

Arkansas Medical Society Call for Posters

We are excited to announce that in 2025 the Arkansas Medical Society (AMS) will be celebrating its 150th Anniversary, a milestone that marks a century and a half of dedication, innovation, and service. The event will take place on May 30 and 31, 2025 at the Statehouse Convention Center in Little Rock. The highlight of this celebration will be the inaugural gala and the posters & awards ceremony scheduled for the evening of May 31st. We anticipate an unforgettable evening filled with celebration, reflection, and vision for the future.

AMS represents the interests of approximately 15,000 healthcare professionals in the State of Arkansas, including physicians in practice and academics, physicians in training and medical students. We estimate that the event will be attended by over 1,000 healthcare professionals and guests.

The Arkansas Medical Society poster session at the 2025 Annual Membership Meeting will be on Saturday, May 31st. The aim of the poster session is to showcase ongoing research being conducted by AMS members, both trainees and faculty/practicing physicians. Hence, we invite submissions for research/quality improvement projects conducted during the last two years in broad areas of inquiry. We are encouraging submissions from medical students & physician trainees.

There will be three categories:

- 1. Medical Students (only first author must be from this category).
- 2. Residents and Fellows (only first author must be from this category).
- 3. Faculty/practicing providers (only first author must be from this category).

Venue: Statehouse Convention Center, Little Rock, AR

Event Date: May 31st, 2025

Submission: Email abstract to posters@arkmed.org
Please include '2025 Annual Meeting Poster Submission' in the subject.

Deadline for abstract submission: February 3, 2025

Review process: All submissions will be reviewed by a committee of researchers and educators. Notification of acceptance of poster presentations will be sent the week of **March 1st, 2025**. The top three posters in each category will receive a certificate and an award. If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Prasad Padala at PRPadala@uams.edu.

AMS will print selected posters free of charge.

Abstract Guidelines:

- ✓ Abstracts must be organized into the following sections: Background, Objectives, Methods, Results and Conclusions.
- ✓ Case reports may be submitted by members in training/ early investigators.
- ✓ Abstracts should include implications for research, policy, or practice in the Conclusions section, when applicable.
- ✓ Brand names of pharmaceuticals and trade names of medical devices cannot be used in the title or body of the abstract.
- ✓ The abstract cannot contain illustrations, images or graphs. If the abstract is accepted, presenters may include these items in their on-site presentations.
- ✓ An abstract may contain one small table.
- ✓ The maximum word count is 250.