



Speaker Abstract Submission Information & Guidelines

The Louisiana Primary Care Association (LPCA) invites subject matter experts and dynamic speakers to submit abstracts for presentations during its 36th Annual Conference. The Annual Conference will be held October 22-25, at the Crowne Plaza in Baton Rouge, LA.

The theme for our 36th Annual Conference is:

"Louisiana's Health Centers: Trusted Leaders in Community-Driven Healthcare."

As Louisiana's Community Health Centers continue to enhance their capacity to provide high quality primary care and save the state millions of dollars, this conference aims to provide sessions that highlight the following topics with relevance to value-based care:

- Community Health Leadership
- Collaborations and Partnerships
- Population Health
- Data Management
- Chronic Disease Management
- Addressing Social Determinants of Health
- Behavioral Health/Substance Abuse Treatment
- Fiscal Management
- Optimization of Health Information Technology
- and other topics related to community driven healthcare

We invite you to submit your proposal in the area/category for which you have demonstrated expertise that will benefit our participants.

The LPCA is seeking presentation abstracts for its concurrent 60-minute sessions that successfully reflect the 2019 theme and focused topics. Our speaker abstract submission form will also allow for anyone interested in speaking during a pre or post conference session (see Presentation Types below for more details). This is not a form for potential keynote speakers.

We invite you to submit your proposal in area/category for which you have demonstrated expertise that will benefit our participants. ***Submissions are being accepted until June 28, 2019 at 3pm CST.***

[CLICK HERE TO SUBMIT YOUR SPEAKER ABSTRACT](#)

See page 2 for additional notes and information.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- 1) Proposed presentations must be as specific as possible and should concentrate on a single topic.
- 2) Special consideration will be given to those presentations that include at least one community health center staff as a speaker.
- 3) Multiple submissions from the same applicant are allowed.
- 4) Presenters will receive complimentary registration for the one day of their presentation that includes meals on that day.
- 5) The LPCA will NOT BE ABLE TO COVER lodging and travel cost for any presenters.
- 6) Acceptance will be based on content, available space, overall program balance, and adherence to conference theme.
- 7) Keynote speakers will be selected by a separate invitation only process.
- 8) Incomplete or late submissions will not be accepted.

For **PRESENTATION TYPE**, please refer to the following definitions:

Breakout Session

A formal 45-minute presentation followed by 15 minutes of response to audience questions.

Panel Presentation

Focuses on an issue facing Community Health Centers. Provides a coordinated presentation by no more than four panelists on the topic area. This would be aimed for a pre or post conference session.

Workshop

Educates on a specific skill needed in the Community Health Center field and include one or more exercises that let attendees practice using this skill during the session. This would be specifically aimed for a pre or post conference session.

Round Table Discussion

Include time for presentation, followed by a discussion and feedback. Roundtable presenters should bring targeted questions to pose to others at the table. This is an ideal format for networking and in-depth discussion on a particular topic. Aimed for a pre or post conference session or a networking breakfast.

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Notifications of acceptance will be sent out by July 25, 2019.

For questions or more information, please contact Brandi Bourgeois at bbourgeois@lpcanet.net.