

CDHA 2021 Virtual Original Research Poster Competition Judging Rubric

Title of Poster: _____

Poster Number: _____ Judge Number: _____



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Graded Criteria	Poor 1	Fair 2	Satisfactory 3	Good 4	Excellent 5	Points
Topic/Timeline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Irrelevant/Unimportant Overly researched Unfocused/Too broad 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Not current Minimal importance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Somewhat relevant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Timely topic Appropriate Important 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Immediate relevance Pertinent/Stimulating Detailed/Important 	
Abstract Template Specifications	<p><u>4 or more errors:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>3 errors:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>2 errors:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>1 error:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p>Template followed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Title 10 words or less 12 point font Times Roman Double-spaced 1 inch margins 150 words or less 	
Organization & Visual Appeal	<p><u>4 or more errors:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>3 errors:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>2 errors:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>1 error:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p>No errors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All headings included Graphs, charts are clear Colors not a distractor Font size easy to read Excellent balance of text, images, graphs, tables No spelling/grammar errors Generic drug names only 	
Introduction	<p><u>4 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>3 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>2 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>1 aspects is missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p>All aspects were included and clearly explained/summarized:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Statement of the problem Significance of the study Purpose of the study Background of the study Hypothesis is stated (if applicable) 	
Methods/ Results	<p><u>4 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>3 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>2 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>1 aspect is missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p>All aspects included and clearly explained:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research design and statistical analysis are appropriate for research question(s) posed Methods discussed in detail Discussion or the results is complete Research question answered 	
Conclusions	<p><u>4 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>3 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>2 aspects are missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>1 aspect is missing and/or not clearly explained:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p>All aspects are included and clearly explained:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conclusion accurately reflect findings Limitations of the study Strengths of the study Recommendations for future research 	
Contribution to National Dental Hygiene Research Agenda	<p><u>4 errors:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>3 errors:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>2 errors:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p><u>1 error:</u></p> <p>Use Criteria in Column 5</p>	<p>Clear contribution to research agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advances art/science of DH Phase of research clearly identified Area of research clearly identified Research design matches phase and area of research 	
Criteria SUBTOTAL	35 possible points					

