

# Call for Papers

## 2022 Add Health Users Conference

**Dates: Monday-Tuesday, July 11-12, 2022**

**Location: Rizzo Center, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill**

**Abstracts may be submitted online beginning January 5, 2022**  
**Abstracts must be submitted by 11:59PM EST on March 21, 2022**

Do you want to present your work, find out about other Add Health research projects, meet Add Health staff and directors, and connect with other Add Health users?

We encourage you to submit an abstract for the 2022 Add Health Users Conference, to be held at the **Rizzo Center** at UNC - Chapel Hill!

To ensure the health and safety of all conference staff and attendees, Add Health strongly encourages vaccination against COVID-19. We will follow all COVID-19 safety guidelines set forth by the state of North Carolina and the Rizzo Center. All attendees are required to abide by the University of North Carolina's **Community Standards**.

Any papers using Add Health data are welcome. Both substantive & methodological topics are welcomed. We strongly urge abstracts that:

- Use Wave V data
- Examine health disparities and/or focus on racial/ethnic minority populations
- Study genetic and environmental influences on health and behavior
- Use biomarker data and longitudinal social, behavioral, and environmental data
- Use cognitive data
- Study life course trajectories of health, family, education, and labor force participation
- Use data from the Add Health Parent Study

## Submitting Your Abstract

Use the Abstract Submission Form found on the [conference website](#) (available January 5, 2022)

- For substantive presentations: Describe research questions and hypotheses; Add Health data used; and research plan, including key variables and analytic approach. Describe expected results.
- For methodological presentations: Describe benefits of new methodology within the context of Add Health; describe your aims and analytic approach. Describe expected results.
- Abstracts are limited to 500 words. Accepted abstracts will be posted online.
- We will email the Add Health listserv when the abstract submission form is live on January 5, 2022. If you would like to join the listserv, please sign up on the [Add Health website](#). For additional conference updates, please visit the [conference website](#).

## Travel and Expenses

You may apply for a stipend when submitting your abstract. Preferences will be given to the special emphasis areas mentioned above and underrepresented topics.

Eligibility for travel stipends (all 3 eligibility criteria must be met):

1. No other sources of funding to attend the conference.
2. Currently enrolled in undergraduate, pre-doctoral or post-doctoral training OR completed *doctoral* training within the last five years at the time of submission.
3. Interest in travel stipend must be indicated on the abstract form.

**Questions?** Email the conference organizers at [addhealth\\_conference@unc.edu](mailto:addhealth_conference@unc.edu).

We look forward to hearing from you and learning about your research. If you are interested in the new Wave V data, please request the data through the [CPC Data Portal](#).

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