

# ANNUAL **ASSEMBLY**

HOSPICE & PALLIATIVE CARE

San Diego, CA • March 4-7, 2026

## Quick Tips: Submit with Confidence Composing an Abstract for Subsequent Call for Abstracts

### Highlight What's Innovative, Evidence-Informed, and Impactful

- Submissions should:
  - Address **practice gaps** in hospice and palliative care.
  - Support **interdisciplinary and inclusive approaches**.
  - Demonstrate **evidence-informed strategies** that enhance the competence, skills and performance of hospice and palliative care providers.

Follow the recommended format for your specific abstract submission type (see available resources located on website <https://aahpm.org/education-events/annual-assembly/>)

- Scientific Research Submission Guidelines
- Early Career Professionals in Training Submission Guidelines

### Tailor Your Abstract for the Review Criteria

- Respond to required elements: Review the Subsequent Call Reviewer Guidelines and Rubric located in the Subsequent Call Resource Library (Early Career Rubric and Scientific Research Rubric <https://aahpm.org/education-events/annual-assembly/>)
- Use **clear, jargon-free language**.
- Ensure your abstract demonstrates **relevance, rigor, originality, and applicability**.

### Amplify Interdisciplinary Voices

- Submissions from **all disciplines** are encouraged.
- Co-presenters from **different roles or professions** can strengthen the interdisciplinary value.

### Know Your Audience

- Think about who will attend your session and how your content will help them.
- Aim to provide practical takeaways and insights for learners at all career stages.

**Plan Your Time – late abstracts will not be accepted.** Submit your completed abstract by **Monday, October 13, 2025 at 11:59PM PT**