



ACN 2023 Abstract Formatting Guidelines

Title: The abstract title should be written in Title Case and be short and specific. The abstract title has a 20-word limit.

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Please include the following headings in the abstract.

Background and objectives: State the primary purpose of the study, including the main research questions or hypotheses being addressed, emphasizing what is innovative about this research.

Methods: Provide a clear, concise description of specific methods. Quantitative studies should include the design, participants, measures, and analyses. Qualitative studies should include a reference to the approach being adopted (e.g., discourse analysis, grounded theory) and describe the method of data generation, (e.g., interviews, transcripts of conversations, written accounts). Reviews should include details of the procedures adopted (e.g., literature search, inclusion/exclusion criteria, and methods of analysis). Please be aware that we prioritize meta-analyses over systematic and umbrella reviews. All studies should include details of the measures and analyses used.

Results: Report the most important findings, including the results of statistical analyses. Quantitative studies should include a summary of the results, which should contain numerical data. Qualitative studies should include an indication of the main results of the analysis (e.g., examples of themes, categories, responses, and discourses to be reported). Reviews should include a summary of the main findings.

Conclusions: Summarize in 1 or 2 sentences the primary contribution of the study, including the potential significance to the field.

Keywords: Up to 5 keywords may be selected.

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