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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS TO SPECIAL SESSIONS

The Congress invites the abstracts into Special Sessions:

1. Viral hepatitis

The session is seeking abstracts for a special break-out session on Preventing and Controlling Chronic Viral Hepatitis in Circumpolar Populations. Papers are welcomed regarding the management of persons with chronic hepatitis B or hepatitis C infection. Topics could include health systems approaches to identifying chronically infected persons, efforts to improve access to care and compliance, use of clinical registries, screening for hepatocellular carcinoma, or the economics of treatment and policies regarding who is treated.

2. Water Security, Sanitation and Health.

The session is seeking abstracts for a special break-out session on Water Security, Sanitation and Health in Circumpolar Communities. Papers are welcomed on this topic and could include innovations and challenges to provision of water and sanitation services in northern communities, the epidemiology of water-associated health outcomes, climate-associated threats to water security and sanitation services, or public health regulatory issues on water delivery and waste disposal.

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