Call for Posters – The Langston Center Annual Symposium

September 27, 2018 | VCU School of Nursing – Younger Auditorium | Submit poster at go.vcu.edu/langstonsymposium

This is a call for posters. Students at all levels, clinicians, researchers, and faculty are eligible to participate in this juried event. **First, second, and third place prizes will be awarded in two categories: a) most innovative/creative poster and, b) high impact evidence-based interventions that influence quality and/or safety poster.** The prize winners will be announced at the onset of the keynote presentation.

Judging criteria are as follows:

**Category I: Innovative/Creative Poster Criterion:**
- Defined message that advances quality and safety aimed at patient/family care.
- Clear focus on a target audience (to include diverse populations across socioeconomic, cultural, geographic, and/or age-specific cohort).
- Unique use of graphics and techniques to amplify the quality and safety message.
- Degree of impact on quality and safety outcomes.
- Suitability for media replication.

**Category II: Evidence-based Safety and Quality Poster Criterion:**
- Defined topical/problem focus impacting clinical provider quality and safety, and/or patient/family centered quality and safety.
- Use and appropriateness of data/evidence sources to substantiate the problem from various sources: patient-generated health data, social determinants of health data, genomic/proteomic/metabonomic data, or EMR/claims/patient satisfaction/population-based/research data.
- Clarity of the intervention used to improve care quality/safety, optimize outcomes, and/or reduce cost and improve workflow.
- Description of how the problem and intervention will promote relevant/useful standards and interoperability in the practice setting.
- Suitability for practice scalability/replication.

Judges will consider the level of education and length of time in the practice environment in their deliberations, so we are seeking novice to experts to participate.

Class assignments or quality improvement projects that are adapted to the above criteria are welcomed and encouraged.