CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACT SUBMISSION IS FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 2018.

The 2018 Oncologic Emergency Medicine Conference invites the submission of abstracts regarding clinical care or best practices in an emergency care setting. The goal is to provide the audience an opportunity to collaborate and stimulate discussions specifically on how an emergency center delivers quality patient care whether in an academic, hospital or community based setting. The type of research can be qualitative or quantitative and have a focus in public health, health services, epidemiology, or public policy. Ideally there should be a focus on the care of the cancer patient in an emergency room setting but work in areas commonly encountered in oncological patients such as sepsis, pain, electrolyte imbalances, symptom management, and palliative care measures are encouraged.

Authors may submit abstracts of completed work, work in progress, or work elsewhere within the past 12 months.

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS:
Abstracts will only be accepted electronically and should be emailed to: EmergencyMedicine2018@mdanderson.org.

The deadline for receipt of abstracts is 11:59 PM CST on Friday, January 5, 2018. Notification of acceptance for poster presentations will be acknowledged by e-mail by Friday, January 12, 2018.

Abstract Formatting Instructions: Limit abstracts to one page, type in 12-point Times New Roman font, single spaced with one-inch margins, and left justified. Organize the abstract into: Background, Methods, Results, and Conclusions. Define all abbreviations. Include the abstract title, full names, and institutional affiliations of all authors, and e-mail address of the corresponding author at the top of the abstract. Underline the name of the presenting author. Abstracts must not contain copyrighted material unless permission has been obtained by the author/publisher.

Please remember to register for the conference in addition to submitting your abstract. You can register for the conference online at www.mdanderson.org/conferences
REGISTRATION INFORMATION

On-site registration opens at 7:00 am on Thursday, January 25. The conference will begin at 8:00 am and adjourn on Friday, January 26 at Noon. Advanced registration is encouraged as space and materials are limited.

The deadline for advanced registration is Friday, December 8, 2017.

There are three ways to register:
1. On-line at www.mdanderson.org/conferences
2. Fax to: 713-794-1724
3. Mail to: CME/Conference Management
   Unit 1781
   The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center
   P.O. Box 301407
   Houston, TX 77230-1407

We accept the following forms of payment:
• Check (payable through U.S. banks only)
• Money Order
• Credit Cards (MasterCard, VISA, and American Express)
• Cash (on-site registration only)

A receipt and confirmation letter will be sent to you within ten working days of receipt of your fee. The conference registration fee includes tuition, final conference agenda, continental breakfasts, breaks, lunch and a reception. Please refer to the registration form for specific information regarding fees.

REFUND/CANCELLATION POLICY
The registration fee, minus a $50 administrative handling fee, is refundable if a written request is received on or before Friday, December 8, 2017. No refunds will be granted after that date. The request for a registration refund must include the tax identification number of the company or institution if registration was paid by a company or institution check.

The Department of CME/Conference Management reserves the right to cancel activities prior to the scheduled date, if low enrollment or other circumstances make it necessary. Each registrant will be notified by mail, e-mail, or the contact numbers as given on the registration form. In case of activity cancellation, liability of the Department of CME/Conference Management is limited to the registration fee. CME/Conference Management will refund the full registration fee.

The Department of CME/Conference Management reserves the right to limit the number of participants in a program and is not responsible for any expenses incurred by an individual whose registration is not confirmed and for whom space is not available.

For additional information, please contact CME/Conference Management at 713-792-2223 or toll free at 866-849-5866.