

2017

Child Health Symposium

Presented by

- Faculty of Health Sciences, Western University
- Thames Valley Children's Centre

May 26 • 8:45–3:45 •
At Western University



Optimizing Child Health: Address Stress for Success

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

Deadline for Submission: March 22, 2017

Purpose

The Child Health Symposium is a collaborative presentation of Western University's Faculty of Health Sciences and the Thames Valley Children's Centre. It provides an opportunity for researchers, clinicians, educators, service leaders, and students from all disciplines to:

- Share their knowledge, ideas, and best practices for service delivery
- Present current research interests, questions, and findings
- Learn more about the child health research happening in our community
- Network and build relationships and collaborations with others (e.g., youth, families, students, service providers, educators, researchers) in our community in the area of child health

Target Audience

The target audience for the Child Health Symposium includes: youth, families, researchers, clinicians (e.g., behaviour therapists, occupational therapists, physical therapists, speech language pathologists, recreational therapists, social workers, nurses, etc.), service leaders, and undergraduate and graduate students.

Call for Presentations

Potential presenters are invited to submit an electronic abstract of a description of their oral or poster presentation by **March 22, 2017**. Proposals should reflect one (or more) of the purposes of the symposium.

Brief Oral Presentations: Length of presentations should be 15 minutes (short presentations allow symposium attendees to be exposed to a variety of research studies and best practices).

Poster Presentations: Poster size is 1.2 m (4') high by 1.2 m (4') wide. Poster presenters must be present during the scheduled poster presentation time. Poster presenters will have an opportunity to introduce their poster topic during the Poster Teaser session prior to lunch.

Please use clear, person-first language. All presentation abstracts will be included in materials for the symposium. Presentation and poster handouts will be made available for attendees to download.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING SUBMISSION FORM

Please Prepare your Submission Form in the Following Format

- The submission web form is located http://www.uwo.ca/fhs/news_events/child_health.html . You may want to prepare the form information in a separate document and cut and paste onto the web form. Text should be single-spaced.
- Complete the **Contact Information for the Contact Person** (this will be the only person contacted about the proposal, and will be responsible for communicating with other presenters involved in the proposal).
- List the names of all the **presenting author(s) and other contributing authors** and full name of each **author's affiliation/organization** (include broad organization name; specific department/program name is not needed). Use an asterisk (*) to indicate presenting authors.
For example: Jane Doe*, Western University; John Smith*, Thames Valley Children's Centre, Alison Betty, London Health Science Centre.
- Choose the **type of Presentation Format**: Oral presentation or poster presentation (and indicate whether an alternative format would be acceptable).
- **Select up to 3 Keywords** that best describe your presentation. If you select other, please list the keywords that describe your presentation.
- Use a **descriptive Title** (titles will be used in the registration process for session selection)
- Please do not exceed the 250-word limit for your abstract. The abstract should clearly describe the purpose of the presentation and should reflect at least one of the purposes or the theme of the Child Health Symposium. Reports of research studies (completed or underway) may want to include details of the population studied; study purposes, objectives or hypothesis, method, results and conclusions of the study, implications for practice, and acknowledgement of source(s) of funding. It is not necessary to use subheadings to define each section.
- Submissions from students, researchers and clinicians are encouraged and might focus on clinical observations, questions, case reports, or best practices in service delivery.
- Ensure submitted information is spelled correctly-presentation title, abstract, authors' names, and affiliations will appear in materials for the symposium.
- All proposals submitted will be acknowledged upon receipt.

Proposal Selection Committee

The CHS Selection Committee will review all proposals submitted by the due date (**March 22, 2017**) by looking at the submission title and 250-word abstract. Preference will be given to those submissions that are clearly communicated and address one of the purposes of the CHS. Proposals will be selected to ensure a varied program. Note that some submitters may be offered an alternative presentation format (dependent on the total number of submissions received). The Selection Committee's decisions will be final and there will be no appeal process. Selected presenters will be notified in early April and provided with specific details for formatting the presentations and posters.

For Information on the 2017 Child Health Symposium or to Submit a Proposal:

http://www.uwo.ca/fhs/news_events/child_health.html

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Required Information for 2017 CHS Proposal Submission Form

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Contact Person's Information

Name:

Position Title (student, faculty, researcher, physical therapist, parent advocate, youth, etc.):

Affiliation/Organization:

School/Department:

Mailing address (Street Address, City/Province, Postal Code)

Telephone:

Email:

If student/trainee, please provide Supervisor's Name:

Names and Organizations of ALL Presenters* and Contributing Authors

List all presenting and contributing authors, if applicable, in order of contribution. Please include affiliations (broad organization name, department not needed). Use an asterisk (*) to indicate all presenting authors.

Example:

Jane Doe*, Western University

John Smith*, Thames Valley Children's Centre

Alison Betty, London Health Science Centre

Choose Presentation Format

Select one choice, and indicate if you would present in an alternate format. Oral Presentation Poster Presentation

Keywords

Select up to 3 keywords that best describe your presentation. If you select other, please list the keywords that describe your presentation.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Communication | <input type="checkbox"/> Quality of Life | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Media and Technology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Developing and Using Measures | <input type="checkbox"/> Research: Biomedical | <input type="checkbox"/> Stress |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Interventions and Clinical Practice | <input type="checkbox"/> Research: Clinical | <input type="checkbox"/> Transitions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Knowledge Translation | <input type="checkbox"/> Research: Health Services | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Focus |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health and Wellness | <input type="checkbox"/> Research: Psychosocial | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (list): _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parent/Family/Caregiver Focus | <input type="checkbox"/> Research Networks | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (list): _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Participation and Play | <input type="checkbox"/> Resilience | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (list): _____ |

Title of Presentation (make descriptive, used for registration)

Abstract (maximum 250 words)