

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

American College of Allergists

Deadline: December 21, 1984

The 41st Annual Congress of the American College of Allergists has taken a major departure in its format to better serve the needs of practicing allergists and fellows-in-training.

In addition to a superb program of state-of-the-art presentations by an outstanding faculty of authorities in allergy and immunology, the program has been structured to include a set of presentations of original observations by practicing allergists and fellows-in-training at the plenary session.

This will afford an opportunity for meaningful discussion and constructive critique of recent research findings made at the bedside, the clinic and in the laboratory. Formal papers will be 10 minutes in length with a five-minute discussion following.

We urge you to participate by submitting your clinical and research findings for consideration by our Program Committee. Abstracts accepted will be published in the **Annals of Allergy** (circ. 5,500).

In preparing your abstract, organize it into: a statement of purpose; statement of methods; and summary of results in sufficient detail to support the conclusion reached. Avoid promise of additional data.

A letter of transmittal stating name and address of each author, name of author who will present the paper and name of author who is to receive correspondence must accompany each abstract. **Please note:** Papers which will have been published prior to the meeting date — or which have been presented at national meetings of other organizations — should not be submitted.

See reverse side for rules governing preparation of abstracts. An original and six copies (photocopies or equivalent) should be submitted by Dec. 21, 1984, to:

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American College of Allergists
800 E. Northwest Highway, Suite 101
Mount Prospect, IL 60056

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PREPARATION OF ABSTRACTS

Deadline: Dec. 21, 1984. Abstracts accepted for presentation will be published in the **Annals of Allergy** exactly as submitted. To ensure uniformity and assist the Program Committee, please conform to the following requirements in preparing your abstract:

Requirements

- Capitalize complete title, but do **not** underline.
- Include authors' names only on **original** abstract. The names — first and middle initials followed by last name, city and state — should be continuous with the title and **underlined**. All names should be **excluded** from the six copies so they may be considered without knowledge of authorship.
- Begin body of abstract on a new line and indent three spaces.
- Simple tables and graphs in black ink and neatly done may be included if they fit within borders.
- Type entire abstract within lines provided.
- Left-hand border should be straight.
- Avoid erasures and type with good black ribbon and new carbon paper.
- Underlining or capitalizing for emphasis within the text is not acceptable.
- Use only familiar abbreviations (RBC, mg, etc.). An unusual abbreviation should be placed in parenthesis after the first appearance of the full word. Numerals rather than words should be used to indicate numbers except to begin sentences.
- Use standard Pica type.
- Offer conclusions, but avoid promise of additional data or future publications.
- The first author should sign where indicated below.
- Please check the topic classification into which your abstract falls:

_____ AIDS	_____ Pediatrics & Self Mgmt.
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_____ Clinical Asthma	_____ Sympathomimetics
_____ Cromolyn	_____ Theophylline
_____ Food Allergy	_____ Urticaria Angioedema
_____ Immunotherapy	_____ Other (Specify)
_____ In Vitro Studies	

Sample Abstract

EXACT TITLE OF YOUR PAPER. **M. M. Doe, MD; S. A. Smith, MD; and J. Jones, Ph.D.**, Your Town, Your State

For the physician treating the allergy patient . . .

Please Type Abstract Within Borders

I certify that if this abstract reports experiments on humans, an informed consent was obtained from the patient or, if a minor, from his parents. I further certify that, if conducted in an institution, written authorization was received from the Human Experimentation Committee.

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