2025 IHI Forum Poster Webinar FAQ

Q: As poster acceptances are on a rolling basis, is there any advantage to either applying early or applying late?

A. When you apply will have no bearing on the outcome of acceptance as the same criteria is applied to all submissions. One benefit to applying earlier is if accepted, you have the additional time to plan your travel and hotel. Also as we are working on some special presenting opportunities for select posters, the later you submit the harder it will be for the events staff to consider you for those opportunities given the amount of prep time needed for planning.

Q: What is the expected acceptance rate for poster submissions?

A. There is no maximum number of accepted abstracts, and we typically have a high acceptance rate (60-80%)

Q: How many posters are usually in the Forum Hall?

A. On average around 500-600.

Q: Should I include citations in my poster?

A. Yes, we recommend you include citations where appropriate.

Q: Can a rejected abstract be retooled, improved, and re-submitted for reconsideration?

A. Of course, we welcome anyone who was not accepted for a session proposal to re-edit and improve their submission for a poster. Our reviewers are currently looking through all proposals that were not accepted to see if they would make good posters. If you are once again denied, you are able to resubmit one more time as a poster with more improvements via the <u>submission portal</u>.

Q: What is the new poster size for this year?

A. 3 feet by 3 feet.

Q: What is the anticipated timeline from the deadline to hear if your poster is accepted?

A. Please expect a few weeks for a response regarding your submission.

Q: Is there any discount for poster presenters?

A. Unfortunately, we do not provide any discounts. You can choose to register for the General Conference with the early bird rate through Sept 30, or you can register for an Exhibit Hall only pass which is a more affordable option. All pricing information is

available at ihi.org/forum

Q: Will any posters be selected for oral presentation?

A. Typically there would be no oral presentation available for posters and instead only the more traditional approach of standing by your poster speaking to anyone interested. However, we are exploring opportunities for select posters to present to people on a larger scale to give a platform for exceptional work. We will have more news on this on our website ihi.org/forum as plans develop. However, we sadly cannot provide this opportunity to all posters given the amount at the conference.

Q: How many poster presenters do teams usually have at the conference?

A. Typically one to two. All poster presenters should be present by their poster during exhibit hall hours to maximize their presentation time.

Q: Who should I contact if I have questions about my poster submission?

A. Please email posters@ihi.org.