

UOMA Student Research Poster Contest

Abstract due by Monday, January 12, 2026

2026 Winter CME Conference

Rocky Vista University College of Osteopathic Medicine-Utah Campus

Finalists will be notified by Tuesday, February 10, 2026

Abstract Guidelines

- **To enter the poster contest and compete for cash prizes**, please submit your abstract through the website at <https://www.uoma.org/student-abstract-entry>.
- The abstract must be 2500 characters or less and be written using the following categories:
 - Background
 - Purpose
 - Methods
 - Results
 - Conclusions
- Finalists from the abstract judging will be notified, so students can prepare to attend the posters display on Saturday from 8:30 to 10:00 a.m.

Poster Guidelines

- Posters must be 48" x 36" and UOMA will attach the poster to a cardboard backing and placed on an easel.
- Posters must be submitted to UOMA or to your school by Wednesday prior to the conference, so attendees may view during the duration of the conference.
- Posters must be taken down by 12:30 p.m. on Saturday of each of the conferences.

Presentation Guidelines

- Posters will be displayed starting Thursday of the conference. The designated poster presentation period will be Saturday from 8:30-10:00 a.m. Be early.
- Be ready to present your research project and findings clearly and concisely to conference attendees to circulate throughout the room.
- Business attire is strongly recommended.

Judging

- After abstract submissions are received, faculty will evaluate each abstract using a grading rubric, view online. The top research finalists will then have their poster displays and presentations judged on Saturday from 8:30-10:00 a.m.
- Cash awards will be delivered to the winners after the contest is complete.
- Winners must be present to win.

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Thursday, February 26 through Saturday, February 28, 2026

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255 E Center Street, Ivins, UT 84738

For more information go to <https://www.uoma.org/student-abstract-entry>.