

# CALL FOR POSTER ABSTRACTS

7th Lillian Meighen Wright Maternal-Child Health Learning Academy

## Impacts of Natural Disasters on Maternal-Child Health

Virtual Event: 15 & 17 July 2024  
Faculty of Health, York University

- ✚ We invite poster abstracts for the 7th Lillian Meighen Wright Maternal-Child Health Learning Academy that will be held virtually on Monday July 15 and Wednesday July 17, 2024.
- ✚ This two-day event is organized by the Women's Health Research Chair in Mental Health and the Lillian Meighen Wright Scholars Program Academic Lead, Dr. Nazilla Khanlou, and the Student Co-chairs of the Program, Meaghan Hall and Lojain Hamwi.
- ✚ We welcome submissions from students, educators, researchers, service providers, policymakers, and community members. Please ensure that the abstract for the poster follows the guidelines provided further below.
- ✚ Presenters of accepted abstracts will be notified, and their abstract will be included in the 7th Lillian Meighen Wright Maternal-Child Health Learning Academy's program booklet.
- ✚ Poster presenters will present their poster as a short lightning presentation. They will be asked to submit a pre-recorded video version of their poster to be presented during the event.
- ✚ Poster presenters will be invited to submit a fuller version of their work in a manuscript format to a special issue of the International Network on Youth Integration INYI Journal (<https://inyi.journals.yorku.ca/>).



Image: UNICEF Niger (Fatratra & Abdou, 2020)

## Abstract Submission Guidelines

**Theme:** We are seeking submissions on the impacts of natural disasters (e.g., earthquakes, floods, hurricanes, tornadoes, tsunamis) on maternal-child health, across multiple domains (physical health and mental health, economic, environmental, political). We invite descriptive, empirical, analytical, or reflective submissions on:

- i) how these disasters affect mothers, children, and/ or their communities;
- ii) what supports are helpful; and
- iii) how populations adjust following these disasters.

Abstracts should not exceed 300 words in length. Please format your abstract using the headings provided below and email your abstract, as a word file, to [owhchair@yorku.ca](mailto:owhchair@yorku.ca) by **15 March 2024**. In the subject line of your email, please write "7th LMW Academy: Poster Abstract."

### **Structure**

Poster Title:

Authors & Affiliations (including email for presenting author):

Background:

Objectives:

Methods:

Results:

Discussion and Conclusion:

Was your poster presented previously? If yes, where/when/by who?

Acknowledgements (funding, supervisor, etc.).

\*Posters will be presented through a pre-recorded short video (2-3 minutes). Further details will be provided to the presenters of the accepted submissions.

Thank you,

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**This event will be held virtually via Zoom on  
Monday 15 July and Wednesday 17 July 2024  
12:00 - 3:00pm EST**

**\*Send your poster abstract to [owhchair@yorku.ca](mailto:owhchair@yorku.ca) by 15 March 2024**

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