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TexMed 2015 Quality Poster Session Sponsored by TMF Health Quality Institute

Poster Guidelines

1. Abstracts scheduled for poster sessions will be listed in the TexMed 2015 Final Program. Presenters should attend their posters according to the schedule below to discuss their work.

Austin Convention Center, Saturday, May 2, 2015, 8:00 – 9:00 am: TexMed 2015 Quality Poster Session and Continuing Medical Education (CME) Session. Posters must be attended by **ALL** authors. There will be awards for first, second, and third place winners. The award ceremony will held on Saturday, May 2, 2015 at 7:50 am just prior to the CME Poster Session at 8:00 am.

2. Posters should be mounted with thumb tacks or push pins. **(PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN AS THEY WILL NOT BE PROVIDED.)** The poster surface area is approximately 48” wide by 48” high. You may cover as much of this space as you wish. Prepare a label for the top of the poster indicating the title, the authors, and the practice/institution. Lettering for the title should be at least one inch high. An enlarged copy of the abstract should be affixed to the poster to facilitate review of your display when you are not in attendance.

3. Your poster presentation **MUST** include a Disclosure of Relevant Financial Relationships. The Disclosure Form is located at the end of the application packet. A printed copy of the Disclosure Form must be included in your poster presentation. If you have nothing to disclose, please state this.

4. All illustrations should be made before you arrive. Illustrations should be large enough so that they can clearly be read from a distance of three feet or more. Charts, drawings, and tables should be similar to those you would use for slides, but they should be more heavily drawn and should be at least 11 inches by 14 inches.

5. A brief but clearly worded “Introduction” as well as “Summary and Conclusions” are key features for understanding the data presented.

6. Text and legends for figures should be short, but do not omit them.

7. Use large, clear, easy-to-read print for text and legends.

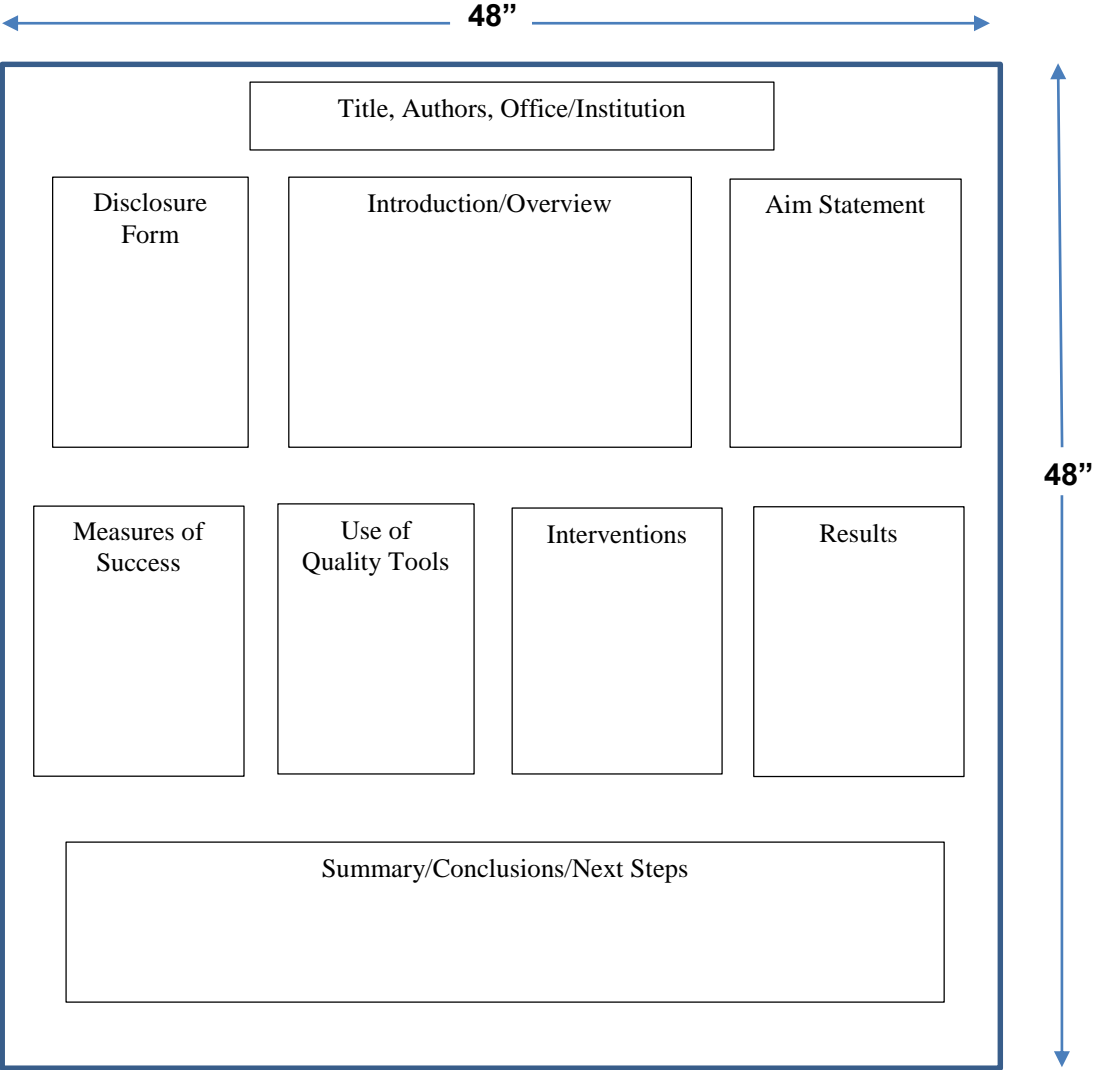
8. The use of color on posters adds emphasis and draws interest to the presentation; however, limited use of green and red is encouraged.

9. Clear 8.5”x11” sheet protectors will be secured on the side of the stand for you to place smaller printed versions of your poster as handouts. Copies are your responsibility and should be made before your arrive.

Sample Poster Layout I

Category: Quality Improvement

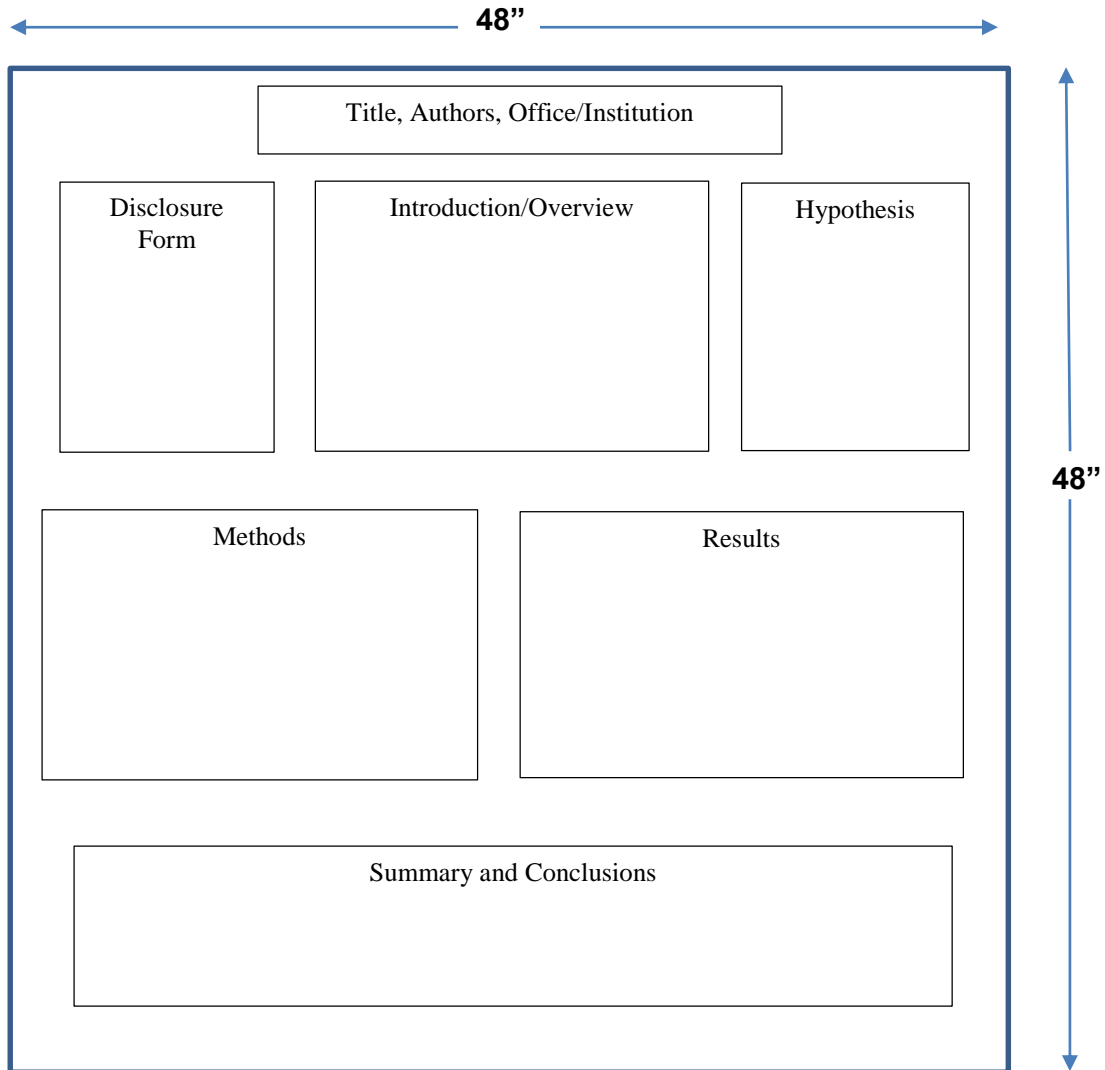
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Sample Poster Layout II

Category: Quality Research

Area for Abstract Display – 48" X 48"



Sample Poster Layout III

Category: Other

Area for Abstract Display – 48" X 48"

