

Presentation Guidelines:

The 2021 Medical Student Research Day (MSRD) will occur in person. Oral presentations will occur sequentially through the day's events in two concurrent sessions within years 1 (room 160) and 2 (room 158) lecture halls. Once the abstract deadline has passed, a final program schedule will be made available. You will be provided with an abstract and session number and a designated time for when your presentation will occur.

While preparing for your presentation, please consider limiting any technical jargon as your presentation will be viewed by a general audience who may not be familiar with the subject matter of your research. Students will present their work at the designated time and session, and must be available for a question and answer session immediately following their presentation. Several faculty judges will be present to judge the presentations and the question and answer sessions.

Guidelines:

- Presentations must be provided using PowerPoint.
- Consider limiting your presentation to no more than 8-10 slides.
- The goal of your talk is to discuss the main points of your project and limit extraneous information.
- Practice your presentation in advance before MSRD. Scripting your presentation is an excellent way to ensure that all of your key points are covered.
- You are required to be present at your designated time.

Presentations should provide the following:

- Summarize your research succinctly by stating your hypothesis, background and purpose, and research methods.
- Present the results that support your hypothesis or project-specific aims.
- Summarize the conclusions that you have reached.
- End the presentation by explaining the significance of your research.

Judging:

Presentations will be judged according to the criteria listed below. The judging rubric is available on the MSRD web page.

Judging criteria:

- Quality of the abstract (abstracts must be written by students)
- Content of presentation
- Organization of content
- Delivery and clarity of presentation
- Depth of knowledge of student presenters
- Ability to respond to questions

Submitting your PowerPoint Presentation:

Please submit your PowerPoint Presentation to Dr. Ontiveros at sjontiveros@burrell.edu by **July 14th, 2021, at 11:59 PM**. If your presentation file is too large to attach to an email, please share a link to the file from a file hosting service such as Dropbox, Google Drive, or One Drive, and name

the file using the following configuration: ABSTRACT NUMBER.SESSION NUMBER.PI LAST NAME.