

41st EuroQol Plenary 2024

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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Provided below you will find important information regarding the Call for Abstracts for the 41st EuroQol Plenary 2024 (18-20 September) in Noordwijk, the Netherlands. We encourage all of you to participate and submit your research abstract(s) to this hybrid plenary meeting, which you can attend in person or online.

Note, first authors can only submit a maximum of three abstracts.

The organisation of the scientific programme

- The 2024 Scientific Chairs, Juanita Haagsma and Nils Gutacker, are appointed by the EuroQol Executive Committee to develop the scientific programme and to chair the Plenary meeting.
- Each abstract submitted through the [EuroQol Abstracts Submission Portal](#) will be reviewed and independently rated by members of the EuroQol Group. These objective reviews provide the basis for decisions about which to accept as papers/posters and which to reject.
- When the accepted papers and posters are submitted, the Scientific Chairs will check the overall flow and quality. The Scientific Chairs may reach out to authors for needed revisions, at the same time, they also reserve the right to possibly exclude papers and posters that are not of an acceptable standard. For example, papers that may exceed our word/page length limit or are on a topic that differs from the initial abstract.
- The Scientific Chairs expect to accept around 25 papers for a podium presentation by a discussant.
- The plenary meeting is aimed to have all EuroQol Working Groups represented in papers and posters scheduled for discussion.

Key topics of strategic interest to the EuroQol Group

The EuroQol Group's Executive Committee has established several Working Groups, each charged with specific objectives relating to the scientific agenda of the EuroQol Group. A summary of each Working Group's activities and research priorities is available [here](#). Those intending to submit abstracts are encouraged to consult these summaries as they indicate the topics and issues of greatest interest to the EuroQol Group and inform you about planned or ongoing activities that may be relevant to the work you intend to present.

Papers/posters that report only on clinical or economic applications of the EQ-5D in specific sub-populations or disease areas, e.g., economic evaluations, are usually not accepted unless they contain methodological innovations that have wider relevance to the EuroQol Group. These could include, for example, broader perspectives in using the EQ-5D products in clinical settings and/or for decision-making in health care, and the conceptual basis for generic-based health-related quality of life (HRQoL) measures. Papers/posters that are likely to encourage scientific debate are particularly welcome. These contributions may stimulate new ways of thinking about existing issues or challenge dogma. **Note** that while our plenary meeting is primarily intended for members of the EuroQol Group, we welcome abstracts from any researcher whose work has potential interest or significance for the development of the EQ-5D and/or is working with member(s) of the EuroQol Group.

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Registration

Registration and programme information will follow later. If you have any specific questions about the upcoming 41st EuroQol Plenary 2024 in Noordwijk, the Netherlands, please contact [Mandy van Reenen](#).

Timelines	
Thursday 25 April 2024, 23.59 CEST	Deadline for submitting abstracts
16 – 12 May 2024	Review and selection of abstracts
Thursday 16 May 2024	Abstract acceptance / rejection notification
Thursday 11 July 2024, 23.59 CEST	Deadline submitting papers and posters