

## Poster Information

AUSTA will be running a poster session for the 2022 National Conference held in Melbourne between 1-4 July, 2022.

A dedicated session will be allocated for presenters to showcase their posters and answer questions from conference participants.



### What are posters?

Academic posters give researchers the opportunity to share their work in a succinct visual form. Posters largely rely on illustrations, graphics, flow charts, etc, and short paragraphs of text to convey their message.

### Do the posters have to be academic?

The posters do not need to be formally research-based, but if you have an idea for a poster that meets the criteria of imparting relevant information to our delegates, then we'd love to hear from you. Share your specialty with us at the conference.

A poster should be interesting to look at and not too dense with text.

Poster should be A1 size, (59.4 x 84.1cm) and can be presented in either landscape or portrait orientation.

### Here's some tips for poster presentation:

- The purpose of a poster is to be clear and succinct. Keep your message focused.
- Recommended **fonts sizes** are 18-24 point for the text, 30-36 points for sub headings and 96-100 points for headings. Ideally, people should be able to read the title of your poster from 2 meters away! Keep the font for text simple.
- Bullet points, lists, tables and graphs help clarify information quickly.
- Graphics and images should be printed with a resolution of 300dpi.
- Layout ideas are easily found online. Columns work well. Consider placing graphics and images in a way that allows natural eye movement; vertically-down columns, horizontally-along rows, top to bottom. Arrows and numbers can be used to identify the order of sections too.

Be sure to credit your references and institution of study if relevant.

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