

## **Abstract Submission Guidelines**

- 1. Maximum word count for the abstract should be 300 words excluding title, authors' names, affiliations, and keywords.
- 2. The abstract should be prepared as a Microsoft Word document (doc, docx).
- 3. Follow the below-mentioned formatting guide for the title and affiliations.

## TITLE OF THE PAPER

(Capitalized, TIMES NEW ROMAN, 14 FONT SIZE, CENTERED)

<u>Surname INITIALS</u><sup>1#</sup>, Surname INITIALS<sup>2</sup>, and Surname INITIALS<sup>3</sup> (Times New Roman, 11 font size) <sup>1</sup>Affiliation <sup>2</sup>Affiliation <sup>3</sup>Affiliation</sup> <sup>#</sup>corresponding author@cmb.ac.lk. (Times New Roman, 10 font size)

- 4. The presenting author's name should be underlined.
- 5. The body of the abstract should be briefly structured under the following subheadings:
  - Introduction
  - Objective(s)
  - Methods Font size 12, Times New Roman, Single spaced
  - Results
  - Conclusions
- 6. A maximum of five (05) keywords should be included at the end of the abstract.
- 7. Citations, References, Figures, and Tables should not be included in the abstract.
- 8. One author is eligible to submit a maximum of three (03) abstracts.
- Properly structured abstracts with absence of spelling and grammar mistakes should be submitted to <u>neurocare@nursing.cmb.ac.lk</u> on or before 15<sup>th</sup> September 2024 along with the author declaration form
- 10. The abstracts compatible with the guidelines will be subjected to a blind review process by two independent reviewers.
- 11. The decision made by the reviewers will be the final decision regarding acceptance/ rejection of the abstract. Acceptance of the abstract will be notified to the author on or before 1<sup>st</sup> November 2024.
- 12. The mode of presentation (Oral/ e-Poster) will be finalized based on the reviewers's recommendations.