

Sample Topics for Posters, Papers and Workshops

FOUR THEMES OF THE CONFERENCE

- 1. The unique context of safety in general practice and its interfaces: Measuring and Monitoring Safety - Which Framework for Primary Care?*
- 2. How can we make general practice a safer, healthier and more effective place to work, within a changing healthcare system?*
- 3. Facilitating Safety : Policy & Safety Culture, Education, Involving health system stakeholders in transitional care and practice interfaces*
- 4. Implementing Patient Safety using Safety Tools & Methods for General Practice, & safer communications involving Patients and the Practice Team.*

SAMPLE TOPICS FOR ABSTRACTS

Abstracts submitted may be simple small practice based audits or practice improvement projects, completed large scale complex projects, literature reviews, work in progress with interim results or project proposals for expert discussion or seeking collaboration. For example:

- Communication and correspondence for safer patient care
- Coping with adverse events at work
- Dealing with aggression and violence at work in healthcare provision
- Education for safer care
- Implementation of tools and methods to improve safety
- Multimorbidity, acute and chronic conditions, physical and mental health
- Infection control, hygiene, infections from procedures in practice
- Involving Practice Team, & allied health professionals in safer care
- GP access to diagnostic tests, & to other services in primary care and secondary care
- IT in patient safety
- Medication Safety, Polypharmacy, safer prescribing, electronic prescribing
- Out of hours care
- Safer patient care across multiple interfaces, transitional care
- Patient participation in improving safety
- Practice Safety audits and quality improvement projects
- Professional health, illness, presenteeism, professional standards and performance
- Promoting health and wellbeing at work,
- Research in patient safety and safety for all healthcare workers in primary care
- Resources required for improving safety: people time finance training administration

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- Risk management, errors, missed diagnosis, overdiagnosis
- Safety aspects of care by locums, assistants, and temporary health professionals
- Safety Culture at work
- Safety issues for rural practices, for urban practices, for areas of deprivation
- GP manpower issues
- Workplace environment, managing hazards and wellbeing at work in the practice

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