



CAOM POSTER JUDGING CRITERIA

PLEASE IDENTIFY THE APPROPRIATE RESPONSE FOR EACH CATEGORY

TITLE: _____

POSTER LEAD AUTHOR: _____

Directions: Make sure title is appropriate (scientific and significance); Affiliations are listed (acknowledgement); All authors must be listed with submission.

PRESENTATION TOTAL (COLUMN 1 + COLUMN 2 + COLUMN 3) =

	EXCELLENT	ADEQUATE	POOR	N/A*
APPEARANCE	Clear, well-organized poster. High degree of visual interest. No grammatical mistakes. Good flow, easy to follow.	Satisfactory visual interest and organization. Minor grammatical errors.	Crowded, poorly organized, inadequate information, no visual interest. Many grammatical errors.	
INTRODUCTION	Research problem clearly defined.	Research problem adequately defined.	Unclear. Objectives vague or unidentifiable.	
CHALLENGE ADDRESSED	Challenge or issue addressed is pertinent to the scientific community.	Challenge or issue addressed has some pertinence to the scientific community.	Challenge or issue addressed is not pertinent to the scientific community.	
METHODS: STUDY DESIGN	Flawless study design to meet objectives.	Study design is fair with some limitations noted.	Study design is faulty and does not permit adequate conclusions.	
CASE (Case Report)	Case report clearly presented in a logical and well-developed manner.	Case report adequately presented in a logical and well-developed manner.	Case report not clearly presented in a logical and well-developed manner.	
TABLES AND FIGURES	Clearly and concisely convey information.	Organized, of moderate value to reader.	Unorganized. Conflicting information.	
STATISTICS	Study utilizes appropriate statistical tests to address research question.	Study utilizes statistical tests to address research question.	Study does not include statistical analysis of data.	
DISCUSSION	Good use of literature and current data to explain significance of the results. Describes applications and limitations.	Adequate literature review. Significance of some results is unclear.	Vague interpretation of results.	
CONCLUSION	All conclusions appropriate and supported.	Most conclusions are supported.	Conclusions are not supported by results.	
OSTEOPATHIC SIGNIFICANCE	Topic and poster have high impact integrating the osteopathic concept and/or impacting the osteopathic profession.	Topic and poster integrate the osteopathic concept and/or impacting the osteopathic profession	Topic and poster do not integrate the osteopathic concept and/or offer any impact to the osteopathic profession.	
TOTAL	# _____ x 2 =	# _____ x 1 =	# _____ x 0 =	

Poster rubric grading: Based on percent (%) of total potential points based on type of poster format (see below) of the 10 items evaluated

*Several items may not be applicable (N/A) to poster grading based on type of poster format

Poster Format Single-Case Study:

Abstract [General appearance]; Introduction; Case; Results; Discussion

Poster Format Original Outcome Research/Literature Review/ Educational Intervention Study/Osteopathic Focused Scholarly Activity:

Abstract [General appearance]; Introduction; Methods; Results; Discussion