaces and sponsorship. Title, authors, and disclosure statements are not included in the word count.
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### **REVIEW PROCESS**

Each Professional Reviewed abstract is peer-reviewed and scored using a 1-5 scale with the following 5 criteria (15 rating scores per abstract), which are used by *JMCP* to evaluate manuscripts for publication: (1) Relevance (2) Originality (3) Quality (4) Bias (5) Clarity. Peer-reviewers submit an accept/reject recommendation, which is reviewed by a *JMCP* editor who makes the accept/reject decision. These decisions are reviewed and finalized by the *JMCP* editor-in-chief. Eighty to 85% of submitted abstracts are typically accepted.