

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Some important dates

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| Abstract submission opening | 30 January 2026 |
| Abstract submission deadline | 24 March 2026 |
| Notification of abstract acceptance | 22 May 2026 |
| Early bird registration deadline | 22 June 2026 |

Please read the instructions below before submitting your abstract.

All presentations (including Posters) can only be delivered in-person.

There is no possibility for zoom / virtual presentations.

The presenting author has to register for the ESPN meeting. Authors who are unable to attend ESPN may ask a colleague to present on their behalf or withdraw their abstract. In these cases, please notify the Organizing Secretariat OIC at AbstractESPN@oic.it at the earliest.

During the submission process, you will have to select your preferred **TYPE of PRESENTATION** from the list below:

1. **Free communication (6' presentation + 2' discussion with the audience)**
2. **Focused oral presentation (3' presentation + 2' discussion with the audience)**
3. **Poster presentation**

All submitted abstracts will be evaluated through a **peer-review process** by the Scientific Committee, whose decision is final. Based on this review, **the Committee will determine the presentation type** for each abstract. Top-scoring abstracts will be invited for oral presentation during the scientific sessions, while others will be displayed as posters during the Guided Poster Viewing sessions.

ABSTRACT PREPARATION

- Abstract submission is only possible on-line. Abstracts submitted by other means or submissions that do not comply with the instructions will not be accepted.
- The abstract must be written in English.
- Structure your abstract as follows: *Aims / Purpose, Methods, Results, Conclusions*. Please download and **use the template** available on the submission page.
- Abstract length: **2500 characters** (including tables and references).
- Do not use abbreviations in the title. Minimise the use of abbreviations in the text.

- Select one **TOPIC** from the list below that is most relevant to your presentation:
 1. Urinary tract infections and dysfunction
 2. Genetic kidney diseases / CAKUT
 3. Immune-mediated kidney diseases
 4. Tubular / metabolic diseases
 5. Acute kidney injury
 6. Chronic kidney disease, CKD-MBD
 7. Hypertension and cardiovascular disease
 8. Dialysis
 9. Transplantation
 10. Other
- Your abstract will be online for review and editing until the final submission deadline.
- All selected abstracts will be published in *Pediatric Nephrology Journal* and on the ESPN website.
- To ensure full compliance with the accreditation criteria, all authors are reminded that **direct references to specific medical devices, pharmaceuticals or proprietary technologies developed, distributed or commercialised by companies are not permitted in abstracts**. However, it is permitted to describe methodologies, approaches or scientific results, provided that there are no explicit references to brand names, commercial products or identifiable technologies.
- **Encore submissions:** abstracts presenting data that have been recently presented at other congresses or published in scientific journals are eligible for submission.
- **Embargo policy:** The conference does not enforce an embargo policy on submitted abstracts.