



Research Poster Competition 2021

for outstanding contributions to applied health and social care research during 2020/2021

About the Competition

ARC KSS would like to recognise and celebrate the contributions made by applied health and social care researchers that has contributed to the benefit of services or populations during the last 12-18 months.

Researchers are invited to submit a poster with aims, objectives, what they've achieved so far, what they've learnt and what's excited them.

The competition will be judged by a panel drawn from the Organisation and Research Capacity Group (ORCA), Early Career Researcher Consultation Group (ECR Group) and Public Advisors. The winner and second prize winner will be invited to present their poster at the final day of the ARC KSS Research Week taking place 12-16th July 2021. All other poster entries will be available to view on the [ARC KSS website](#) throughout ARC KSS Research Week.

The winner will receive a £150 training bursary and second prize winner a £100 training bursary.

Eligibility

Applied Health and Social Care Researchers working in Kent, Surrey and Sussex including any academics, health care professionals, social care professionals or anyone who works to support health and social care in our region who have made a contribution through research.

Competition guidelines

- Each entrant should submit a one page poster in a Powerpoint or PDF format to ARCKSSAcademy@kent.ac.uk by 5pm on Friday 18th June 2021.
- Only one poster allowed per entrant.
- Entries will be shortlisted by a panel drawn from ORCA, ECR Group and Public Advisors
- Posters can be landscape or portrait orientation.

Judging criteria

Posters will be assessed according to the following criteria:

Content

- Introduction; Study Aims; Study Design; Results/Findings; Conclusions; Overall contribution to knowledge

Presentation

- Overall presentation; Organisation and Clarity; Impact; Informativeness

Note for applicants

If your poster is selected then you should be able to attend the virtual event on Friday 16th July 2021, 11.15am-12.00noon to provide a 10 minute presentation on your poster. Entrants will be informed if their poster has been selected on Tuesday 6th July 2021.

Deadline for competition entry

5pm, Friday 18th June 2021.