

## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Join us for the **1<sup>st</sup> EuroQol Central and Eastern Europe Regional Meeting 2026** on 25-26 May at the [SGH Warsaw School of Economics](#) in Warsaw, Poland — a unique opportunity to connect, share insights, and explore the latest developments in EuroQol-related research.

The meeting aims to create opportunity to learn about the latest developments of EQ-5D instruments (educational symposium given by senior EuroQol Group members), share experience with using these instruments in CEE (including valuation, population norms and clinical studies), and link EQ-5D users across Central & Eastern Europe to foster new ideas and possible collaborations.

We invite researchers (early-career and senior), HTA practitioners, policymakers, and other EQ-5D users from across the Central & Eastern Europe region. The meeting will be held in-person.

### Abstract Submission

Research abstracts from all areas of health-related quality of life and outcomes research are welcome.

Priority will be given to submissions focusing on studies conducted in the Central and Eastern European region using the instruments developed by the EuroQol Group. Presentations on valuation studies, population norms studies, reviews of EQ-5D research in a given country, and abstracts on EuroQol-related research in innovative areas will be particularly welcome. We kindly invite you to submit an abstract (max. 500 words) through the [Abstract Submission Portal](#) by Tuesday, 24 February 2026, 23.59 CET.

The EuroQol Central and Eastern Europe Regional Meeting Organizing Committee will review all submissions and make decisions regarding acceptance. Note that each first author may submit a maximum of three abstracts for this meeting.

### Presentation Formats

#### Research Presentations sessions:

Authors of abstracts accepted for presentation at the conference will be required to prepare and deliver an oral presentation with slides, followed by a discussion. No poster session is scheduled in the programme.

### Participation & Travel Support

- The authors of accepted submissions will pay no participation fee and will have their travel and accommodation reimbursed.
- There is no registration fee.
- Lead authors of accepted presentations will be expected to book and pay for their flights or train. They will be reimbursed **up to 500 Euros** per regular Economy-class flight ticket (flex or open tickets are not eligible) after the conference (based on the purchase document).
- Lead authors of accepted presentations will be expected to book and pay for their hotel accomodation. They will be reimbursed **up to 160 Euros** per night, **maximum 2 nights** within the period May 24 – 27 2026, after the conference (based on the hotel invoice). The organizers will recommend (but not require) hotels near the conference venue, where special rates have been negotiated for conference participants.
- Social programme: social activities are planned for the evening Monday, May 25th and will be free for conference participants.

### Meeting Programme

The meeting will commence with an Educational Symposium given by senior EuroQol Group members on Monday, May 25<sup>th</sup> 2026 in the afternoon. It will be followed by Research Presentations sessions from CEE participants on Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup>. Furthermore, information on the final programme, registration procedure and meeting policy will follow soon.

### Timelines

Call for Abstracts Opens	2 February 2026
Abstract Submission Deadline	24 February 2026, 23:59 CET
Abstract Review	25 February - 9 March 2026
Notification to Authors	13 March 2026
Event Dates	25-26 May 2026

For any further questions or additional information regarding the 1st EuroQol Central and Eastern Europe Regional Meeting 2026, please contact: [EuroQol Central and Eastern Europe Regional Meeting Organizing Committee](#).

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