



KEY DATES

- **Sunday, June 29, 2025 @ 11:59pm** - Submission Deadline
- **Wednesday, July 9, 2025** – Notification of Acceptance
- **Friday, July 30, 2025** – Speaker Changes
- **Friday, July 25, 2025** - Submit your completed poster for printing by LOS/LA-ASMBS
- **August 8-9, 2025**– Louisiana Obesity Conference

The Louisiana Obesity Society (LOS) and the Louisiana Chapter of the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery (LA-ASMBS) present a two-day conference featuring national experts in obesity medicine and bariatric surgery, offering cutting-edge education and insights into the treatment of obesity.

We are dedicated to elevating the next generation of leaders in bariatric and obesity medicine by offering valuable opportunities for trainees to showcase their work, gain recognition, and engage with leading experts in the field.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

We welcome poster abstracts from medical students, residents, and fellows on bariatric and obesity medicine topics presented as case reports, case series, and research projects.

Online submissions only. Submit [here](#).

ABSTRACT FORMAT GUIDELINES

Submit via this web-based submission process only.

Case Reports/Case Series

Word limit: 250 words or less (not including title and authors)

- Title
- Authors
- Introduction (1–3 sentences providing context or relevance)
- Case Presentation (Focused and concise case description)

Research Projects/Case Series

Word limit: 400 words or less (not including title and authors)

- Title
- Authors
- Introduction
- Methods
- Data Analysis
- Results

Abstract Acceptance

Acceptance notifications will be sent by email. We will provide the correct size for printing. All posters will be due no later than **Friday, July 25, 2025**.

BARIATRIC AND OBESITY MEDICINE POSTER COMPETITION

Friday, August 8, 2025

- LOS/LA-ASMBS will hang all posters by 9:00am
- Poster viewing from 9:00am-2:00pm
- Poster Judging is from 2:00pm-4:00pm
- Your presenter must be present during judging to be considered for the Best Poster Competition.
- Winners will be announced on Saturday, August 9th at 5:00pm

Top Three Abstracts – Podium Presentation

The top 3 abstracts will present their full abstract on **Saturday, August 9, 2025** at **4:30pm**.

About the Presentation

- 5 minutes/5 slides/5 minutes of audience engagement
- You have a total of FIVE slides for your presentation: Introduction, Methods, 2 Data slides, and Results slide.

Questions

Reach out to the LOS/LA-ASMBS office at janna@laasmbs.org or contact the LOS President, Catherine Hudson, MD at ctriddi@lsuhsc.edu.

Important Links

- Submit your abstract, [click here](#)
- 2025 agenda, [click here](#)
- Registration, [click here](#)
- Hotel Reservations, [click here](#)