



4th Regional parenting conference

Embracing technology for the safety of children in care settings:

**Ending online violence against children in all care
settings**

Call for Abstract

June 2017

Call for Abstracts.

The abstracts committee invites you to submit an abstract in any of the following subthemes **(more details on the sub themes is available on the conference proposal attached).**

1. Technology
2. Progress in Policy
3. Online violence in care settings

Guidelines for abstracts

Abstracts must include all sections below:

1. **Introduction and Background:** clearly articulated context for project of research study, including relevant literature
2. **Objectives:** substantive, clearly stated purpose of the project or research study
3. **Methods:** clear description of how the project was conducted and/or implemented, with sound and appropriate project design
4. **Results/Outcomes/Improvements:** clear and unambiguous statement of what changed and how
5. **Significance/Implications/Relevance:** implications of the project beyond the local setting.
6. **Policy relevance and legislations for considerations**

Breakdown for **scientific studies** would follow the following pattern:

- a) Introduction and Background
- b) Study objectives
- c) Methodology/Methods
- d) Findings
- e) Conclusion
- f) Recommendations

Please Note:

1. PAN and its technical team shall review abstracts and will allocate slots to plenary sessions and poster presentations. All accepted plenary and poster presenters are required to register for the conference.
2. PAN does not endorse any products or services provided by outside vendors. Therefore only approved promotions or advertisements of any kind will be allowed at the conference.

Criteria for submission

Submit your abstract electronically to **info@parentinginafrica.org**. All inquiries should also be made through the same address

The deadline for abstract submissions is 30th June 2017, 5:00 PM EA Time

Notice of acceptance, rejection or review of abstract and poster presentations will be emailed by 30th July 2017, Communication regarding the abstract will be made with the submitting author only.

Only completed projects that show measurable results will be reviewed. Particular attention will be paid to abstracts related to the provided list of suggested topics.

Submission and Format Requirements for Abstracts:

- Only abstracts submitted electronically by 30th June will be considered
- Abstracts must not exceed 350 words (one page), excluding title and authors.
- No charts, tables, or graphs will be accepted.
- No citations must be included in the abstracts.
- All text should be typed as you would have it appear in print. If accepted, your abstract will be included in the Conference program for presentation
- All abstracts must be written in Times New Roman, font size 12.
- Make the abstract title brief, but clearly indicate the nature of the study. Do not use abbreviations in the title.
- List each presenter and his/her affiliation separately.

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