Instructions for abstract submission:

**General**

- Your abstract should contain no more than 300 words.
- Choose which category of submission your abstract best fits:
  - **Research (original research or secondary literature):** includes meta-analyses, systematic reviews, randomised controlled trials, cohort or case:control studies, in vitro or animal research, observational research
  - **Quality Improvement:** includes QI initiatives, service developments, QI literature synthesis and meta-analysis, innovation in healthcare, comparative effectiveness research. A stand-alone audit is considered to be of low significance unless it has generated change which on re-audit can be shown to have shown sustained improvement in care and which might be applicable to other facilities.
  - **Case studies (series or report):** these describe instances of interesting phenomena. The goal is to make people aware of the possibility that this phenomenon might occur, and may include previously unknown or emerging pathologies, or complication of a therapy/intervention
- The deadline for submission is 18 July 2021.
- Submitted abstracts should contain data that has not been formally accepted for publication elsewhere at the point of submission.
- Abstracts should not have been presented at another national meeting.
- Abstracts will be anonymised before scoring.
- You will be notified by the first week of August if your abstract has been selected for oral presentation or poster display.
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