



## Abstract submission guidelines

### World Heart Federation's World Congress of Cardiology & Cardiovascular Health 2018

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The allocation of accepted abstracts is not made solely on scientific merit, but also takes into consideration the themes of sessions and programming.

Accepted abstracts will be presented as E-poster only. This decision is made by the Congress Programme Committee.

Abstracts can only be submitted online. Abstracts received by fax, mail, email or handwritten will not be accepted.

All the abstracts must be submitted in English.

The maximum number of co-authors is 10, which includes the presenting author.

Each abstract, regardless of the submission format, should not exceed 2500 characters (approximately 350 words).

The abstract should be typed in Arial or Courier or Symbol or Times/Times New Roman font, size 11 pt and single line spacing.

The abstract body (2500 characters or less) must be structured as follows:

- Introduction
- Objectives
- Methods
- Results
- Conclusion

Charts, images and tables (up to a maximum of two per abstract) can be inserted in the online system using the standard copy-paste function.

The maximum number of abstracts which can be submitted per author is 15.



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