

Call for "Best Practices" Instructions

Eligibility to Submit a Proposal

The opportunity to submit a proposal is limited to AAHFN members in good standing. Member number required at submission.

Best Practice Models at Your Center or in Your Practice

AAHFN Members interested in sharing best practices from their organization or practice should submit a one-page outline summarizing the clinical setting, patient populations, background, and interventions aimed at "best practices" in heart failure care. Each presenter will have 15 minutes of presentation time. The outline should list the key elements and content that will be discussed during a 10-minute podium presentation.

There will be 5 minutes following the presentation for question and answer from the audience. Topics will vary in focus depending on the issue being addressed. The topics are not limited to what is listed below.

Best Practices may also be selected for poster presentations.

Selection Process

The AAHFN Annual Meeting Committee will review all proposals, blinded to the member identity, and will consider the merits of the proposal as well as the balance of topics needed within the meeting program when making decisions to accept or reject a proposal. Notification dates will be listed on the main submission website.

Presentation Length

Best Practice proposals should be designed for (10) minutes of presentation and (5) minutes for questions.

Presenters

The maximum number of presenters per proposal is one

Topics of Interest:

- GDMT clinics
- Remote monitoring management and workflows
- Interdisciplinary care clinic models
- Nurse-driven care models
- Screening or Addressing Social Determinants of Health/Health-related social needs
- Addressing at-risk and medically complex patients
- Innovative practice models at your center
- New care delivery models
- Innovations in patient education
- Patient management strategies
- Post-hospital discharge and follow-up

- Reducing hospital readmissions
- Transitions in care
- Quality improvement
- Workforce development

The topics are not limited to what is listed above. Suggested topics welcome.

Outline

Proposals must include a one-page outline summarizing the Best Practices and content that will be presented. Submission will include:

- **Title**
- **Background:** Describe the problem you addressed and your practice setting.
- **Intervention/implementation:** Describe the Best Practice that was implemented. Visuals or workflows can be included.
- **Evaluation:** In what ways did you evaluate this Best Practice/the effectiveness of the Best Practice. Figures or charts can be included.
- **Summary:** Describe the impact of the Best Practice and provide suggestions for others to adopt at their setting.

There will be an option to upload charts or figures (not mandatory).

Questions

For questions and additional information, please contact the AAHFN toll free at 888.452.2436 or information@aaahfn.org.