



Bridging Research, Clinical Care, Education, and Policy



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The International Congress on Integrative Medicine and Health, ICIMH 2016, is convened by the Academic Consortium for Integrative Medicine & Health, in association with the International Society for Complementary Research, the Integrative Health Policy Consortium, the Academic Consortium for Complementary and Alternative Health Care, and the Academy of Integrative Health and Medicine. The sponsoring organizations are committed to making this Congress the premier international forum for Integrative Medicine research, with an anticipated 1200 attendees.

The 2016 Congress is now accepting abstracts and proposals for workshop sessions. **For the first time in 2016, the Congress is accepting non-research abstracts as well as abstracts on scientific research.** Session proposals and abstract submissions will be reviewed by the International Program and Scientific Review Committees, and accepted submissions will be presented at the 2016 Congress. The deadline to submit a non-research abstract is Friday, October 9, 2015.

Accepted proposals will be scheduled for one of the following:

- 15 minute oral presentation
- Poster presentation

Non-Research Abstract Session

•The short presentation format provides an opportunity for individuals who would like to present a non-research based presentation on innovative or original work in a particular area. This format is an alternate to the scientific abstract submission to accommodate clinical, education and policy based proposals that may not be quantitative or data-driven. The Congress will group accepted proposals along the designated themes (below) to create 60 minute sessions and will assign a session chair to oversee and moderate the session.

•Time/Format for Oral Presentations: Oral presentations will be awarded a 15 minute presentation, where 10 minutes is allocated to a presentation and 5 minutes will be reserved for question and answer.

Proposals are accepted in only the following categories:

- Clinical ◦Innovative Clinical Initiatives
- Education ◦Teaching IM: Innovative Curricular Initiatives
- Policy ◦International, Federal and Local Health Policy

Non-Research Abstract Session Submission Criteria

- Presenter / Co-contributor information and CME Disclosure Form(s)
- Submission Topic(s)
- Title of Session
- Overview: If the proposal is accepted into the program, the overview will be published in conference materials to help attendees select which session they would like to attend.
- Rationale: Why the topic is important and its relevance to the conference themes?
- Objectives: What participants will know or be able to do as a result of this presentation?



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See more at: <http://www.icimh.org/Non-Research-Abstract-Submission> - <http://www.iscmr.org/>