

2018 NCAPA PA Poster Session:

Clinical Case Submissions Review Criteria

Introduction/Background (10)

- Demographics - Include the individual's age, sex,
- Past Medical History - Include the pertinent aspects of their medical history.
- Current Medical History -_Include a brief history of the complaint

Purpose (5)

- Purpose of the clinical case?

Clinical Evaluation (15)

- Chief complaint
- Signs and Symptoms
- Timeline -Describe the development of condition if warranted.

Differential Diagnosis (15)

- Problem List - List all injuries or conditions based on history and physical findings.
- Potential Diagnoses -Include all possible diagnoses present prior to clinician evaluation, diagnostic imaging and laboratory results.

Treatment (15)

- Imaging and Laboratory findings - Results of diagnostic imaging and laboratory testing?
- Final diagnosis - Final diagnosis of the injury or condition, clinical course and treatment?
- Details - Pertinent and unique details included?

Uniqueness (10)

- Unique contribution of this case?

Conclusions (10)

- Is the statement of your findings consistent with the results reported? Do the findings concisely describe the most pertinent aspects of your clinical case?

Readability (10)

- Clear and easy to read?

Usefulness (10)

- Practical application, does the case provide new information applicable to patient care or systems-based practice?

Word Count – 400-500 maximum, excluding references