

RCPE Aberdeen Symposium 2026 – Submission Guidance

Trainee Presentations

Abstracts are invited from trainees in the North of Scotland (from FY up to registrars), for the Trainees Presentation session at our symposium planned for 24 March 2026. This will be an in person event held at the Suttie Centre, Aberdeen with up to 6 positions available.

Please submit an abstract of no more than 250 words. Interesting case presentations and quality improvement projects are both welcome. The lecturer, selected by the Organising Committee, will receive an honorarium award.

The format is strictly 10 minutes for presentation and 3 minutes for questions. Presentations should be in MS PowerPoint format, and should not contain too many slides for the allotted time (we would suggest a maximum of 10 slides).

Those who are successful will be invited to present their case study at the conference taking place at the Suttie Centre, Aberdeen and will be notified in January 2026.

Poster PDF

If your abstract is not accepted as an oral presentation then you may be invited to present your abstract as a poster. This poster will be displayed at the venue on the day of the event. Further information regarding poster size and layout will be sent to those who are successful. Poster prizes will be awarded on the day but they must be presented in person in order to be eligible.

Consent

Consent (ideally written) from the patient or the patient's family must be obtained before submission. Abstracts will not be considered for the event where consent has not been received.

Deadline & Format

Abstracts should be submitted to **Dr Rachel Smith** rachel.smith4@nhs.scot The deadline for submissions is **9AM GMT, Monday 15th December 2025**.