## GUIDELINES FOR ABSTRACT SUBMISSION POSTER/ ORAL/ SYMPOSIUM PRESENTATION GUIDELINES

## **General guidelines (Poster/Oral)**

- All abstracts related to **Psychosocial Oncology** are eligible for submission.
- Only registered participants can submit the abstracts.
- Only one author can do oral or poster presentation and the presenting author only will receive the certificate.
- Individuals can submit a maximum of two abstracts as the presenting author.
- There is no separate abstract submission fee.
- Mention the presenting author's full name, educational qualification, designation, institution, conference registration number and mobile number (whatsapp) in the email while submitting the abstract.
- Completed abstracts must be submitted through the mail <a href="mailto:psychooncologymcc@gmail.com">psychooncologymcc@gmail.com</a> with the subject <a href="mailto:Abstract for MINDCAN">Abstract for MINDCAN</a> 2025.
- Please submit your abstract on or before 1st October 2025 (Wednesday) 5.00pm.
- Corresponding author will be notified via email regarding the allotted presentation mode and guidelines for presentation before October 20th, 2025.

## **Abstract specific Guidelines**

- All abstracts related to Psychosocial Oncology only are eligible for submission.
- Abstract has not been presented or accepted for publication previously.
- Structured abstract must not be more than 300 words (excluding Title & author names).
- The abstract should include: Title, Author names with affiliation, Background, Material and Methods, Result and Discussion, Conclusion and Implications of the study.
- Those abstracts not in proper format and without relevant information will be returned to the concerned for modifications.
- Authors may provide their preference of presentation format: Oral/poster/no preference
- However, if many more abstracts are submitted for oral presentations than there are available slots within the programme, the Scientific Committee will decide which submissions to include as oral or poster presentations.
- The decision of the Scientific Committee will be final
- Abstract will be reviewed by the abstract review committee based on
  - 1. Scientific merit
  - 2. Topic relevance
  - 3. Methodological rigor
  - 4. Data analysis and Conclusion
  - 5. Overall quality and clarity
  - 6. Implications of the study

## **Symposium Guidelines**

- Topic must be related to **Psycho-social intervention in cancer trajectory**.
- Symposium should include three presenters and one moderator.
- The presenters' topics of presentation should be inter-related.

- The presenters' abstracts can be combined together to form a single abstract mentioning moderator's and presenters name and affiliation.
- The consolidated symposium abstract can be submitted by the moderator to <a href="mailto:psychooncologymcc@gmail.com">psychooncologymcc@gmail.com</a> with the subject <a href="mailto:Symposium Abstract for MINDCAN">Symposium Abstract for MINDCAN 2025</a>.
- Maximum 25 minutes of podium presentation will be allotted, approximately 3 min for introduction (moderator), 6 minutes for each presenter, 2 minutes conclusion (moderator) and 2 minute for discussion.