



Zambia  
Paediatric  
Association

**CALL FOR ABSTRACTS**  
**ZPA SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIUM, 2025**

The Zambia Paediatric Association, the apex professional organisation representing all the paediatricians as well as professionals from fields dedicated to the health and well-being of neonates, infants, children, and adolescents in Zambia, will host a **two-day** scientific conference as per the details below:

**Theme: *Sustaining child health gains through innovation, Resilience and local action.***

**Sub-themes:**

1. Strengthening the prevention and management of paediatric non-communicable diseases.
2. Improving paediatric health outcomes in infectious diseases like TB, HIV, malaria, etc., and vaccine-preventable diseases.
3. Managing data, research and policy in a new funding era.
4. Integrating AI methodologies in health systems to improve efficiency in resource utilisation for quality paediatric health care.
5. Leveraging AI for knowledge and capacity building in paediatric health care delivery
6. Creating public-private partnerships in child health delivery

**Date:** 21<sup>st</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> November 2025

**Time:** 08:00-17:00 on both days

**Venue:** Sandy's Creation Resort, Lusaka

This meeting will be attended by representatives from diverse disciplines and organisations dedicated to the well-being and health of children.

The Zambia Paediatric Association invites the submission of abstracts that align with the thematic areas above. Please send your abstracts to the Research and Publications Secretary, Dr. Hellen M'hango, via email at [scientific@zambiapaediatricassociation.org](mailto:scientific@zambiapaediatricassociation.org), copying [zambiapaediatricassociation1@gmail.com](mailto:zambiapaediatricassociation1@gmail.com). The format and vetting criteria are as indicated below:

| <b>FORMAT</b>  |
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| <b>Background, Methodology, Results, Conclusion (500 words)</b>                  |
| <b>Selection criteria: originality, methodology, relevance to thematic areas</b> |
| <b>DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: 12<sup>th</sup> of September 2025 at 23:59.</b>      |

Abstracts must be submitted under the title "Abstract Submission – Name of Main Author", e.g., "Abstract Submission – Joe Bwalya".

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