



AIRA 2020

NATIONAL MEETING

AUG. 11-13, 2020 | PORTLAND, OREGON

2020 CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Join us at the AIRA 2020 National Meeting August 11–13 in Portland, Oregon, where members of the IIS community will convene to advance IIS together. Through both formal presentations and informal discussions, attendees will have an opportunity to strengthen long-term partnerships, develop new relationships, gain professional education and training, and learn from one another. AIRA invites you to submit abstracts for consideration. During the abstract submission process, you will be given the opportunity to select your preferred presentation format.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- The deadline for submission is **Sunday, March 1st by 11:59 pm ET.**
- Abstracts must be submitted online.
- All authors and presenters are required to complete a conflict of interest disclosure.
- All presenters are required to register to attend the AIRA 2020 National Meeting and to pay the applicable registration fee.
- Abstracts should clearly and concisely describe the material to be presented or covered.
- Please note that AIRA will have final content approval rights.

KEY DATES

Meeting Registration Opens

Wednesday, January 8th

Call for Abstracts Opens

Wednesday, January 8th

Call for Abstracts Closes

Sunday, March 1st,
11:59 pm ET

Abstract Review Period

Monday, March 2nd –
Tuesday, March 31st

Speaker Acceptance Notifications

Wednesday, April 1st

QUESTIONS?

Contact **Carmela Gupta**
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to submit your abstract for the
AIRA 2020 National Meeting



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AIRA invites abstract submissions for the following presentation types:

	Presentation Length	Quick Definition
1 Breakout Session Presentation	20 minutes	Presentations for accepted abstracts will be grouped into breakout sessions by meeting organizers. Presenters will each have 20 minutes for their presentation with additional time for Q&A incorporated into each session. Presentations will take place in a room with a seated audience, in a lecture-style format.
2 Presenter-Developed Interactive Workshop	30, 60 or 75 minutes	Presenter-Developed Interactive Workshops give submitters the opportunity and responsibility to organize all content and structure for their sessions. The sky is the limit regarding session format, but it must encourage interaction among participants. Examples include panel discussion with audience participation, roundtable, gameshow, role playing, debate, etc.

1 BREAKOUT SESSION PRESENTATION

ABSTRACT TITLE

Be as brief and explicit as possible. Do not use abbreviations or acronyms in the title (*exception: you may use the acronym IIS and state name abbreviations*).

(75-character limit, including spaces)

NAME OF PRESENTER/AUTHOR(S)

- Presenter/Primary Contact
- Additional authors (*a maximum of seven additional authors is allowed*)
- Email address and affiliation(s) of the author(s) (*organization, city, state/province, country*)
- Disclosure of conflict(s) of interest by all authors

QUICK SUMMARY

Provide a brief summary of your abstract. The quick summary is what will be included in the meeting program if your abstract is selected. Please make sure this summary effectively describes the main goal of your presentation. **(50-word maximum)**

ABSTRACT INSTRUCTIONS

Sell your abstract to reviewers. Please make sure to thoroughly describe the information that you plan to present if your abstract is selected for the meeting. Consider including sections that define the background, methods, implementation, results, and conclusions of your project or study, as applicable. Abstracts must include all information necessary for their comprehension and not refer to another text. Always define abbreviations and acronyms. Be as specific as possible. **(400-word maximum)**

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BREAKOUT SESSION PRESENTATION

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BREAKOUT SESSION PRESENTATION TOPICS FOR SUBMISSION

Collaborations

Select this topic to share and collaborate in person on subjects including joint planning, development, and implementation; collaboration among public health programs (immunization and lead, Medicaid, WIC, etc.); consortia benefits/achievements; etc.

Data Quality

Share your expertise on topics such as patient and vaccine deduplication; patient status; data accuracy, completeness, and timeliness; data validation for the IIS onboarding process; assessment of incoming data and data at rest; implementation of the Message Quality Evaluation (MQE) tool; implementation of SmartyStreets; etc.

Data Sharing

Pick this topic to share about sharing! Cross-jurisdictional data sharing; consumer access to IIS; data visualization; data sharing with non-traditional partners; etc.

Data Use

Share your data use success stories! How do you show the world the value of the data in your IIS? Do you use it for coverage assessment; identifying pockets of need; outbreak response; access to and use of IIS data for research/partner purposes; IIS and immunization program integration (AFIX/IQIP-IIS, inventory management, vaccine accountability, etc.); adult immunization; school/childcare; or something else entirely?

Global Perspective

Tell AIRA attendees what's happening outside the U.S.: collaboration among global IIS; managing refugee and special population records; forecasting non-U.S. available vaccines; travel vaccines; etc. AIRA attendees are very interested in the global perspective.

IIS Management, Cost & Sustainability

Share your expertise and experiences related to IIS cost and sustainable, diversified funding strategies; governance models; management/staffing models; IT services structures; etc.

Innovation

noun, in·no·va·tion—the introduction of something new; a new idea, method, or device. Share your innovations! Be inspired to innovate! Tell us how your IIS is leveraging innovative technology, strategies, or something else we haven't even thought of. The sky's the limit!

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BREAKOUT SESSION PRESENTATION

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BREAKOUT SESSION PRESENTATION TOPICS FOR SUBMISSION *continued*

Interoperability

Share your interoperability successes: road maps from engagement to interoperability; bidirectional data exchange between IIS, EHRs, or other partners; assessment and alignment with standards; EHR query/response best practices; HL7 messaging, formatting, and transport; CMS incentive programs/promoting interoperability; working with HIEs; provider management; etc.

Policy

Are you overcoming policy obstacles at federal, state, and local levels; privacy and confidentiality; navigating the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA); etc.? Pick this topic to share your strategies for success!

Technical Capacity

This is the topic to pick for everything technical: technical considerations throughout the lifecycle; use of IIS Assessment/Aggregate Analysis Reporting Tool (AART); IT best practices (governance, service-level agreements, documentation); open source and public domain models; supporting forecasting/clinical decision support; etc.

Training & Education

Share your provider education strategies and success stories; leadership development; training and managing end users; strategies for integrating new staff within your IIS; training current staff on enhancements and updates; educating stakeholders within or outside of your organization; etc.

Other Topics

If your abstract doesn't fit any of the topics, this category is for you.

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PRESENTER-DEVELOPED INTERACTIVE WORKSHOP

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QUICK SUMMARY

Provide a brief summary of your workshop. The quick summary is what will be included in the meeting program if your workshop is selected. Please make sure this summary effectively describes the main goal of your proposal. **(50-word maximum)**

ABSTRACT INSTRUCTIONS

Sell your workshop to reviewers. Please make sure the abstract effectively describes the main goal of your proposed workshop. Describe in detail the topic area, why it is important, the objective of the session, and the structure of the session, including how it will be interactive for participants. Abstracts must include all information necessary for their comprehension and not refer to another text. Always define abbreviations and acronyms. Be as specific as possible.

(400-word maximum)

PROPOSED WORKSHOP LENGTH

Submitters have the option of proposing 30, 60 or 75 minute workshops. Please note, AIRA will try to accommodate your request; however, due to limited room on the agenda, preferred workshop length is not guaranteed.

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