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	Points	Poster#												
Scientific Content 50%	5	Title concise, informative and relevant to poster content; *judge title given on poster, not what is listed in the online program*												
	5	Introduction, justification & background w/ pertinent literature cited												
	10	Objectives or hypotheses clearly stated & concise												
	10	Materials & methods (study design) clear, concise, & appropriate to problem												
	10	Interpretation of results and analysis clear, concise & accurate; if poster is billboard style, the central billboard message (“hook”) is supported by data provided												
	10	Significance of results to field of study clearly discussed												
Poster Display 50%	5	Logical order, minimum redundancy												
	5	Effective use of space; smooth transitions between sections												
	15	Legible w/ appropriate-size fonts, color contrast, no conflicting backgrounds (high contrast images (for example, avoiding color schemes that are hard to distinguish for colorblind participants like red/green); if poster is billboard style, QR code functions properly and directs viewer to concise, relevant content												
	10	Text w/ no grammatical errors & not excessively wordy; *both American and Canadian English spelling & grammar are acceptable (i.e., behavior/behaviour)*												
	15	Effective use & description of visuals (i.e. photos, diagrams, figures, and tables), coordinated with & cited in text												

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