



2003 Pediatric Academic Societies' Abstract Submission Form

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Theme Code (optional)
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Keywords (optional)
Enter up to three keywords for your abstract:

Abstract Box: Include Title, Authors, Institutions, Abstract Text (including any figure or table). Do not type outside the lines. *Abstract should be prepared using the structured format.*

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Indicate if you would like this abstract to be considered for any of the following awards. See pp. 6-7 for eligibility criteria and how to apply.

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- Fellow's Basic Research Award
- Fellow's Clinical Research Award
- House Officer Research Award
- Student Research Award
- Travel Grant (*must apply also for either Rowe, Fellow Basic, Fellow Clinical or House Officer Award*)
- Ludwig-Seidel Award
- Young Investigator Award in Pediatric Hematology/Oncology

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- Special Interest Group (SIG)**
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- Committee**
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 American Pediatric Society Society for Pediatric Research Ambulatory Pediatric Association
 ASPHO member submitting to Hematology or Oncology OR ASPN member submitting to Nephrology OR LVPES member submitting to Diabetes & Endocrinology (Basic or Clinical) (*see general policies regarding Affiliate sponsorship*)

Subspecialties, Themes, SIGs, and Committees

Designation of a Theme Choice and the listing of key words are essential for the program committee to determine/select abstracts that can be grouped for presentation in poster symposia and other thematic sessions. Choice of abstracts for these thematic sessions is the very first step in the development of the program, and these sessions often include the most highly rated abstracts. Therefore, it is in your interest to designate a theme whenever possible. Key words will be used as the second step in development of the program to encourage groups of abstracts for presentation among those authors with similar scientific or clinical interests, regardless of subspecialty. Subspecialty topic designation will be the last criterion used in the program development.

SUBSPECIALTY CODES *(Mandatory)*

Choose Only One (1)

CODE	SUBSPECIALTY
ADM	Adolescent Medicine
AI	Allergy & Immunology & Rheumatology
CA	Cardiology
CR	Critical Care
DB	Developmental Biology
BP	Developmental / Behavioral Pediatrics
DT	Dysmorphology & Teratology
EM	Emergency Medicine
ENB	Endocrinology & Diabetes (Basic Research)
ENC	Endocrinology & Diabetes (Clinical Research)
EP	Epidemiology
GI	Gastroenterology
GP	General Pediatrics & Preventive Pediatrics
GT	Genetics/Inborn Error of Metabolism
HEM	Hematology (<i>see also Oncology</i>)
ID	Infectious Diseases
ED	Medical Education
NEP	Neonatal Epidemiology & Follow up
NNM	Neonatal Fetal Nutrition & Metabolism <i>##see footnote</i>
NID	Neonatal Infectious Diseases <i>##see footnote</i>
NPU	Neonatal Pulmonology <i>##see footnote</i>
NA	Neonatology - General <i>**see footnote**</i>
NPY	Nephrology
NR	Neurology
ON	Oncology
PH	Pharmacology
PU	Pulmonology

THEME CODES *(Optional)*

Choose Only One (1)

CODE	THEME
AD	ADHD
AST	Asthma
BMI	Brain Metabolism and Injury
CPD	Cardiac and Pulmonary Development
CBE	Clinical Bioethics
CRE	Clinical Research in Emerging Countries
CTP	Clinical Trials in Perinatal & Neonatal Medicine
CSM	Cytokines and Signaling Molecules
EH	Environmental Health
GBD	Genetic Basis of Disease
HSR	Health Services Research
HIP	Historical Perspectives
IMD	Immunizations Delivery
INJ	Injury
NDO	Neonatal - Disease-Oriented Research
NPO	Neonatal - Patient-Oriented Research
NDI	Neurodevelopmental Disabilities
OXA	Oxidants / Antioxidants
PC	Palliative Care
PNM	Pediatric Nutrition and Metabolism
PHP	Public Health and Prevention
PVB	Pulmonary Vascular Biology
RII	Refugees, Immigrants and International Adoptees
UNP	Underserved Populations

Footnotes to Subspecialty/Theme Codes

****** The subspecialty category, Neonatology General, will be divided between three themes. These categories have been chosen to broadly divide the general neonatal abstracts into workable sub-categories. This change will improve the quality of the review process and develop three very strong neonatal platform sessions. Thus, if you choose Neonatology General, please select one of these themes even if you feel the theme title does not exactly capture the content of your abstract.

Clinical Trials in Perinatal Neonatal Medicine
Neonatal Patient-Oriented Research
Neonatal Disease-Oriented Research

Investigators who choose one of the following subspecialties should strongly consider selecting theme Neonatal Disease-Oriented Research or theme Neonatal Patient-Oriented Research in addition to the subspecialty:

Neonatal Infectious Diseases
Neonatal and Fetal Nutrition & Metabolism
Neonatal Pulmonology

APA SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

CODE	SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP
SIG01	Advocacy Training
SIG02	AIDS/HIV
SIG03	Child Abuse
SIG04	Community-Based Physicians
SIG05	Complementary and Alternative Pediatrics
SIG06	Continuity
SIG07	Culture, Ethnicity and Health Care
SIG08	Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics
SIG09	Division Directors in General Pediatrics
SIG10	Emergency Medicine
SIG11	Environmental Health
SIG12	Faculty Development
SIG13	Health Services Research
SIG14	Injury Control
SIG15	Inpatient Medicine/Hospitalist
SIG16	International Health
SIG17	Literacy Development Programs in Primary Care
SIG18	Managed Care
SIG19	Medical Informatics
SIG20	Medical Student Education
SIG21	Newborn Nursery
SIG22	Nutrition
SIG23	Pain
SIG24	Pediatric Emergency Medicine Program Directors
SIG25	Pediatric Resident
SIG26	Pediatric Telephone Care
SIG27	Pediatric Tobacco Issues
SIG28	Pediatrics for Family Practice
SIG29	Practice-Based Research Networks
SIG30	Race in Medicine
SIG31	School and Community Health
SIG32	Serving the Underserved
SIG33	Women in Medicine

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