

TAKING ACTION TOGETHER

A COMMUNITY CONVERSATION ON OPIOIDS

Call for Community-Friendly Research Posters and Information Tables

We invite you to submit proposals for community friendly research posters or information tables at *Taking Action Together: A Community Conversation around Opioids* on Thursday, February 28th from 1:00-4:00pm at the Jacobs School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences.

The goal of this poster and tabling session is to present the range of efforts underway to address the opioid epidemic, from research to community services. This session is meant to showcase how research informs policy, advocacy and change, as well as how the community voice can inform and guide opioid research.

GUIDELINES FOR COMMUNITY FRIENDLY RESEARCH POSTERS

All posters should present:

- Past or present opioid related research studies offered in a format that will be valuable and meaningful to the community.
- Current programs offered to the community i.e. treatments, support services, etc.

Key components of research posters include:

- Purpose/Topic Area
- Background and/or Problem Statement
- Setting & Participants
- Methods (if applicable)
- Results
- Conclusion
- Community Relevance Statement
 - How did this impact delivery of care? Policy? Treatment? Etc.

Things to keep in mind!

- Please use lay language—try to avoid acronyms unless they're widely recognized.
- Present concise information—try using short lists or bulleted points when possible.
- Use graphics to increase audience interest.
- Each presenter will be given an easel and 36" x 36" foam core board to support their poster
- All posters will be reviewed by university and community partners to ensure that they are community friendly.
- The CTSI Community Engagement Team is willing to work with any researchers who need help translating their work into community friendly presentation.



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GUIDELINES FOR INFORMATIONAL TABLES

For groups that do not wish to submit a poster, but would like to participate in the event, you may apply to host an information table. Simply let us know the name of your organization, the staff who will be hosting the table at the event and what services and/or programs you will be promoting.

All tables should present:

- Current programs offered to the community i.e. treatments, support services, etc.

Key components of information tables include:

- Takeaway materials.
- Displays that educate the audience on the services provided.

Submission

All submissions must be e-mailed to drabramo@buffalo.edu. For any questions, please feel free to call 716-816-7298.

Important Dates

Submission Deadline: **Monday, February 11, 2019**

Acceptance Notification Date: **Friday, February 15, 2019**



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SUBMISSION FORM

Authors: _____

Presenters (if different from Authors): _____

Title: _____

Organization/Affiliation: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone Number: _____

Presentation Choice (please check box below):

Poster Abstract

Attach a word document with an abstract, limited to a maximum of 500 words using the following format:

- Purpose/Topic Area
- Background and/or Problem Statement
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Information Table

Services and/or programs you will be promoting: _____

*For questions, please contact Danielle Balling by e-mail at drabramo@buffalo.edu
or by phone at 716-816-7298.*

