

Hello members:

June 24, 2018

I hope you are enjoying a sunny beginning to summer!

I invite you to consider submitting an abstract for the proposed Competitive Symposium for the Spring 2019 MNRS Conference. The leadership team was most enthused with the excellent presentations that we all enjoyed this past April. We need your help to ensure another quality symposium that will continue to inform our practice.

The deadline for submission is coming up very soon-- July 20-- and MNRS will have the instructions for uploading abstracts online this coming week.

### **Palliative and End-of-Life Care RIG**

#### **CALL FOR COMPETITIVE SYMPOSIUM ABSTRACTS**

**SYMPOSIUM TITLE: Emerging Trends in the Palliative and End-of-Life Care of Patients and Families**

**DEADLINE TO SUBMIT ABSTRACTS ONLINE:**

**JULY 20, 2018 by 11:59 pm EDT**

The Palliative and End-of-Life Care RIG is pleased to offer a call for abstracts for a proposed Competitive Symposium titled, "***Emerging Trends in the Palliative and End-of-Life Care of Patients and Families.***"

Appropriate topics for this symposium include but are not limited to research related to:

- The latest issues and emerging strategies for caring for patients and families in palliative and EOL interventions across the lifespan.
- Research relevant to the session would include topics such as behavioral health, opioid management, caretaker issues, dementia, spiritual care, vulnerable populations, and related aspects of holistic care.

From June 25, 2018 – July 20, 2018, ***abstracts can be uploaded online by the primary author.*** The link to the submission site will be provided by MNRS through all RIG listservs and posted online on June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Abstracts are to be limited to 350 words and include the following: Purpose/Background, Framework, Methods, Results, and Conclusions-

I look forward to your submissions! More information is in the attachment.

Have a Happy 4th of July!

Best regards,  
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