

Queen's University Health and Human Rights Conference 2018

Modern Rx: Pharmaceuticals, Recreationals, and Other Drugs

The Queen's University Health and Human Rights Conference (HHRC) is pleased to invite abstract submissions for paper and poster presentations at the 2018 HHRC, "Modern Rx: Pharmaceuticals, Recreationals, and Other Drugs," to be held from November 16th to 18th, 2018 in Kingston, Ontario.

Proposals must be submitted electronically via this form: <u>https://goo.gl/forms/n2JDsSzVYWI3WbJ42</u>. Proposals which are submitted by **July 15, 2018**, will be considered for presentation at the meeting.

Abstract Guidelines

Please read the following guidelines carefully before preparing your abstract, and ensure your contact information is accurate while completing the registration process.

Abstracts are welcomed from all disciplines and all interests in pharmaceuticals, recreational drugs, and other drugs, that pertain to a discussion on human rights. Presentations may include research, practice, policy, and related areas. Abstracts may be submitted for paper or poster presentations.

Submitted abstracts should be related to our theme, including, but not limited to, any of the following subthemes:

- Pharmaceutical costs and models of drug coverage
- Access to pharmaceuticals
- Drug policy
- Law enforcement; drug legality
- Substance addictions and care
- Overdose and management
- Public health approaches to substance use
- Harm reduction
- Cocaine and opioid crises
- Medical marijuana
- Traditional medicines and healing practices
- First Nations, Métis, and Inuit medicines and approaches to healing
- Hormone therapies
- Stigma

The deadline for all submissions is August 1, 2018. Abstracts will be reviewed on a rolling basis, and presenters will be notified of acceptance by September 2018. Upon acceptance of an abstract, all presenters and co-presenters will be required to register for the conference by the presenter registration deadline (September 2018) in order to be a confirmed presenter. Presenters are responsible for their own transportation, accommodation, and related fees. Presenters are responsible for set-up of their presentation materials during the conference.

Paper Presentations

Paper presentations will be conducted during panels with other presenters on Saturday, November 17, 2018. Both research and professional papers will be considered. Each presentation will be 10-12 min in duration, with time for a Q&A at the end of each panel.

Poster Presentations

Poster presentations will be conducted during our research poster session on Saturday November 17, 2018, during which the presenter(s) must be present. The posters will also be on display for the duration of the conference.

Please contact the conference team at <u>Queensu.HHRC@gmail.com</u> with any inquiries.