CALL FOR ABSTRACTS
Community-based Programs

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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: April 30, 2014 (5:00 PM HST)

The He Huliau 2014 Planning Committee seeks abstracts from community-based programs in the following topics:

- Metabolic Syndrome
- Obesity
- Diabetes Mellitus (DM)
- DM Complications (Kidney, etc.)
- Cardiovascular Disease (CVD)
- CVD Risk Factors
- DM and Obesity in Youth
- Community-engaged Research Studies
- Social Determinants of Health
- Culturally Informed Interventions

Abstracts are expected to include results of community-based activities. Types of activities include, but are not limited to:

- Projects
- Education
- Training
- Public Health Outreach
- Programs
- Interventions
- Models
- Public Health Literacy
Submission Guidelines
Selected abstracts may be either accepted for oral or poster presentation. The timing of poster sessions will be confirmed when the program is finalized. Author(s) must be available for discussion of their work during the designated poster session or following the oral presentation. Further instructions for oral or poster presentations will be provided with notification of acceptance. **All accepted oral and poster presenters are required to register for the conference.**

Abstract Requirements
1. Submit the completed face page form containing the abstract title; complete name of all author(s); corresponding author’s mailing address, telephone number, e-mail address; and, submission categories.
2. The abstract should be typed single-spaced in common fonts such as Arial (preferred), Helvetica, Times New Roman or Courier in at least 11 point size. The abstract’s title should be typed in **BOLD** letters and should clearly represent the nature of the investigation. The title should be followed by the authors’ first and last names.
3. Abstract text (not including title or author names) **should not exceed 500 words**. The abstract may appear in conference materials exactly as submitted, including errors.
4. Save abstract text as a Word or plain text document with the primary author’s last name and the date submitted (e.g. Smith_02-04-14).

Body of Abstract
Organize the abstract as follows*:
• Title
• Organization
• Objective: (Statement about the program purpose)
• Methods: (Statement of the program activities and target audience)
• Results: (Summary of the program evaluation, accomplishments and results)
• Conclusion: (Statement of the conclusions reached)
• Application: (Implications and significance of how program applies to Pacific health equity)

*Modifications are acceptable if the subject matter cannot be adequately addressed within this framework; however, the authors are responsible for ensuring that the organizational format chosen is understandable.

Notification
Abstracts selected for oral or poster presentation will be notified by e-mail during the week of June 2, 2014. If accepted, presenting author will need to register for the conference and will be responsible for costs associated with attending the conference, including travel, hotel and other miscellaneous expenses. Detailed information about registration will be sent out with notification letter.

Submission Method and Deadline
Submit your abstract and face page via e-mail to Dr. S. Kalani Brady at native@hawaii.edu no later than **Wednesday, April 30, 2014 (5:00 P.M. HST)**.

Questions?
Abstract logistics: Kimberley Spencer at kkspence@hawaii.edu
Scientific questions: Dr. S. Kalani Brady at native@hawaii.edu.

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