



## Call for Student Abstracts

The Public Health Combined Conference

### Celebrating Public Health: People and Purpose

Nationwide Hotel and Conference Center, Lewis Center, Ohio

April 24-26, 2023

The Ohio Department of Health, in partnership with the Association of Ohio Health Commissioners, Ohio Association of Boards of Health, Ohio Environmental Health Association, Ohio Public Health Association, and the Ohio Society for Public Health Education, is seeking student abstracts for the 2023 Ohio Public Health Combined Conference. The event will be held **April 24-26, 2023**, at the Nationwide Hotel and Conference Center, Lewis Center, Ohio. This is an opportunity for students to showcase their research and/or projects (for example, program development/evaluation, primary and secondary assessments, exploration of health equity) related to the practice of public health in Ohio through a poster and/or a 10-minute oral presentation. The submitter must be a current student at, or a recent (no earlier than May 2022) graduate of, an Ohio college or university to participate. This opportunity is open to students in all majors and professional schools who can connect their work to the practice of public health in Ohio.

Graduate and undergraduate students interested in showcasing their work must submit an abstract, single spaced, of no more than 500 words. **The abstract and supporting information listed below must be sent electronically by 11:59 p.m. February 15, 2023, in the noted format.** Late abstracts will not be accepted.

First, second, and third place will be awarded in both categories (posters and oral presentations). In addition, selected oral presentations may have an opportunity to be featured in the Ohio Journal of Public Health. There will be an opportunity for students to apply for partial or full reimbursement of their travel and lodging expenses associated with conference attendance.

All submissions must include the following:

- Project title.
- Poster, oral, or both (indicate).
- Student presenter(s) name.
- University affiliation and department.
- Graduation date (projected or actual date).
- Phone and e-mail address.
- Abstract, including relevance to Ohio public health practice (typed, single-spaced, no more than 500 words). Typed name, signature, and email of faculty or preceptor must be included.
- Brief biographic sketch of presenter(s) e.g., no more than a paragraph.

Submit no later than 11:59 pm February 15, 2023, to [student1@ohioph.org](mailto:student1@ohioph.org). Mark the subject line as follows: LastName.FirstInitial.PHCC.Abstract. Please direct all questions to [student1@ohioph.org](mailto:student1@ohioph.org). Additional information and details to follow.