ANNUAL SAPRIN CONFERENCE 2025

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS EXTENDED TO 5 MAY 2025

ABOUT SAPRIN

The South African Population Research Infrastructure Network (SAPRIN) is a national research infrastructure comprising seven Health and Demographic Surveillance System (HDSS) nodes (4 rural and 3 urban). SAPRIN is funded by the Department of Science, Technology and Innovation (DSTI) and hosted by the South African Medical Research Council (SAMRC). SAPRIN forms part of the DSTI's strategy to enhance research capacity in the country, through the South African Research Infrastructure Roadmap (SARIR).

THE CONFERENCE

This conference aims to bring together scientists, role players and stakeholders in the population science field to enhance research capacity, build capacity, promote collaborative networks, foster interdisciplinary approaches, showcase research and dynamic data utilisation.

The conference will have addresses by pertinent speakers, plenaries, parallel sessions, a site visit to a SAPRIN HDSS node and showcase a community engagement initiative.

DATE:

21 - 23 July 2025

VENUE:

Krystal Beach Hotel, Gordon's Bay, Cape Town

THEME:

Advancing Health and Social Wellbeing through Population Science.

SUB-THEMES:

- Public health and social wellbeing
- Implementation science
- Research to policy and practice translation
- Epidemiology and surveillance.

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ABSTRACT DEADLINES

Call for Abstract Submissions Opens

1 April 2025

Call for Abstract Submissions Close

5 May 2025

Abstract Review

6 - 24 May 2025

Notification of Outcome

3 June 2025

The conference fees are R 2000 per person for the three days, excluding the gala dinner on day one which is R 500 per person.





