

**PEDIATRIC RESEARCH & IMPLEMENTATION INTEREST GROUP
CALL FOR GUARANTEED SYMPOSIUM**

SYMPOSIUM TITLE: Pediatric Influences of Health across the Life Course
Deadline to submit abstracts: July 23, 2021, 11:59 pm EST

The Pediatric RIIG is pleased to offer a call for abstracts for a proposed guaranteed symposium titled, "Pediatric Influences of Health across the Life Course." Appropriate symposium topics may include, but are not limited to:

- Pediatric origins of health and disease
- Adverse childhood experiences and health
- Longitudinal studies in pediatric research
- Risk and protective factors in childhood that affect long-term health

Abstracts are limited to 350 words and should follow the format:

- Background
- Purpose
- Framework/Theory
- Methods
- Results
- Conclusion

Abstracts will be scored by the RIIG's Symposium Committee based on significance, innovation, and fit with the proposed theme. Following peer review by the Pediatric RIIG Review Committee, one of the top 3-5 abstracts will be submitted to the Program Planning Committee for blind peer review. The primary author will be notified of their inclusion status by July 23, 2021. If included in the submitted symposium, final acceptance status of the symposium will be announced by September 6, 2021.

NOTE: Authors of abstracts not selected for symposium may submit to the general call for competitive abstracts, which are due October 22, 2021. The MNRS Annual Conference will be held March 31-April 2, 2022.

Abstracts should be emailed by the primary author to the RIIG Chair, Lisa K. Militello at Militello.14@osu.edu by July 23, 2021, 11:59 pm.

If you have questions, please contact the RIIG Chair (Lisa Militello, Militello.14@osu.edu) or RIIG Chair-Elect (Marliese Nist, nist.10@osu.edu)

Thank you!