



Council of Nursing Research 2010 Poster Session Call for Abstracts

The profession of Nursing is changing and developing as we care for patients with increasingly acute conditions in a variety of environments. The Council on Nursing Research is again focusing on the dissemination of research that is impacting our goal of the deliverance of evidence based care. The MNA's Council on Nursing Research is committed to sharing the value of research to the practicing nurse and wants to encourage nurses to embrace evidence based nursing practice.

At this year's MNA Convention we will expand the Research Poster Session to include both original nursing research, along with examples from those changing nursing practice based on current evidence. We invite MNA nurses and Health Care Agencies who are utilizing evidence based practice to share their projects in poster form during the 2010 MNA Convention Research Poster Session. The directions for submission of abstracts for acceptance of these projects are attached and can be found on the MNA Website.

We continue to be committed to the Nurse Researcher and nurse researchers to submit their abstracts for approval to be shown in the 2010 MNA Convention Poster Session. Again, the instructions for abstract submission are attached and on the MNA Website. The Council on Nursing Research will review each abstract using a blinded review process. The deadline for **abstract submission is Aug. 16**. Authors will be notified of acceptance by Aug. 30.

For more information, contact Betty Ruth Hawkins at the MNA office at (601) 898-0670 or brhawkins@msnurses.org.

Sincerely,

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Council of Nursing Research 2010 Poster Session Abstract Format

Check category: Nurse Researcher Evidence-based Nursing Project
 Nurse Researcher Graduate Student Project

Abstracts are to be a maximum of 250-300 words and are to be submitted electronically and single spaced in the **format below**.
A completed Face Sheet is to be attached. All submissions are to be e-mailed to brhawkins@msnurses.org.

Title: _____
Title Must Match Face Sheet Exactly

Purpose of the Research or Project: _____

Method: _____

Analysis _____

Results: _____

Sample _____

Discussion: _____

Abstracts must follow this form