



INTERESTED IN PRESENTING AT THE 2025 ADDICTION STUDIES INSTITUTE?

The Ohio State University Addiction Studies Institute (ASI) is seeking proposals for presentations at the 2025 Addiction Studies Conference to be held June 25 – 27, 2025.

For the last 33 years, ASI has provided clinicians, substance-use disorder advocates and professionals with the most current, best practices, and insights that help attendees expand their skills, gain current knowledge to provide quality care, and learn new and developing in-the-field practices and methodologies.

By presenting at the 2025 ASI, you'll have the opportunity to build your professional network and share your experience and ideas with others. Attendees are diverse and include:

- Professionals such as counselors, social workers, nurses, prevention specialists, corrections, psychologists, students, clergy, school personnel, child welfare workers and court personnel
- Persons with a wide range of knowledge and experience with substance-use disorders
- Participants with a real desire to gain continuing education credits to remain up-to-date in their profession and knowledge.

About Your Presentation

We are looking for presentations on a broad range of addiction-related topics of interest as well as varying lengths of time.

Presentations should focus on practical information rather than a focus on or about theory. The conference is designed to provide attendees with information and resources they can use in their professional capacity.

In addition to **Ethical**, **Supervision** and **Prevention** approved sessions, below is a list of potential topics received from past attendees:

- DBT, women and the challenges they face in addiction, treatment, and recovery, and domestic violence.
- DV and addiction
- Coverage on addressing addiction the drug court
- Anti-craving medications
- SUD in the geriatric population
- Harm reduction
- Up-to-date current drugs of abuse / latest street drugs
- Addiction and the psychology of the family dynamics and the intervention process
- Use of Ketamine in treatment, as well as info about hallucinogens
- Alternative group therapy topics
- Prevention topics or DSM5 coverage
- Addiction vs mental health in the chronically homeless population
- Internet gaming
- Music therapy with substance use recovery
- Addiction and grief - families affected
- Hoarding or OCD
- The influence of media on our youth and addiction

This not a definitive list. We invite presentations on any issue that pertains to the population or the field.

Please note that while completing your request you will be required to provide information regarding the content of your presentation, as well as how it might qualify for continuing education credit. To assist in providing this information, below are links to documents with the specific qualifications and designations. It would be helpful to open these documents in a separate window so that they are available when completing the form.

- SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER (SUD) SPECIFIC EDUCATION CONTENT AREAS - https://ocdp.ohio.gov/wps/wcm/connect/gov/2279af16-6879-4c1d-9bdd-e0c802d9417d/Substance+Use+Disorder+%28SUD%29+Specific+Education+Content+Areas_.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&CONVERT_TO=url&CACHEID=ROOTWORKSPACE.Z18_K9I401S01H7F40QBNJU3SO1F56-2279af16-6879-4c1d-9bdd-e0c802d9417d-oFjNrMG
- PREVENTION SPECIFIC EDUCATION CONTENT AREAS - https://ocdp.ohio.gov/wps/wcm/connect/gov/a3143960-706b-4ee8-bc74-e9ab500ef8a5/Prev+Education+Content+Areas+and+Definitions++2.2021+.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&CONVERT_TO=url&CACHEID=ROOTWORKSPACE.Z18_M1HGGIK0N0JO00QO9DDDDM3000-a3143960-706b-4ee8-bc74-e9ab500ef8a5-oCu1DK2
- DEFINITIONS, ABBREVIATIONS, AND TITLES - <https://codes.ohio.gov/ohio-administrative-code/rule-4758-2-01>

The deadline to submit proposals is **February 5, 2025**.

ASI 2025 Submission Policies

Attendance and Conference Registration:

All presenters are required to register and attend the 2025 Conference. If selected to present, the cost associated with registration is waived (for group presentations, registration will be waived for only 2 presenters). Selected presenters are not provided with honorarium. Presenters selected to present on June 25th and 26th are required to present in-person at the Fawcett Center. Presenters selected to present on June 27th will present virtually via Zoom.

Target Audience:

Your proposal should identify the target audience you are planning to reach. Examples include, but is not limited to:

- Recovery
- Treatment
- Mental health issues and addiction
- Ethics, CBT, Techniques, ISP
- Prevention
- Special patient populations
- Trauma-informed care and addiction
- Diverse audiences (Veterans, LGBTQ+, Black, Latina, Physically challenged, Immigrant)
- Other – Please list in presentation

Publication Materials:

If your proposal is accepted, your presentation title and abstract may be edited by the 2025 ASI Planning Committee and/or staff for publication purposes. The 2025 ASI Annual Conference committee and/or staff support will provide a “use of materials” release form for selected presenters to complete in order for 2025 ASI Planning Committee and staff to use materials to support promotion of the conference

Presenter Limits:

An individual may be listed in any number of proposals; however, it is our policy that an individual, regardless of role, may present in no more than *two different conference sessions*. The number of presenters listed in a proposal should reflect the needs of the format selected. For 60+-minute session presentations, a maximum of three individuals (including the chair) are permitted. For group presentations, registration fees will be waived for only 2 presenters.

Noncommercial Policy:

ASI sessions for the 2025 conference are learning experiences and are noncommercial. Under no circumstances should a conference session be used for commercial purposes of a presenter's product, service or other self-interest. In addition, if selected as a presenter, 2025 ASI Planning Committee will provide a release form to be signed by the presenter for the use conference materials in ASI 2025 official social media and on the website for conference promotion. In addition, all presenters will be required to complete and sign a conflict-of-interest form

Commitment to Diverse Perspectives:

The 2025 ASI Planning Committee expects that session proposals demonstrate understanding of the varied conference attendee experiences, backgrounds and learning needs.

Assigning a Back-Up Presenter:

All speakers selected to present at the 2025 ASI will be encouraged to designate an individual that is willing and able to step-in, in the case of an emergency, to give their presentation.

Session Selection Rubric:

The 2025 ASI Planning Committee expects that session proposals demonstrate understanding of the varied conference attendee experiences, backgrounds and learning needs. Our committee will use the rubric below in evaluating your proposal. Therefore, be sure to complete / address each item in your proposal.

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1) How well do the title, abstract and objectives align with each other?	There is no alignment, or it is not clear.	There is an alignment, but the proposer did not successfully convey the alignment.	The alignment is clear, but the language needs refinement.	They align and the proposal uses language that effectively conveys the session content and goals.	Not only do they align but the proposal uses language that clearly and accurately conveys the complex relationships between title, abstract, and objectives
2) How likely is it that participants will be able to achieve the stated learning objectives, including audience engagement appropriate to the objectives, using a virtual platform?	They are inappropriate or not clear.	They may be appropriate, but the proposal does not effectively convey how the format and delivery method will help participants meet learning objectives.	They are appropriate and have the potential to achieve some of the objectives	They are appropriate and will achieve all the objectives	Not only are they appropriate but the format and delivery selected are uniquely suited to achieve and exceed the objectives
3) Do the presenters hold the appropriate qualifications and experience to deliver the presentation?	There is no evidence supporting the presenter(s) are knowledgeable in the topic or hold the appropriate Qualifications.	There is some indication that the presenter(s) are knowledgeable in the topic area and hold the appropriate qualifications.	The presenter(s) are sufficiently knowledgeable and hold appropriate qualifications.	The presenter(s) are very knowledgeable in the topic area and hold or exceed the qualification needed.	The presenter(s) have the ideal background and experience to present this topic and exceed the qualifications needed.
4) Which statement best describes your assessment of this presentation?	This presentation is not the right fit for our conference.	This presentation topic is interesting, but I would need additional information to determine its fit in our agenda.	This presentation topic is one that we have had before, but is always well attended.	This presentation topic is very interesting and would appeal to many attendees	This presentation topic is new and innovative and must be included in our agenda.
5) Given the limited number of slots available for sessions and the high volume of proposals received, how likely would you be to attend or recommend someone attend this session if placed on the program? (Consider full proposal)	I would not attend or recommend it.	I would not attend or recommend it.	I may attend or recommend it.	I would attend or recommend it.	I would definitely attend or recommend it.