



## Abstract Submission

### Guidelines

The abstract submission and the registration to attend the **26<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of SPGH** are independent actions. You can submit your abstract before your registration to attend the **26<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of SPGH**.

**Abstracts submission:** 20<sup>th</sup> September 2022

**Abstract Acceptance Notification:** 20<sup>th</sup> October 2022

**NOTE:** To participate and present your work you must REGISTER in the **26<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting of SPGH**.

All abstracts for the **26<sup>th</sup> Annual SPGH Meeting** must be submitted electronically through the electronic abstract submission system.

The abstracts must be written in English, and should include the following sections: title, author list (e.g., Manuel B. Romeu, Maria C. Duarte), affiliations, abstract text (should be organized into Introduction, Methodology, Results, and Discussion), and if appropriate – References, Acknowledgments, and Declaration of Interests.

Abstract Author's should ensure that proper grammar and spelling is used as well as that abstracts are well-written, – organized, clear, and understandable.

The abstract title must be in Title Case, font size 14 in Arial style and limited to 400 characters.

The remaining abstract sections should be in Arial style with font size 11.

The abstract text submission length is 2200 characters, this includes the Abstract text, References, Acknowledgments, and Declaration of interests.

Each author may be co-author of several abstracts but the presenter of only one work (oral communication or Poster) in the **26<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of SPGH**.

The name of the presenting author as well the name of other co-authors included on different abstracts must be written identically in each abstract.

All abstracts will be evaluated through blind peer review by the SPGH scientific committee. Evaluation of abstracts will be based on the following considerations: Originality, Appropriate Methodology used, Quality of scientific results, and relevance of Conclusions.

Please indicate if you are applying to SPGH awards (additional information on <http://spgh.net/regulamento-dos-premios/>)

Young Researcher – ESHG National Fellowship award	Young Researcher – Prof. Amândio Tavares	Best Basic Research	Best Clinical Research
Includes ESHG registration, travel grant and hotel accommodation	Includes ESHG registration, travel grant and hotel accommodation	500.00€	500.00€

Selected abstracts will be published in the Abstract Book of the **26<sup>th</sup> Annual SPGH Meeting** and in the scientific journal "Medicine®".

The presenting author is responsible for notifying all co-authors regarding abstract acceptance or its rejection.

Specific Guidelines to prepare Oral presentations and Posters will be sent to First/Presenting Authors after acceptance.

### Abstract Category

#### Basic Research

Abstracts submitted in the category "Basic research" are generically those describing research that seeks answers to fundamental questions and mechanisms and provides broad insights to many different scientific fields related or not to disease, but mainly unrelated with patient's clinical data analysis. These include studies performed using cell lines, in vitro models, in silico models, in vivo models, pure bioinformatics approaches, theoretical or in silico modeling, population genetics in non-diseased cohorts, forensics, etc.

#### Clinical Research

Abstracts submitted in the category "Clinical research" are generically those describing medical and health research intended to produce knowledge valuable for understanding human disease, preventing and treating illness, and promoting health. "Clinical Research" embraces a continuum of studies involving interactions with patients or results obtained from clinical data, namely diagnostic clinical materials, clinical-trials, case-control studies or other sorts of patients-related data analysis.

#### Clinical Case Reports

Abstracts submitted in the category "Clinical case reports" are generically those describing and analysing the diagnosis and/or the management of one or two patients/families. It is the first line of evidence in health care and forms the base of the evidence-based pyramid. Some case reports may also contain a literature review of previously reported cases.

**Type of presentation** abstract submitted as

- Poster
- Oral communication

The Scientific commission of SPGH has the final decision about the type of presentation (poster or Oral communication).