

Instructions for submitting an abstract for the 2010 ASSFN Meeting:

Abstracts should not exceed 300 words and MUST include the following four areas:

- (1) **Introduction** - A brief statement regarding the purpose of the study and the current state of research in the field.
- (2) **Methods** - The method(s) of study or experimental approach must be briefly described.
- (3) **Results** - A summary of the study results, including sufficient details to support those conclusions must be described.
- (4) **Conclusion** - A statement explaining the significance of the work and its implications for further research.

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Please also note:

- Abstracts submitted and accepted at other neurosurgical and/or medical meetings will not be considered for presentation.
- At the time of submission, please ensure that your email address is accurate. Email is the only way you will be notified regarding the status of your abstract.
- All correspondence will be conducted with the first author only.
- Data for abstracts cannot be changed after the abstract submission site has closed.
- Presenters of selected abstracts are required to register for the corresponding meeting at the appropriate registration fees.
- Abstracts will only be accepted electronically.
- Abstracts should be proofread prior to submission. Abstracts are published as submitted.

REMINDER:

As a part of your submission, you will have to agree to the following statements:

- I, the corresponding author, will take responsibility for the content of the submitted abstract and have the permission of all co-authors to submit this abstract to the 2010 Biennial Meeting of the American Society for Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery.
- I affirm that if my abstract is accepted for either an oral or poster presentation, I will register and pay the fees, attend and give my presentation at the 2010 Biennial Meeting of the American Society for Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery.
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