

## **CALL FOR ABSTRACTS**

The Office of Community Engaged Research and Practice in the College of Public Health invites faculty and students (with faculty mentors) from across the university to submit an abstract for presentation at the inaugural Symposium on Community Engaged Research and Practice. The symposium will be held on **Thursday, March 16, 2023**, on Temple University's main campus.

Abstracts proposing poster or oral presentations of original community engaged research as well as community engaged practice or policy development, implementation or evaluation are welcomed. Community engaged research is a collaborative process between academic and community partners that recognizes and incorporates the assets and strengths of all stakeholders throughout the research process. Similarly, community engaged practice and policy involves a community-academic partnership that results in the co-creation of a new or innovative practice or policy, and its implementation or evaluation.

### **Submission Guidelines**

All abstracts must clearly state how the research, practice, or policy is relevant to the field of community engagement. Additionally, to be reviewed, abstracts must use a structured format with the following headings and meet these requirements:

- Written in English
- Use of the following headings:
  - Background/Rationale
  - Objective
  - Methods/Approach
  - Results
  - Conclusions/Implications
- Not to exceed the 300-word limit

Abstracts must be uploaded to the [online submission system](#), where you will be asked to provide details about the partnering community or faith-, health-, or community-based organization and to indicate your preference for poster or oral presentation. Final presentation format will be determined by the review committee. Submissions are due by **Friday December 16, 2022, at 5pm**.

### **Abstract Review and Acceptance Notification**

All abstracts will be reviewed by the planning committee using a blind, peer-review process. Abstract acceptance will be based on quality and content of the submission, adherence to submission guidelines, and relevance to community engaged research and practice. Notification of acceptance will be sent no later than January 31, 2023.

### **Questions**

We're here to help! For questions or additional information about the symposium or abstract submission, please contact Heather Gardiner ([heather.gardiner@temple.edu](mailto:heather.gardiner@temple.edu)) or Amy Confair ([amy.confair@temple.edu](mailto:amy.confair@temple.edu)).

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