**Guidelines for Submission to BSMS Health Education Conference 2017**

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* Originality & interest
* Structure & content

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