The NYSATA Conference Committee is assembling the programming for the **2023 NYSATA Annual Meeting and Clinical Symposia**, to be held Friday July 21 through Saturday July 22, at the Sonesta White Plains in White Plains, NY.

Proposals for consideration are accepted via email.

The NYSATA Conference Committee is dedicated to the development of an education program designed to serve and advance the needs of our membership. We are committed to providing educational and professional experiences that expand the diverse skill and knowledge sets utilized daily by athletic trainers.

We welcome proposal submissions from NYSATA members and non-members for the following program formats:

**General Lecture:** 10, 15, 20 minute presentations (on original research, case study, clinical practice update, or critically appraised topic).

**Panel Discussions/Round Table:** 30-60 minutes

**Workshops** (1 or 2 hours) interactive format with half lecture, half lab.
Proposal submission Process: Proposed topics and format requests must fall within one of the five (5) domains of practice for athletic training and must contain advanced professional content considered beyond entry-level to be considered.

**Requested Proposal Information**

**Title of Proposed Presentation**

**Proposal’s Applicable Domain(s)**
- Injury and Illness Prevention and Wellness Protection
- Examination, Assessment and Diagnosis
- Immediate and Emergency Care
- Therapeutic Intervention
- Healthcare Administration and Professional Responsibility

**Three (3) Keywords**
- Describing presentation proposal

**Proposal’s Level of Difficulty**
- **Essential** – includes theory, concepts and applications
- **Advanced** – includes in-depth theory, concepts and applications of information that are presented beyond Essential Level
- **Mastery** – includes the highest level of theory, concepts and applications of knowledge of technique within a specific area

**Proposal Abstract**
- ≤350 words

**Specific Learning Objectives**
At the conclusion of this presentation, attendees will… (must use Bloom’s Taxonomy when writing objectives) (minimum of 3 objectives)

**Proposal’s Professional Practice Gap/Educational Need**
Provide the educational need an/or practice gap for this program. Explain the overall educational need for this program and identify one specific practice gap. What is the gap between available evidence and current clinical practice? There may be gaps in knowledge, competency, and/or performance. Why is it important to close this gap? Use citations where appropriate to support your position. Specific gaps are not needed for each topic Hint: Education needs are realized when a new strategy is developed for a new standard of practice or new guideline is published. The practice gap should describe what the current practice/problem is and what the future tool/goal is that you need to use to achieve your desired patient outcomes

**Professional or Clinical Question**
Provide the professional or clinical question(s) this proposal is intended to answer
Clinical Bottom Line
With the understanding that this program is still in development, it is anticipated that the author is well versed on this topic. Please provide a clinical bottom line that succinctly answers the professional/clinical question. This likely includes recommendation(s) for clinical practice. The focus should be on improving patient outcomes or decreasing patient burden. **Hint:** This is not a summary of the program, but rather a summary of the evidence or the final take-away. It should provide a recommendation as to what ATs could be doing to improve patient outcomes. This could include potential barriers to implementing the clinical recommendation. Please refer to [http://www.bocatc.org/approved-providers#active-providers](http://www.bocatc.org/approved-providers#active-providers) for assistance.

Peer Reviewed References
List a minimum of three (3) peer reviewed references with current evidence addressing your primary question(s). Please use AMA format.

Desired Presentation Format
General Lecture
Workshop

Proposal Deadline
*All proposals are due for committee review by January 11, 2023. Final decisions will be determined and communicated to primary authors shortly thereafter.*

*All presentations must avoid any affiliation with commercial products or services.* Proposal selection is contingent upon approval by the Conference Program Committee. Incomplete (missing materials) or late applications will not be accepted.

Due to programming time constraints and the size of the conference facilities, not all proposals may be accepted. In this instance, proposals will be reviewed and selected by a proposal screening committee based on current year’s pre-approved programming, the quality of the content, organization of the meeting, equipment needs (when applicable), significance of the material to the NYSATA membership, and NYSATA/NATA membership status.

Please direct any questions to Frank Alexander, MS, ATC, NYSATA Conference Chair at nysataconference@gmail.com