



EDAR8

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of Antimicrobial Resistance
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SNAPSHOT PRESENTATION GUIDELINES

These presentations are designed to pique the interest of EDAR8 delegates ahead of the poster sessions, encouraging attendees to seek out your work and continue the conversation during the poster presentation sessions.

Please note that due to the short format, audience questions will not be permitted during the Snapshot presentations. However, delegates will be encouraged to follow up with presenters whose work has captured their interest during the poster sessions.

General information

Each Snapshot presenter is allocated **3 minutes**. Session Chairs will strictly monitor time and provide clear signals as you approach and reach the end of your presentation. Presentations that exceed the allocated time will be stopped to maintain the session schedule.

Please note:

- You must present using a maximum of two slides only
 - Slide 1: Opening slide featuring your name (left) and an image of your poster (right).
 - Slide 2: A supporting slide to highlight key information, figures, or findings etc.
- Your presentation title must match your submitted abstract.
- Include the names of all authors and co-authors.
- Please indicate which poster session you are allocated to, either on your slide or verbally (this information will be provided closer to the event).

Equipment Provided

All rooms are equipped to support digital presentations:

- Windows-based laptop (with Microsoft PowerPoint)
- Projector and screen (16:9 widescreen format)
- Clicker/laser pointer
- Lapel or podium microphone

Slide Preparation & Formatting

To ensure your presentation displays correctly, please adhere to the following:

- Aspect Ratio: 16:9 (widescreen). Slides in 4:3 will be letterboxed.
- File Format: .pptx (PowerPoint). Do not enable document encryption or password protection.

- Fonts: Use standard fonts (e.g. Arial, Calibri, Helvetica) to ensure compatibility.
 - Text: Minimum font size of 16pt. Keep text concise to maximise readability.
 - Media: Embed any video or audio files directly into your presentation (do not link externally).
 - Media: Embed any video or audio files. MP4 is the suggested codec for files to embed. Even though the file may be embedded, please bring a copy of the file in case the embedded file does not play. Please advise the audio-visual technician of any media that will play during the presentation.
 - An acknowledgement of traditional owners will occur at the start of the conference and is not necessary for it to be included in your presentation.
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Compliance & Disclosures

Presenters must:

- Acknowledge all authors and their institutional affiliations.
 - Disclose any relevant funding sources or sponsors.
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Uploading your presentation pre-conference

We urge you to upload your presentation pre-conference. The link for presentation upload has been shared with you via email. 5:00pm on **Sunday, 2 August is the absolute deadline** for pre-conference upload of your presentation. The upload link will be closed after this time and you will be directed to the 'at-event presentation upload' (see below).

- It is necessary to include your SURNAME and SESSION NUMBER in the file name of your presentation.
- If you wish to change or update your presentation after you have uploaded it, you may do so at the speakers' support desk (see below). Do not send presentations/updates by email or any other cloud-based links.

At-event presentation upload & speakers' support

If you are unable to upload your presentation by the deadline above, you will need to upload it at the conference not less than 90 minutes before your scheduled session time.

- Proceed to the Speakers' Support Desk, located in the Arbour Speakers' Prep of BCEC - Arbour Level is directly below the conference Boulevard Level.
 - Provide your Presentation to the staff at the Speakers' Support Desk on a USB stick.
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Best Practices for Presenting

- Arrive early: Please be in your session room 20 minutes before the session begins and introduce yourself to the Session Chair. If you do not recognise the chairperson, please gather at the stage or in the front row of seats so that the chairperson can easily identify you.
- Accessibility: Use high-contrast colours (e.g. dark text on a light background). Avoid relying on red/green colour distinctions.
- Keep it simple: Minimise text and prioritise clear visuals (figures, charts, key messages).

- Focus your message: Aim to communicate one clear takeaway.
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Presenting author

- A single registered author must present.
 - If the presenting author is unable to attend, another listed co-author may present the snapshot **provided they are registered and not already presenting orally.**
 - Please notify the organising team as soon as possible at edar8@ccm.com.au to arrange any changes.
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Enquiries

For any questions regarding presentation preparation, formatting, or logistics, please contact the organising team at: edar8@ccm.com.au

Remember: *Snapshot presentations provide a unique opportunity to capture the audience's attention and communicate the essence of your research in a rapid and engaging way. In just three minutes, presenters should clearly convey a key message—whether this is an interesting finding, a novel idea, a high-level takeaway, or an innovative method or application. A great Snapshot presentation is clear, focused, and engaging—it should spark interest and drive delegates to your poster.*