

Call for Abstracts from Postdoctoral Scholars

Information and Details

Abstract Submission Deadline: February 24, 2023 by 1600hrs MST

Eligible Topics: Scientific work addressing public health including population health, clinical, health services, quality improvement or education questions.

Eligibility: Postdoctoral scholars whose supervisors are members of the O'Brien Institute for Public Health.

Formatting Rules: Maximum 1-page abstract with minimum of 1cm margins & 12 font text. Abstracts not conforming to this format will be withdrawn from the competition. The abstract must contain the following headings:

Background: Describe the context and importance of the study and state the objective(s) of the study.

Methods: Describe the methods used including study design, setting, population, measures, and analytic procedures.

Results: Describe the results in sufficient detail to support the conclusions. Tabular or graphic results are acceptable.

Conclusions: Should state the implications of the findings for clinical practice, research, education, or policy.

Submission: Submit abstracts as MS Word or PDF documents in a single email sent to **iph@ucalgary.ca** with the subject line "Gairdner Symposium Abstract".

Notification of Presentation: Abstracts will be adjudicated by a panel of population health and health services research experts. The top ranked abstracts will be selected for oral presentation. Postdoctoral scholars will be notified by March 6, 2023.

Presentation Date: April 4, 2023 (exact time of presentation to be determined)

Judges & Awards: Oral presentations will be adjudicated by Dr. Deborah Cook, 2022 Gairdner Wightman Award winner and Dr. Verna Yiu, Interim Provost University of Alberta. Awards will be presented to the top two oral presentations (\$500 for 1st place and \$250 for 2nd place).