



POSTER PRESENTATIONS & COMPETITION

The AEEDC Dubai Poster Presentation Competition offers a global stage for dental students, interns, dentists, researchers, and professionals to present original research and innovative ideas.

- **How to join:**
 - The Poster Competition has 3 categories:
AEEDC Dubai Conference 2027 (General Dentistry)
AEEDC Dubai World Orthodontic Conference 2027 (Ortho 2027)
AEEDC Dubai World Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Conference 2027 (OMFS 2027)
 - **Please Submit your Poster to the category most suitable for your topic**

Ortho 2027 Poster Sub-Categories

1. Poster Competition (The Poster Judges List)

- **What it is:** The best posters will be selected by our judges.
- The selected poster submitters will be informed by email and invited to present their Posters in front of the poster judges. *(In 2026, judges selected 24 posters)*
- **Poster Competition Prizes:**
 - 1st Prize: AED 10,000 + Free AEEDC Dubai Ortho Conference 2028 registration
 - 2nd Prize: AED 6,000 + Free AEEDC Dubai Ortho Conference 2028 registration
 - 3rd Prize: AED 4,000 + Free AEEDC Dubai Ortho Conference 2028 registration

2. Poster Display

- **What it is:** A non-competitive way to **showcase your research** to peers.
- No judging or scoring.
- Your poster will be displayed digitally for one hour each day of the **3-day event**.
- Your presence is not mandatory. The setup is intended for attendees to view and read the poster independently.

3. Case Report

- **What it is:** Focuses on the **Case Study Content** in your poster.
- No judging or scoring.
- Your poster will be displayed digitally for one hour each day of the **3-day event**.
- Your presence is not mandatory. The setup is intended for attendees to view and read the poster independently.

Second Draft Posters

- **Your submission requires revisions:**
 - You'll be asked to submit a revised version.
 - **Note:** Resubmission doesn't guarantee acceptance.



Ortho 2027 Poster Submission Guidelines

1. Digital Posters Only

- **No paper posters** will be accepted.
- Posters must be **digital** and will be displayed vertically on **50" TV screens**

- Posters display timing slots will rotate during the 3 days of the event.

2. Registration Before Submission

- You **must register** for the **Ortho Conference 2027** as a Delegate before submitting your Poster Abstract.
- **No poster will be considered** if you haven't registered.
- No extra fee is required to submit a poster.
- *If you register for the Combo option: AEEDC Dubai Conference + Ortho Conference 2027, you can submit a different poster for both conferences.*

3. Acceptance/Rejection Notification

- You'll receive an email (acceptance or rejection) **within 2-3 weeks** after the **deadline: November 30, 2026.**

4. Original Work Required

- Your abstract must be based on original research or original clinical case studies.

5. Evaluation Process

- The **AEEDC Poster Judges** will review all abstracts and decide which ones are accepted to which sub-category. Their decisions are final.

6. Strict Deadline

- **No late submissions** will be accepted after **November 30, 2026.**

7. Withdrawal Policy

- If you need to withdraw, you must email the organizers at least 2 months before the event. (posterabstracts@aeedc.com)
- No refunds for conference registrations.

8. Author & Institution Formatting

- a) Author name & degrees: ALL CAPS (e.g., JOHN SMITH, DDS*).
- b) Presenter's name: must be indicated with an asterisk (e.g., HESSA*)
- c) Institution name: in parentheses - e.g. (University of Sharjah).

9. Authors & Affiliations

- List all authors and their institutions **below the title** in a **smaller font size**.

10. Abstract Structure

- Your Poster must follow the **scientific format below**:
 - ✓ **Introduction**
 - ✓ **Objectives**
 - ✓ **Materials & Methods**
 - ✓ **Results** (including data & stats, if applicable)
 - ✓ **Conclusions**

11. Poster Updates After Acceptance

- If you need to make changes, send the **revised digital poster** within **1 week** of acceptance.
- Reply to the **acceptance email** with your updated file.

12. Acceptance Not Guaranteed

- Conference registration does not mean your poster will be accepted automatically.
- No refunds if your poster is rejected.

Digital Poster Format Guidelines

1. Poster Orientation

- **Must be VERTICAL** (like a traditional paper poster, [see the 2 examples below](#)).

2. Resolution & Size

- **Dimensions: 2160 pixels (Width) × 3840 pixels (Height) (Vertical 4K).**
- **File size: Max 50MB** (keep it high-quality but not oversized).

3. File Formats

- **Required: .JPG**

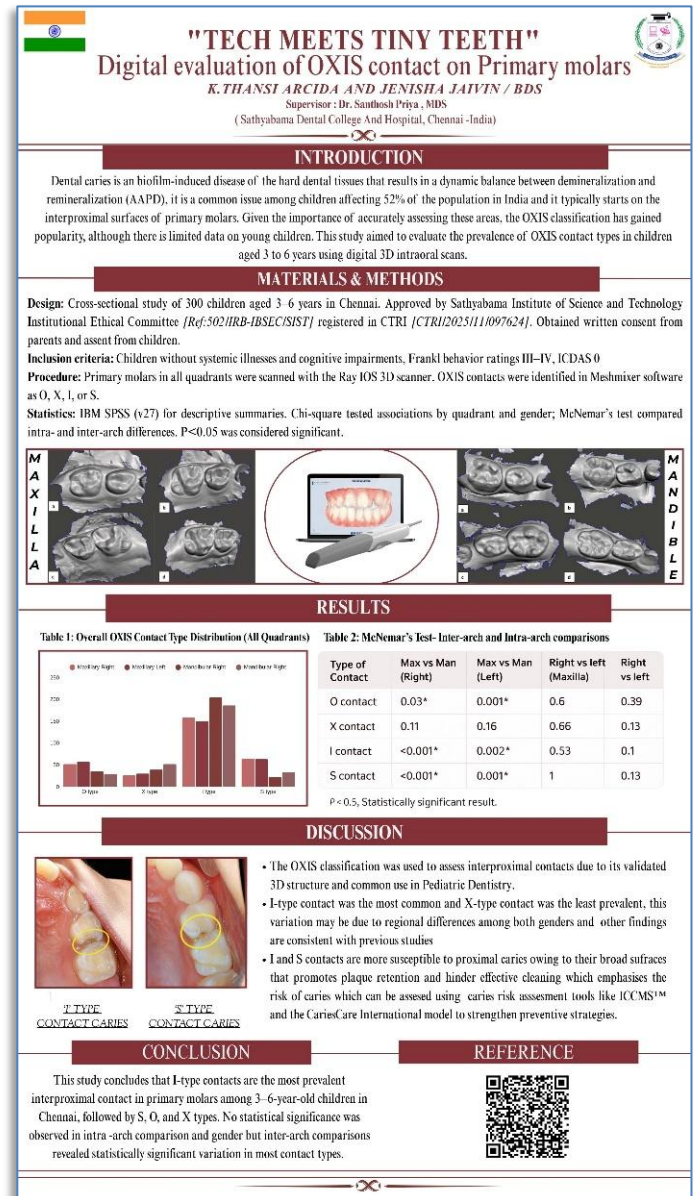
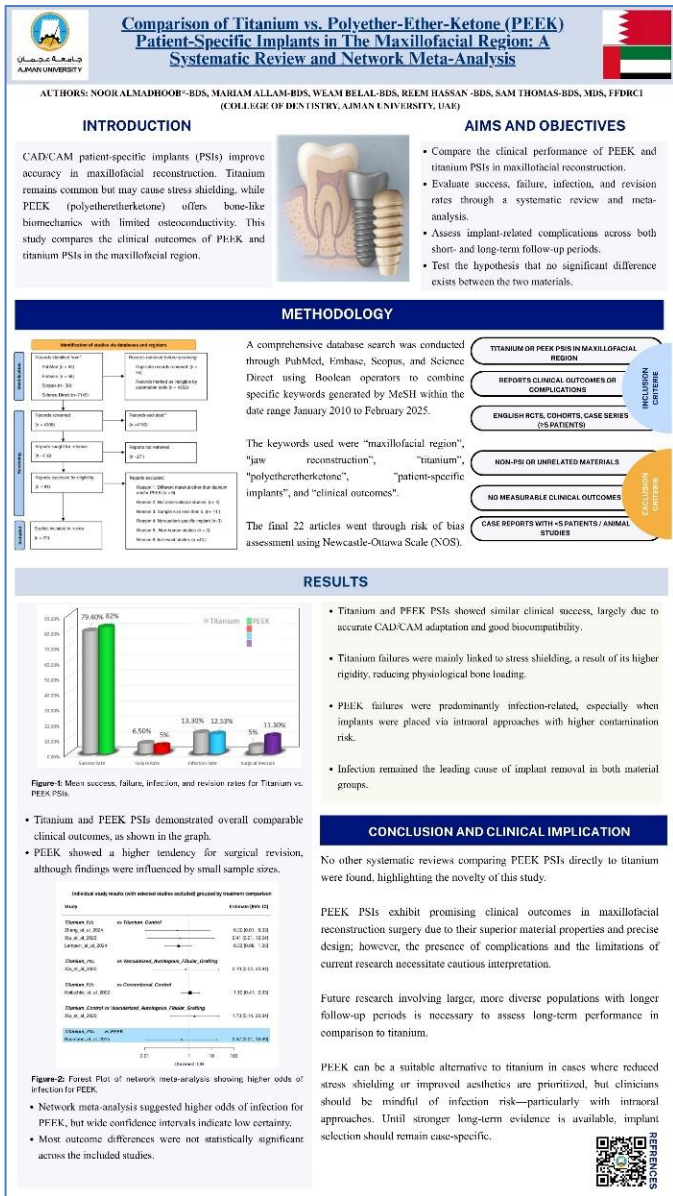
4. Font Size (Readability Matters!)

- **Minimum font size: 25pt** (so text is easy-to-read on screen).

5. Country Flag Requirement

- **Must include your country's flag** (represent where you're from).

Please follow the below two poster examples.



The First and Second winning posters of 2026, shown here with consent from authors.

General Poster Guidelines

Abstract Review Process

- The Ortho Scientific Review Board will evaluate all submitted posters.
- Participants will be placed into one of three sub-categories:
 - Poster Competition (**ONLY category to be considered for the prizes**)
 - Poster Display (No prizes)
 - Case Report (No prizes)

Poster Competition Technical Details:

- **Presentation Format:**
 - **7-minute on-stage PowerPoint Presentation** followed by **3-minute Q&A** with the Poster Judges.
 - **Date: 20th January 2027**



Photo from Poster Competition Presentation during AEEDC Dubai 2026

- **Schedule:**
 - Will be emailed to presenters and posted online.
 - Includes **Poster number, Screen number, and Display times** (for all 3 days).
- **Presenter Rules:**
 - Max **2 presenters** per poster (Primary Author + any Co-Author).
 - **Mandatory in-person attendance on 20th January 2027** (confirmed via email after acceptance).
- **Awarding:**
 - All Winners will be announced at the **AEEDC Awarding Ceremony (21st January 2027)**. Cash prizes will be given to winners during the ceremony. Winners' Names and Photos will be shown on the AEEDC Dubai website.

Certificates & Recognition

- **Registered Authors/Co-Authors:** Receive a **Certificate of Appreciation**.
- **Non-Registered Supervisors:** Can request a **To-whom-it-may-concern Letter**.

Poster Display Schedule

- Will be emailed and published on aeedc.com website, showing:
 - **TV / Screen number**
 - **Display times** (across 3 days).



How to submit your Poster

Step 1: Register for the Conference

- You must complete your **AEEDC Dubai 2027 Conference registration** before submitting. You are required to enter your valid, paid, CONFERENCE registration number for your poster submission to be accepted.

Step 2: Create Your Abstract Portal Account

- Visit [the Ortho Conference 2027 Abstract Portal](#)
- Click "**Create an Account**" from Top Menu and fill out your profile.
- You'll land on your **Dashboard** afterward.

Step 3: Start Your Submission

- From the top menu, select "**Submissions**" → "**Create new submission**".
- Choose "**Poster Presentation**".

Please note: Only 1 poster submission per author is allowed!

Step 4: Submit these 3 required items:

1. Your **Poster Abstract**
2. Your Ortho **Conference 2027 Registration Number**
3. Your **Poster File (.JPG format)**
(Check the General Poster Guidelines above for size/format requirements)

Step 5: Wait for Your Results

- We'll email you about your submission status 2-3 weeks after the deadline.
- Check your inbox (and spam folder) regularly.

Authors & Co-Authors

- The author who submitted the poster will be considered the **Primary Author**.
- A maximum of **3 Co-Authors** is allowed (*in addition to the Primary Author, for a total of 4 authors.*)
- Names of the co-authors must be added to the Abstract Portal before the deadline.

Adding Co-Authors:

- 1 **Log in** to your Abstract Portal account.
- 2 Go to "**Submissions**" → Select your abstract → Click the "**Authors**" tab.
- 3 From the left menu, click "**Add New Author**".
- 4 Fill in their details and **send the invitation**.

How to Get Your Poster Certificate

1. The Processing Period (3–4 Weeks)

Please allow 3-4 weeks after the conclusion of the event to finalize processing the data and start sending out the Poster Certificates for the primary authors.

2. Primary Author Action

Once they receive their certificates, Primary Authors must email us the details of their co-authors. We need:

- Full Name:
- Conference Registration Number:
(*No certificates will be issued for Trade Visitor registrations*)
- Email Address:

3. The Delivery Order

- First: We send certificates to all Primary Authors.
- Afterwards: We begin processing the Co-author certificates.

4. Co-Authors and Supervisors

Co-authors will receive their certificates 1–2 weeks after the Primary Author has submitted their details. Supervisors will get “To Whom It May Concern” Letters afterwards and upon request.

Thank you,

AEEDC Dubai Team