



NEICS Winter Meeting, Civic Centre, Newcastle
Tuesday 12th November 2019

Call for Abstracts!

Abstracts are invited for oral presentation at the NEICS spring meeting at the Civic Centre Newcastle on Tuesday 12th November 2019.

Submissions relevant to intensive care are invited in the following categories:

- Audit
- Case Reports
- Original Research
- Surveys

Prizes will be awarded to the top oral presentations!

Abstracts should be submitted to: suzyoneill@doctors.net.uk and neics@nhs.net

The closing date for submissions is 08:00 on Monday 28th October 2019.

Sadly any abstracts received after this date are unable to be accepted. If you have any queries please email the NEICS committee at neics@nhs.net

NEICS Abstracts: Instructions for Authors

Please prepare your abstract as a **word file**, as detailed below. **Total word count must not exceed 500 words or 400 words if a table or figure is included.** Only one table or figure is permitted.

- For **all abstracts** (except case reports) use these headings:
Background / Methods / Results / Discussion / Acknowledgements / References

For **case reports** use these section headings:
Case Description / Discussion / Acknowledgements / References

- Headings should be in bold font
- Single line space between paragraphs
- Only one table or figure

References

The University of Leicester has a good guide to number referencing (<https://www2.le.ac.uk/library/help/referencing/vancouver-numbered-system>).

Key features include:

- Include all author names (unless more than seven – then give first three only then 'et al.')
- Include journal titles in full with year, volume and page numbers.

Example reference:

1. Name A, Name B. Title here. *Journal name in full please* 2003; **22**: 123-4.

Please read through your abstract carefully before submitting, as it cannot be edited after the submission deadline.

Deadline: 08:00 Monday 28th October 2019.

Authors will be notified by Friday 1st November 2019 if their abstract has been accepted for presentation and will receive further instructions at this point.