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## 2019 APA Global Health Research Award DEADLINE EXTENDED

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**Nomination Process:** Abstracts must follow the format outlined below. The body of the abstract (excluding title, authors and funding source) must be no greater than 400 words in length: ♦ **Title:** Abstracts must be titled and include all authors ♦ **Background:** Concisely state why the health problem addressed by your research is important for improving global child health. ♦ **Objective(s):** Briefly describe the main objective(s) of your research. ♦ **Methods:** Describe how you conducted your study including the type of study design, population included, specific methods and statistical tests used. ♦ **Results:** Describe the results of your study and the statistically significant differences found. ♦ **Conclusions:** **State the most important conclusion(s) of your study, the relevance to the understanding of the health problem you are addressing and the potential impact on global child health.** Please indicate your project funding source(s) at the end of your abstract. **The methods and results sections are most important in evaluating your work; be as complete as possible.** Please submit only an abstract; accompanying papers will result in disqualification for this award.

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