

**Guidelines for video case submission**

<b>Opening of Abstract submission:</b>	<b>February 23, 2026; 10:00 CET</b>
<b>Deadline for Abstract submission:</b>	<b>April 24, 2026; 23:59 CEST</b>
<b>Notification of acceptance/rejection:</b>	<b>by mid-July 2026</b>
<b>Deadline for confirmation/withdrawal/changes:</b>	<b>July 22, 2026</b>

**How to submit a video case:**

1. Video cases may only be submitted online via the conference website [Week | UEG - United European Gastroenterology](#). Abstracts sent by post, e-mail or fax will not be accepted (deadline of April 24, 2026).
2. Authors must follow the video case submission guidelines; non-compliant video cases will not be sent for review.
3. Video cases may be saved as drafts, but they must be submitted before the deadline; **only submitted video cases will be reviewed.**
4. The submission system will generate a temporary video case number upon submission that must be used in all correspondence. If you do not receive this number immediately after your submission, your abstract has not been registered. Please also check your spam folder if you have not received this number.
5. The e-mail address provided for video case submission must be fully functional and configured to allow all notifications from the UEG Headquarters Management and abstract management team.

**General guidelines:**

1. Video cases must be submitted and presented in English.
2. Please ensure that your video case does not contain spelling, grammatical or scientific errors, as it will be reproduced exactly as submitted.
3. **Patient privacy must be maintained.** Submitted videos must not display any identifying information, including patient names, ID numbers, dates, hospital details, etc.
4. By submitting a video case, the author agrees to present it at the session and time assigned by the UEG Scientific Committee. If an author cannot present, they should inform the organisers with a valid reason.
5. The reviewers will judge the video case according to the originality of work, the relevance to UEG Week 2026, standard of English, objectivity of statement, description of what was done, suitability of methods in relation to aims, conclusions confirmed by objective results, ethics, scientific value, potential clinical value and overall impression.
6. **Abstract Eligibility and Prior Publication:**
  - Video cases will not be considered for presentation if they have been published as a full article or paper or if they have been accepted for publication (including manuscripts) in printed or electronic formats upon the submission deadline.

- Video cases presented previously at national or international meetings may be submitted providing this is declared, but we particularly welcome work not previously presented at international meetings.

#### Content of an abstract:

1. The video case title should clearly indicate the nature of the investigation.
2. Abbreviations must not be used in titles, though they are acceptable in the text, provided they are explained upon first use.
3. Choose one primary topic from the submission system that most accurately reflects your video case.
4. The video case should be as informative as possible:
  - State the specific objective of the study.
  - State the methods used, if pertinent.
  - Summarise the results obtained.
  - State the conclusions reached.
5. The length of the video case abstract (incl. introduction, aims & methods, results, conclusion) **must not exceed 2,900 characters (incl. spaces)**. The title of the case, references and disclosure are counted separately. Authors and affiliations are not included in the character count!
6. The video file needs to fulfil the following requirements:
  - No sound
  - Minimum 6 minutes with a maximum of 8 minutes
  - Make sure to use a standard video format (e.g. MPEG, AVI)
7. The use of trademarks is prohibited; only International Non-proprietary Names (INN), e.g. generic drug names, are allowed.
8. Indicate a minimum of 2 to 3 keywords that reflect your abstract's content.
9. Statements such as 'data will be presented' instead of providing the actual data within the abstract will lead to automatic rejection.

#### Usage of Artificial Intelligence (AI):

1. Using publicly available generative AI as a basic tool to support authors in refining, correcting, formatting and editing texts is permissible. Authors must always consider copyright, privacy and confidentiality implications before uploading text and other information to generative AI platforms for permitted purposes. **Generative AI must not be used for any form of video creation, editing, manipulation, or analysis.**
2. Generative AI must not be used to create, alter, or manipulate original research data and results.

#### Conflict of interest:

1. As UEG intends to provide high-quality sessions focused on educational content that is free from commercial influence or bias, all potential conflicts of interest need to be declared.

2. The submitting author of a video case is **requested to declare any potential conflict of interest for all authors** during the abstract submission. Moreover, the authors' names (full first names, family names), gender and affiliation (places of work/institution, city, country) must be provided.

#### Registration and travel grants:

1. The **presenting author must register** for the congress **by September 23, 2026**, or withdraw the abstract. Accepted video case presenters benefit from the extended early bird registration fee and will receive a separate email from the official housing and registration partner.
2. The registration fee for the presenting author will not be waived.

#### Acceptance and rejection notification:

1. Notification of acceptance or rejection will be mailed to the submitter and the presenting author at the **e-mail address supplied on the submission form by mid-July 2026** at the latest.
2. Detailed information, guidelines and recommendations for oral presentation, as well as time allotment, date, hour and venue, will be sent closer to the congress date to presenting authors whose video cases are accepted at the meeting.

#### Presenter changes and withdrawals:

1. If the original presenting author is unable to present the video case, it is that person's responsibility to ensure that one of the co-authors takes over this role.
2. If you need to **change the presenting author or withdraw your abstract**, you can do so via the confirmation portal **until July 22, 2026**.
3. If you need to withdraw after the deadline of July 22, 2026, you are requested to provide a written statement reflecting the reasons for this decision to [uegweek.abstract@abstractserver.com](mailto:uegweek.abstract@abstractserver.com). Please note that UEG cannot guarantee any changes to its printed materials after the deadline.

#### Publication and copyrights:

1. Accepted video case abstracts will be published as a supplement, either in printed format, electronically or both, to the UEG Journal and online on the UEG Journal website and the UEG website. Accepted clinical cases will be published on the congress platform and the UEG website. UEG requires an exclusive licence to publish the accepted abstract, which you need to grant on behalf of all authors of the abstract as part of your submission of an abstract for UEG Week.
2. Please refer to the [Terms & Conditions](#) for information about UEG's Disclosure Policy (point 8), License to UEG for Publication of Abstracts (point 9) and Permission for Publication (point 10).

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**Further Information**

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