

Royal College of Psychiatrists in Scotland Forensic Faculty Conference 2026

Thursday 3 September 2026

Apex Grassmarket Hotel, 31-35 Grassmarket,
Edinburgh, EH1 2HS



Poster Presentation Guidelines

You should ensure your poster is up by 9am on the day of your presentation. Authors are requested to be present near/next to their poster boards during the coffee and lunch breaks, to allow for any possible clarifications or questions, but it is not a necessity.

Posters will be on display for the duration of the conference.

Please note - you are responsible for collecting your poster at the end of the day. If you are unable to do this in person, we recommend that you arrange for a colleague to collect the poster on your behalf or arrange for a courier to collect it.

- You will be allocated space on a board
- The ideal poster size is a maximum of **90cm wide x 120cm high**. (View sample).
- Posters should be professionally printed and will only be accepted for display if they are on one sheet only. Multiple sheets of A4 cannot be accommodated.
- All illustrations, drawings, photographs and text (including photo captions) should either be mounted or printed on smooth lightweight card 1mm thick or laminated. We recommend that posters are printed on one large sheet and, where possible, produced professionally.
- All material should be legible from a distance of TWO metres.
- The top line(s) should give the title of your abstract
- The next line(s) should indicate the authors and their affiliations.
- Continue with the introduction, methods, results and discussion as appropriate. The poster should end with conclusions.
- We will provide materials on the day for mounting the presentation on the poster boards.
- Handouts and/or reduced photocopies of your poster for distribution to interested delegates are always appreciated. These should be prepared in advance of the meeting. Please bring an envelope/clear folder in which you may place A4 reprints of your poster or relevant material

