GUIDELINES FOR VISION 2025 ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

IMPORTANT DATES:

28 Nov 2024	**Abstract submission opening**
28 February 2025	**Abstract submission deadline**
30 April 2025	**Notification of abstract acceptance**
30 May 2025	**Early bird registration deadline**

You must select your presentation type preference from one of the following options:
- *Podium presentation or Poster*
- *Poster Only*

Please note that the final decision about the type of presentation is up to the Scientific Committee.
The conference Programme is able to allocate a higher number of Poster than Podium presentations.

GENERAL GUIDELINES
Please carefully follow the instructions before submitting the abstract.
The abstract submission is only possible **on-line**. Abstracts submitted by other means or not compliant with the instructions will not be accepted.

- You may be the presenting author of maximum 2 abstracts.
- There is no fee for abstract submission but presenting authors must be registered participants of the congress and **registration is mandatory by 30 May 2025**
- Accepted abstracts will be published on an abstract book available online after the congress.

The abstract will be online for editing by the submitter until the submission deadline.
All submitted abstracts will be reviewed by the scientific committee after the submission deadline.
Acceptance will be notified ONLY to the presenting author within 30 April 2025.

ABSTRACT PREPARATION

1. The abstract, title included, must be clear, concise and **written in English.**
2. Abstract length is **limited to 350 words, title excluded**. If possible, please avoid including pictures and tables.
3. Abstract body should be structured as follows: **Purpose, Methods, Results, Conclusions**. Please download and use the **template** available on the submission page.
4. Non-conventional abbreviations are not allowed in the title. If abbreviations are used in the text, please write the full description when first used.

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5. When submitting the abstract, authors are invited to select a specific congress **TOPIC** (only one) from the following list:

- Visual rehabilitation
- Low vision aids (optical, non-optical, digital, electronic devices)
- Diagnostic and assessment
- Pathology (maculopathy, glaucoma, rare disease)
- Epidemiology and social impact
- Medical and surgical Therapy
- Gene and cell Therapy
- Prosthesis
- Low vision Organizations and Services

- Neurophthalmology
- Pediatric Low Vision
- Psycology
- Prevention and screening processes
- Quality of Vision and quality of life
- Driving and mobility
- Reading
- Visual Fields
- Artificial intelligence
- Other

STEP BY STEP ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

- Carefully read the **General Conditions** to give your acceptance.
- Select one **Category** (topic) that you think relates most to your abstract.
- Type the abstract **Title.** Abbreviations are not allowed in the title. Please use capital letters and italics ONLY where necessary.
- Select the preferred **Type of presentation** (oral or poster); **please note that the final decision about the type of presentation is up to the Scientific Committee.**
- Add all **Authors** and their **e-mail address** and **affiliations**. Presenting authors are expected to attend the congress and present their contribution. Authors who are unable to attend and give the presentation as scheduled, must notify the Organizing Secretariat OIC and withdraw their abstract or change the presenter at AbstractVision2025@oic.it
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- Declare the **COIs of each author** by clicking on the blue button "declare". If you have any COI to declare, please specify them in the proper textbox next to each statement.
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