

2026 Medical Family Therapy Intensive Conference Call for Posters



AAMFT Medical Family Therapy / MFTs in Healthcare Topical Interest Network (TIN) invites poster abstract submissions for our upcoming conference showcasing innovative systemic work in healthcare settings. We welcome submissions from clinicians, researchers, educators, students, and interdisciplinary collaborators advancing systemic practice in medical and integrated care contexts.

Advancing Systemic Practice in Healthcare: Innovation, Integration, and Impact

Posters may address, but are not limited to:

- Integration of MFTs in primary care, specialty care, and hospital systems
- Behavioral health integration models
- Chronic illness and systemic health outcomes
- AI and digital tools in healthcare and behavioral health
- Health disparities and culturally responsive care
- Interprofessional education and collaboration
- Policy and advocacy in healthcare systems
- Training models for MFTs in medical settings
- Clinical case presentations with clear systemic conceptualization

Submission Guidelines

Abstracts should include the following: **Title, Author(s) and affiliation(s), 3–5 learning objectives and Abstract with Background, Methods/Approach, Key Findings or Innovation, Implications for Healthcare, and should clearly describe** the problem or clinical/research question, the systemic framework used, methods or intervention (if applicable), outcomes or implications for healthcare practice

Abstract Length: Up to 200 words

Important Dates

- **Abstract Submission Deadline:** *April 1st, 2026*
- **Notification of Acceptance:** *April 8th, 2026*
- **Symposium Dates:** *July 10–11th, 2026*
- **Poster Session:** July 11th from 12-1:30, all posters need to be presented live (no virtual options), the ideal size of posters should be 36 x 48, and we will have a first-place prize for the top poster

Please submit materials to: [Here](#)

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