

**BIOG 1103 EVALUATION FORM FOR THE FIRST SUBMISSION OF POSTER**

**TEXT ASPECT OF POSTER**

	<b><u>Possible Points</u></b>	<b><u>Points Received</u></b>
<b>Title:</b>	(    )	_____
1) Clearly and exactly describes the research project.		
2) Includes the scientific name(s) of the research organism(s).		
<b>Introduction:</b>	(    )	_____
1) Provides background information organized from the most general to the most specific, including: - a rationale for the design of the study, - definitions of any special terms, - scientific name(s) or the research organism(s).		
2) States the purpose of the study including hypothesis(es) and prediction(s).		
3) Includes appropriate citations.		
4) Is organized, clear, concise, and accurate.		
<b>Methods:</b>	(    )	_____
1) Written in the past tense.		
2) Describes special equipment used.		
3) Describes the procedures used clearly.		
4) Figures, if used, are properly labeled and have adequate legend, and are cited in the text.		
5) Includes proper citations of adapted/copied methods, figures and statistical procedures.		
6) Is organized, clear, concise, and accurate.		

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<b>Results:</b>	(    )	_____

- 1) Written in the past tense.
- 2) Provides a verbal summary of the data without interpretations or explanations.
- 3) Tables (if used) are properly numbered and have adequate titles.
- 4) Figures (if used) are properly numbered and labeled, and have adequate legends.
- 5) Identical data are not presented in both a table and a figure.
- 6) Includes citations of all tables/figures used.
- 7) Is organized, clear, concise, and accurate.

<b>Discussion:</b>	(    )	_____
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- 1) Provides an interpretation/evaluation of the reported results with respect to the purpose of the study, hypothesis and predictions given in the introduction.
- 2) Conclusions are valid with respect to the reported procedures and results.
- 3) When appropriate, tables/figures in the results section are cited.
- 4) Provides a reasonable explanation for discrepancies between observed and expected results.
- 5) Considers future studies.
- 6) Is organized, clear, concise and accurate.

<b>Reference Citations:</b>	(    )	_____
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- 1) All sources are properly cited using APA citation format
- 2) Including primary literature article(s).

**VISUAL ASPECT OF POSTER**

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| 1) Good organization and flow of sections.   | (    ) | _____ |
| 2) Text size and typeface choice appropriate for each section (not too small even printed on paper sized 8 ½ " x 11"). | (    ) | _____ |
| 3) Balance of text and graphics coverage.  | (    ) | _____ |
| 4) Good use of colors.   | (    ) | _____ |
| 5) Good overall appeal.  | (    ) | _____ |

<b>TOTAL POINTS</b>	(    )	_____
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