

AVICENNA STUDENT SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE 2025

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

- 1. Can I participate if I'm a first-year student?**
Yes, all students with an active academic status at Avicenna are eligible to participate.
- 2. Can I submit more than one paper?**
You may submit up to 2 papers, but only 1 per thematic direction.
- 3. Can I have a co-author?**
Yes, you can co-author a paper with 1 other student (max 2 authors per paper).
- 4. Who can be my scientific supervisor?**

For Avicenna students:

The scientific supervisor must be an academic staff member or an invited academic personnel of Avicenna – Batumi Medical University.

For students from other universities:

The scientific supervisor may be either an academic staff member of Avicenna – Batumi Medical University or an academic staff member of the relevant accredited higher education institution.

- 5. What topics can I choose for my paper?**
You should select topics that fall under one of the official conference directions (Each direction includes several subfields):
 - Public Health and Basic Medicine
 - Preclinical Medicine
 - Clinical Medicine

Note: The topic must be scientifically relevant, original, and connected to your medical studies. If in doubt, consult with your supervisor or review the conference directions listed in the announcement.

- 6. What is TURNITIN, and how do I upload my paper there?**
TURNITIN is a plagiarism detection system. Instructions for uploading will be provided after registration.
- 7. Will I get a certificate even if I don't win?**
Yes! All participants who present their work will receive a certificate.
- 8. Can I participate if I'm currently on academic leave?**
No, only students with an active status are eligible to participate.
- 9. Can I change my paper title or supervisor after registration?**
Minor corrections might be allowed before the submission deadline, but major changes require written justification and approval.
- 10. Does the paper have to be based on original research?**
Yes. The paper must reflect independent or team-based research and must be original.
- 11. What language should I use in my paper and presentation?**
Papers and presentations should be in English.

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- 12. Is there a word limit or formatting guideline for the paper?**
Yes. Please follow the structure outlined in [Annex 1](#) (Scientific Paper Format).
- 13. Can one supervisor guide more than one student?**
Yes, but a maximum of three papers per supervisor is allowed.
- 14. What if I don't have a supervisor yet?**
You must find one before submitting [Form N2](#). You may ask faculty members for support.
- 15. How much time will I have for my presentation?**
Each participant will have 7–10 minutes for the presentation and 3–5 minutes for Q&A.
- 16. Can I use slides or other media?**
Yes! PowerPoint or PDF presentations are recommended. You can also use videos or diagrams as long as they enhance your content.
- 17. Who evaluates the papers?**
A designated scientific committee composed of faculty and field experts (See the [Rule](#)).
- 18. Can I appeal the results if I disagree with them?**
The decisions of the evaluation committee are final, but you may request feedback.
- 19. Will all papers be published?**
Only papers receiving 81 points or more will be included in the Conference Proceedings.
- 20. Can I attend the conference as a listener without presenting a paper?**
Yes, of course! All students of Avicenna are welcome to attend the conference as listeners, even if they are not presenting.