

Synergy in Motion – Working together for patient excellence

16th and 17th October 2025 Fable Hotel Dunedin

The Symposium organising committee is working to provide an interesting and informative programme. You are invited to share your experiences and knowledge by presenting a clinical practice situation, innovation, research project, or audit, that reflects the theme of the Symposium. Oral presentations will be 20 minutes in length. Speakers will be expected to keep to the time limit given. Posters will be displayed for the duration of the Symposium.

Abstracts are invited for oral and poster presentations in any areas relevant to air and surface transport along the theme of "synergy in motion"

- Abstracts for COASTN Symposium 2025 should fit within one of the following categories, demonstrating bi-cultural awareness and equity:
 - Quality Improvements projects including the approach taken (e.g. PDSA cycle, EPIQ, etc.), and progress and outcomes of the project. This may include projects to reduce variation in practice, audit activity, and/or lessons learnt from the process.
 - Nursing workforce initiatives such as implementing new roles, support for well-being, overcoming challenges
 - Participation in research, development of technology, advancement in transport nursing
 - Case studies

Closing date for receipt of abstracts: **5pm Thursday 31**st **July 2025**Abstracts are to be submitted to: coastnflight2023@gmail.com with subject line: **COASTN SYMPOSIUM 2025 - ABSTRACT SUBMISSION**.

Abstract format

- No more than one A4 page Word document.
- 250 word limit, (charts and tables included in word count).
- Author(s) name(s) and Institution details of each author
- Indicate who the presenter will be if more than one author

Abstract Outcomes

Abstracts will be reviewed the COASTN program committee who will allocate presentations to either oral or poster sessions. Abstract outcomes will be announced by August 14th 2025

Oral Presentation

- You must be available to present in person on Thursday 16th or Friday 17th October 2025
- If accepted, you should prepare an oral presentation of 20 minutes duration
- There will be time allocated for questions and discussion at the end of the symposium session
- Presentations should be in PowerPoint; PC computers will be available at the conference.

Poster Presentation

- You should be available to take questions in person from delegates Thursday 16th or Friday 17th
 October 2025 during the lunchtime poster sessions
- A0 size in portrait recommended. Poster boards are 1m wide and 2m high.
- Posters should be displayed for the duration of the conference. You will have to print and bring your
 poster to the conference as there are no printing facilities available at the conference venue.