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REQUIREMENTS FOR ABSTRACTS

for **Poster** and **Oral Presentations**

DEADLINE	ABSTRACT	POSTER	ORAL
05.03	**250**	**4 min**	**8 min**
2027, midnight CET	words max.	4 slides	8 slides

KEY DATES

23 November 2026 Submission opens
05 March 2027 Submission closes at midnight (CET)
16 April 2027 Full-text article deadline for BaSS Awards candidates
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01 CATEGORIES

Presentations are welcome in the following categories:

- **Dental Materials**
- **Cariology and Restorative Dentistry**
- **Endodontics**
- **Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry**
- **Prosthetic Dentistry**
- **Periodontology**
- **Orthodontics**
- **Oral Surgery**
- **Dental Implantology**
- **Oral Medicine**
- **Dental Public Health**

02 PRESENTATION FORMAT

Authors must indicate the presentation format when submitting: **oral presentation** or **poster presentation**.

ORAL PRESENTATION

8 minutes

8 slides

POSTER PRESENTATION

4 minutes

4 slides

- There will be **no option for virtual presentations**.

03 SUBMISSION RULES

- Submissions are accepted **from 23 November 2026 until midnight (CET) on 05 March 2027**.
- All submissions must be in the **English language**.
- Authors are responsible for the accuracy of their submission, including grammar and spelling, as well as the names of authors and institutions.
- All authors must be listed before submission. All co-authors must agree that the abstract can be submitted for presentation.
- Authors may co-author **up to 3 submissions** but present only **ONE**.
- The same abstract may not be submitted to different categories.
- Abstracts must not have been previously presented or published.

04 ABSTRACT FORMATTING

Text	Plain text in Word, so the information can easily be reproduced later
Font	Times New Roman, 12 pt
Line spacing	Single (1.0)
Length	Up to **250 words**

PLEASE NOTE

Abstracts must **NOT** contain figures, tables, photos or illustrations.

05 STRUCTURE: ORIGINAL RESEARCH

Title	In **CAPITAL LETTERS**, in bold, without hyphenation
Authors	First name and last name of each author. The name of the presenting author should be underlined.
Affiliation	A number indicates the affiliation of each author. Under the authors' names, with the corresponding number, state the workplace in this order: **Department, Faculty, University, Country**
Abstract	Up to **250 words** · unformatted text · Word · Times New Roman 12 pt · 1.0 line spacing

ABSTRACT SECTIONS

1	2	3	4	5
Introduction	**Objective**	**Material and methods**	**Results**	**Conclusions**

Acknowledgements / Funding	If applicable, included after the Conclusions
Keywords	No more than **5**, arranged alphabetically

06 STRUCTURE: CASE REPORT

Title	In **CAPITAL LETTERS**, in bold, without hyphenation
Authors	First name and last name of each author. The name of the presenting author should be underlined.
Affiliation	A number indicates the affiliation of each author. Under the authors' names, with the corresponding number, state the workplace in this order: **Department, Faculty, University, Country**
Abstract	Up to **250 words** · unformatted text · Word · Times New Roman 12 pt · 1.0 line spacing

ABSTRACT SECTIONS

1	2	3	4	5	6
Introduction	**Objective**	**Case presentation**	**Clinical management / Treatment**	**Outcome / Follow-up**	**Conclusion**

Keywords	**3 – 5** keywords describing the main clinical topic of the case

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- The abstract should describe an individual clinical case or a clearly defined case series.
- The title should be concise and accurately reflect the clinical subject.
- **Patient anonymity** must be strictly preserved.
- Appropriate patient consent for the use of clinical information and images must have been obtained in accordance with applicable ethical and institutional requirements.
- Abbreviations should be defined at first use and kept to a minimum.
- Commercial product names should be avoided whenever possible; generic terminology is preferred.
- The abstract should emphasize clinical reasoning, diagnosis, management, outcome and educational value, rather than an extensive literature review.

07 BASS AWARDS

Indicate your interest in the **BaSS Awards** when submitting the abstract.
Candidates must submit the presentation as a **full-text article by 16 April 2027**.

✔ BEFORE YOU SUBMIT

- ☐ Category selected (one category only)
- ☐ Presentation format indicated: oral or poster
- ☐ Title in capital letters, bold, without hyphenation
- ☐ All authors listed, presenting author underlined, affiliations numbered
- ☐ Abstract up to 250 words, plain text, Times New Roman 12 pt, 1.0 spacing
- ☐ No figures, tables, photos or illustrations
- ☐ Keywords: max. 5, alphabetical (research) / 3–5 (case report)
- ☐ All co-authors have agreed to the submission
- ☐ BaSS Awards interest indicated (if applicable)

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