

# HEALTH: A CALL TO ACTION CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

### **HEALTH Research Institute**

At the University of Houston HEALTH Research Institute, our primary mission is to conduct cutting-edge research that informs novel prevention, early detection, diagnosis, and intervention strategies that mitigate a broad range of health challenges.

The inaugural <u>HEALTH: A Call to Action</u> conference hosted by the HEALTH Research Institute invites current undergraduate and graduate students to submit abstracts to be considered for poster presentations. The goal is to provide a venue to share new research findings that address health disparities or provide new insights into health equity science. All submissions will be evaluated on the basis of scientific merit by peer review.

**Presentation topics** that address health disparities or provide innovative insights into health-equity science are preferred with additional prioritization given to areas such as cancer, diabetes, mental health, obesity, population health, precision medicine, social determinants of health, substance use/abuse, and access to care. Moreover, presentations that provide guidance regarding novel prevention, early detection, diagnosis, treatment, and/or dissemination and implementation strategies for our underserved communities are encouraged.

Note: Only 1 submission as first author will be accepted for presentation.

#### **Submission Guidelines**

Abstracts are limited to 300 words (not including the title and author names). Please be sure to check the word count before submitting as only the first 300 words will be considered for review.

Structure your abstract with the following subheadings:

- 1. Background
- 2. Methods
- 3. Results
- 4. Conclusions

Only research-based abstracts that report completed results will be considered. If your abstract is accepted, it is expected that you and/or a co-author will register for the meeting and present the research poster. Registration for first author presenters will be free. If the first author cannot attend and a co-author is presenting in the first author's place, the co-author's registration will be waived. HELPING EVERYONE ACHIEVE A LIFETIME OF HEALTH

**Deadlines** & Important Dates

> Application deadline: November 8, 2019

Notification of acceptance: December 6, 2019

Conference registration deadline: January 6, 2020

Date of HEALTH: A Call to Action: January 30th and 31st, 2020

> Date of Poster Presentation: January 31, 2020

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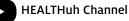
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### **Required Application Components**

- Lead Presenter's Information
- Co-Author Information (as applicable) •
- Abstract Title (85 characters or less, including spaces)
- Keywords (3-5) •
- Structured Abstract (up to 300 words) •



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