



HAWAII STATE CENTER FOR NURSING
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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

2026 HAWAII NURSING SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIUM

About The Symposium

The Hawai'i Nursing Scientific Symposium is Hawai'i's only conference that showcases nursing science (research, EBP, QI/PI) and programmatic innovations across the state. There will be presentations by nurse researchers, educators, clinicians, and administrators who are dedicated to nurse science and improving patient care outcomes.

Symposium Outcomes

Attendees will be able to:

- Describe scientific studies and programmatic innovations being conducted by nurses across the State of Hawaii.
- Apply knowledge gained at the Symposium to their everyday practice.

Symposium Details



February 27, 2026



Alohilani Resort Waikiki Beach

(In-Person Only)

*Funding for travel from neighboring islands may be available.



\$95 (meals Included)

Presentation Types



Podium Presentation

30 minute presentation (including Q&A).



Panel Presentation

60 minute panel presentation (including Q&A). Please identify your moderator and all presenters. Everyone identified must register for, attend, and present at the Symposium.



Poster Presentation

All posters should be oriented in landscape format and must not exceed 48" W x 36" H.

To submit an abstract visit:

go.hawaii.edu/4br
(case sensitive)

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Sept 12, 2025

Questions?



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ABSTRACT SUBMISSION DETAILS

General Information

- Abstracts may highlight original research, quality improvement projects, evidence-based practice, or programmatic innovations. Projects may be ongoing.
- Submissions from nurses working in all areas, including academia, acute care, long-term care, public health, and community health, are strongly encouraged.
- By submitting an abstract, the individual/team is agreeing that at least one person will register for, attend, and present at the Symposium.
- Presenters are responsible for their expenses related to attending the Symposium, including registration fees and travel accommodations.
- Presenters will be asked to identify any potential conflict of interest related to the content to be offered (e.g., commercial interest, affiliation with a vendor, and/or receipt of royalties) and affirm that their abstract presentations will not be used to sell a particular product or service. HSCN reserves the right to rescind the acceptance of an abstract due to any conflict of interest discovered after the fact.
- If accepted, a digital copy of your presentation (.ppt) or poster and any other presentation materials, will need to be submitted to the conference planning committee.

Abstract Submission Requirements

Complete the abstract submission form which will require you to provide:

- Presentation Title
- Project Type: Research, EBP, Program Development/Innovation, or QI/PI
- Presentation Format: 30 minute podium, 60-minute panel, or poster
- Target Audience: Clinicians, nursing educators, nursing leadership, or other
- Learning Outcome(s) - At least one observable and measurable learning outcome.
- Brief Description - **250 characters maximum including spaces** summarizing the topic of your presentation
- Abstract Narrative (see requirements below)
- Reference List

Abstract Narrative Requirements

- **Maximum 3000 characters including spaces**
- Introduction/Background/Rationale/Purpose
- Methods
- Results
- Limitations
- Discussion, Conclusions, and Implications
- **Do not** make reference to the authors, their affiliations, or the names of study sites.

Important Dates

- **Abstract Submission Deadline:** Sept 12, 2025
- **Symposium Registration Opens:** October 1, 2025
- **Presenters Notified of Acceptance:** October 31, 2025
- **Deadline to Register for the Symposium:** February 12, 2026
- **Nursing Scientific Symposium:** February 27, 2026