

## **POSTER COMPETITION RUBRIC**

Qualifications: (All qualifications must be met, or poster will be disqualified from competition).	YES	NO
Poster professionally cited using AMA or APA, and does not have any signs of plagiarism		
All patient identifiers have been removed		
Minimum 4 published resources used and cited		
Author names & institution removed		

Criterion (Score 0 if the element is absent)	Below Expectations (5)	Meets Expectations (10)	Exceeds Expectations (20)	Score
Coverage of the Topic	Details on the poster relate to the topic but are too general or incomplete.	Details on the poster include important information but the audience needs more to fully understand.	Details on the poster capture the important information, and increase the audience's understanding.	
Visual Display	Visual appeal is adequate; somewhat cluttered. Content arrangement is somewhat confusing.	Overall visual appealing; not cluttered. Content is adequately arranged.	Overall visually appealing; not cluttered. Content is clearly arranged and makes the poster easy to navigate.	
Grammar/Spelling	3-5 grammatical, spelling or punctuation errors.	1-2 grammatical, spelling or punctuation errors.	No grammatical, spelling or punctuation errors.	
Organization	Information is organized, but titles and subheadings are missing.	Information is organized. Some use of titles or subheadings.	Information is very well organized. Titles and subheadings are used correctly.	
Use of Graphics and Illustrations	Graphics relate somewhat to the topic.	Graphics are related to the topics and most of them make it easier to understand.	Graphics reflect the topic of the poster. They compliment the ideas presented.	