COHSHS Student Research Day
March 27, 2014
Call for Posters

Join us in encouraging our student's participation in the COHSHS Student Research Day to be held on **Thursday March 27, 2014 from 2:00-4:00 p.m**. in the rooms adjoining the Ballroom.

Examples of acceptable types of submissions: Literature reviews, case studies, completed research, research studies in progress, research proposals, and other student projects including those created through participation in research assistant roles or class research projects. Students are required to work on their poster independently.

Proposal/abstract entries are due on Friday February 28th by 5:00 p.m. via Email to the Dean's office, c/o Bryan Smith, smithkb@utpa.edu , Room 2.230 for review by the COHSHS Research Committee.

Proposals/Abstract must be 250-300 words in length, and include: the proposal title, byline with names of authors and their respective department, introduction, literature review, objectives, methodology, actual or expected results, conclusions, and a reference section. References (both in –text and on the reference list) must be in APA format. Additional required student contact information: name, phone number, e-mail address, major, undergraduate/graduate status, expected date of graduation, name of instructor and course.

Upon review of the proposal/abstract, students and faculty will be **notified of acceptance by March 7th**. **Each student whose proposal/abstract is accepted will be required to complete and submit their poster to the Dean's office by March 14th, 5:00 p.m.**

Posters must not exceed 3 X 5 feet and must be affixed to a display board. The UTPA seal /logo **cannot** be depicted on the posters.
Poster judging will be based on: (1) Study title and byline with names of authors and respective department, (2) Abstract, (3) Introduction, (4) Literature Review,
(5) Methodology, (6) Results/Expected Results (expected for proposals),
(7) Discussion/Conclusion (expected for research proposals), (8) References. Both in-text and Reference list citations must be according to APA format. *Students are required to work on their poster independently.

Announcement of awards will be Thursday March 27, 2013 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. in the rooms adjoining the Ballroom. Posters will remain on view through Sat. April 27th as part of MORE Health@UTPA.

***Awards**: One grand prize will be awarded in the following: exemplary doctoral student work, exemplary graduate student work, *AND*, exemplary undergraduate student work.

Prizes: TBA

Additional information: please contact Dr. Robert Gilkerson at gilkersonrw@utpa.edu or Dr. Jameela Banu at banuj@utpa.edu.