



**AFLAR**  
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For Rheumatology



**AFLAR Scientific Conference 2023**  
**(In conjunction with The Arthrheuma Society of Kenya)**

# *Guidelines* **FOR ABSTRACTS**



## GUIDELINES FOR ABSTRACTS

1. Kindly indicate if your abstract is submitted for an oral or poster presentation
2. Overall structure of abstract:
  - a. Title: This should be concise and not include phone numbers or email
  - b. Background:
  - c. Setting: i.e., community-based study or hospital-based study
  - d. Methods:
  - e. Results:
  - f. Conclusion
3. Deadline: December 31st 2022
4. Send to e-mail: arthrheuma@gmail.com
5. Submit in WORD
6. Ideal length 250 -300 words excluding the Title, names of authors /co-authors.
7. Abstract should preferably contain previously unpublished results.

## GUIDELINES FOR POSTERS

### LAYOUT AND FORMAT

- Please observe that posters should have a portrait layout.
- Dimensions (width x height) 841x1,189
- Poster boards will be 1,000mm x 2,000mm height
- Presenters will be responsible for posting materials on poster boards before lunch break on 22nd February 2023.

### POSTER CONTENT

The poster presentation should cover all aspects of your work:

- Abstract
- Introduction
- Materials
- Methods
- Results
- Discussion
- Conclusion
- References

### RECOMMENDATIONS

- Avoid extensive narratives. Bulleted points are preferred
- Results presented as figures, diagrams, graphs, are preferred but must be clear and concise tabular format
- Statistical data should be titled
- Display materials on the board in logical sequence
- Font: Minimum 14 point and readable. Use standard fonts (Arial, Helvetica, Times New Roman)

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR ORAL PRESENTATIONS

- Each presenter will be given a time slot of 20 minutes in total (15min of presentation and 5 min of both questions and changing podium)
- All oral presenters are advised to upload any slides/ Power Point presentations in advance.
- Save the file with your name and the presentation number which you will be given.



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