



Poster Guidelines

Size: 30" x 40" PORTRAIT Style; Does NOT need to be professionally printed

Content Checklist: (to be scored you must include information AND experience)

- 80% - Project Information: background, project description, collected data, results, etc.
- 20% - Experience: observations, personal reflection, analysis
- Use photographs and graphics where possible to enhance your presentation.

Deadline: 12PM on April 6, 2015 All posters must be submitted via email to GHI@Dartmouth.edu. *If you have a printed poster, please bring it to the Dickey Center by noon on April 6, 2014. Limited funding is available for printing upon request. There is a limited amount of space. Posters may not extend past the provided space.*

Please include the following information in your email submission: 1) Title, 2) 100 word abstract and 3) Area of focus.

Guiding Questions:

Please use these questions as you create your poster. It is not necessary for you to answer every question listed below. However, please utilize them to steer you in the right direction. Keep in mind the importance of not just listing your findings, but reflecting on how your observations shaped your experience and your way of thinking.

❖ For Project Information (80%):

Please note: Posters may reflect a research, educational, clinical or service focus. Each project description should address the following areas:

- Abstract (max 200 words)
- Background
 - What are the major healthcare challenges of the country you visited?
 - How is the community currently addressing those challenges?
- Project
 - What did you do/accomplish in your project?
 - What difficulties did you encounter working in a resource-limited setting?
 - For research projects this should include Hypothesis, Materials and Methods, Results and Discussion of results
- Conclusions/Discussion
 - How will your project impact the health of the community?
 - Is your project sustainable? What challenges do you see for continuing this work?
 - Do you see other ways to more effectively address those problems?
 - What comparisons can you make between the health situation you encountered in your project country and the situation in either the United States or your home country?

❖ For Your Experience (20%):

- What was it like to live and work in a developing country?
- How did you adapt to the differences in culture and language?
- What pushed you out of your comfort zone? How did you adapt? What did you learn about yourself?
- What was the most unique experience you had? Or what surprised you the most?
- What did you learn about your future career goals? Did you decide to specialize in something? Did you rule something out?
- What lessons did you learn about the field of global health?

Prizes: Three cash prizes will be awarded to the top three students who are deemed by the faculty and student judges as most worthy based on the guidelines above.

1st place- \$100

2nd place- \$75

3rd place- \$50

For further questions, please contact Jessica Friedman at Jessica.K.Friedman@dartmouth.edu