

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

4th Annual Virtual Menstrual Hygiene Management in WASH in Schools Conference ("MHM in WinS")

Championing MHM in Schools Through Evidence and Advocacy

October 22nd 2015

The 4th Annual Virtual Menstrual Hygiene Management (MHM) in WASH in Schools (WinS) Conference will focus on the many levels of championing that are occurring around the world to move forward the MHM in WinS agenda. A solid body of research conducted across numerous countries and contexts has revealed the discriminatory nature of many school environments, with menstruating girls unable to adequately manage their monthly menses with safety and dignity. The conference will showcase research, programs, and advocacy from countries that are championing efforts to overcome the MHM barriers facing menstruating schoolgirls and female teachers in a variety of country contexts and at various levels.

* Details on Registering for the Conference will be sent out soon!

Abstract Submission:

Please submit an abstract by **August 10, 2015,** indicating your interest in presenting and outlining your proposed submission to: mhminny@gmail.com

The email submission must include the following:

- Contact: Name of contact person at submitting organization
- Abstract: One-page abstract detailing the content of your proposed presentation
 - o Title
 - Name of presenter, organization, country
 - Category of content (research, program, advocacy, or combination)
 - Ecological level(s) of relevance (e.g. individual, community, environmental, structural)
 - Preference will be given to submissions that highlight rigorous research, programs that have gone to scale, and examples of local/national/global advocacy that work

Timeline Summary

- **10**th **August**: Deadline for submission of abstracts
- 24th August: Authors notified if their abstract has been selected for presentation
- **11**th **September**: Submission of draft presentation and template (to be used in the conference publication)
- 22nd October: Conference



