

CALL FOR POSTER ABSTRACTS



**14th Annual New England Pharmacists Convention
September 13-14, 2018
The Fox Tower at Foxwoods Resort Casino**

**Sponsored by:
The Connecticut Pharmacists Association
The Massachusetts Pharmacists Association
Rhode Island Pharmacists Association**

Submission Deadline: **Friday, August 3, 2018**

Posters Abstracts can be submitted in one of two categories:

1. Innovation in Pharmacy Practice:
 - Demonstration of or theoretical research to support a significant innovation in pharmacy practice that directly or indirectly results in improved patient care and/or the advancement of the profession of pharmacy.
2. Successful Integration of Pharmacy Students in a Practice Setting:
 - Model pharmacy practice settings that provide in-depth learning experiences to registered pharmacy interns. These models promote the application of knowledge gained from the classroom, research and readings to a real world practice setting and provide for opportunities to increase the student's knowledge base throughout the course of the internship.

Please address all questions to NEPC@masspharmacists.org

Submission Guidelines: Your submission must include:

- An abstract with **Poster Title**, **Author Name(s)** with primary author's name underlined, **School** (if any), **Category**, and a paragraph of not more than 600 words;
- While Posters **may have been presented previously** at other events, please indicate if the poster has been submitted elsewhere (include event and dates);
- **One Learning Objective** and **One Multiple Choice question** with the **answer bolded**
- A **PowerPoint slide** of your poster;

Please Note: The Abstract and PowerPoint must be submitted at the same time!

The poster material listed above is due by **Friday, August 3** and should be sent electronically to NEPC@masspharmacists.org

Submissions must be complete and address the target category. Notice of approval will be issued and no later than August 31, 2018..

Judging Criteria: *Posters will be judged by convention attendees.* A ballot will be included with registration materials for all conference attendees. Detailed instructions for voting will be included. Attendees will have the opportunity to vote for the top poster in each category. Voting will be open from 10:00 am to 2:00 p.m., Friday, September 14, 2018.. Votes will be tallied and winners announced at the conclusion of the final session.

At least one author must attend the poster session to present the poster. All presenters must be registered for the New England Pharmacists Convention.

A plaque will be presented to the primary author of the first place poster in each of the two categories. The abstracts and a PP slide of the top three posters in each category will be published in the Winter issue of the *Pharmacy Journal of New England*.

Set-up & Presentation Guidelines:

- Posters will be on display in the Convention Exhibit Hall
- Set -up time will be Friday, September 14 between 8:00am-10:00am
- Poster display boards are 4' tall x 8' wide, please limit your poster to fit the display board.
- Authors are responsible for bringing their own display materials to affix the poster to the display board (e.g., double-sided tape or push pins).
- Authors are permitted to supply handouts to explain their presentation, and are encouraged to be available during lunch and breaks to answer questions.
- Posters must be removed by 5:00 pm on Friday, September 14.

Withdrawals/Cancelations

- Written notification is required for all submission withdrawals.
- Only the Primary Author may withdraw a submission — third party withdrawals will not be accepted.
- Send your withdrawal request to: NEPC@masspharmacists.org.

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