WSC POWERPOINT PRESENTATION GUIDELINES 2024

Slide Layout:

Your slides must be in the following order and include:

Slide 1 - Title Page

- Abstract Presentation Number (upper left corner)
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- Presentation title
- Your full name
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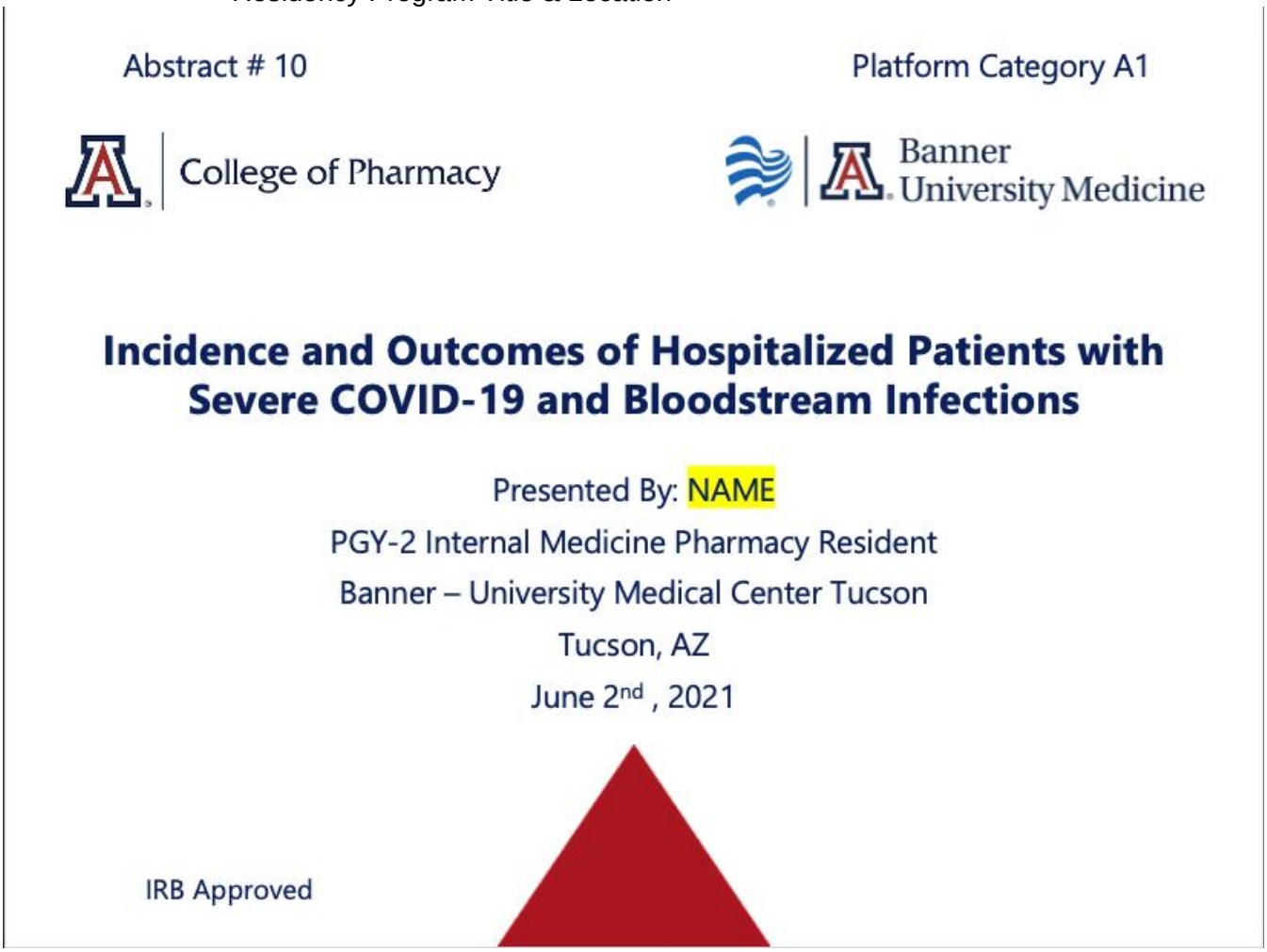

Slide 2 - Disclosure Statement (ACPE requirement)

- Full Name
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- Propriety Information (stating that research is subject to different interpretation)
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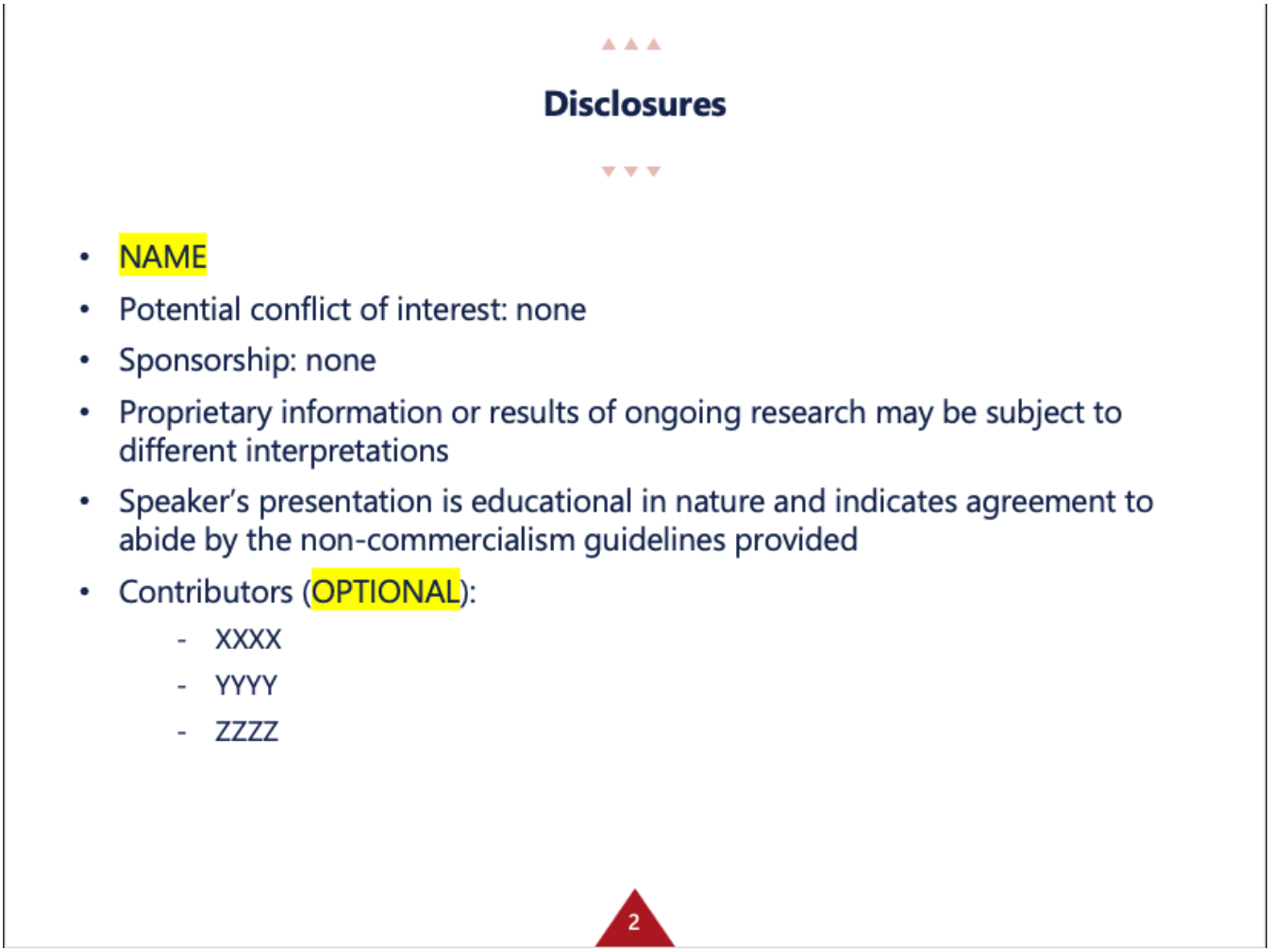


Slide 3 - Learning Objectives (as accepted by WSC)

- Objective 1
- Objective 2

Learning Objectives

By the end of this presentation, you will be able to:

- Identify the incidence rates of secondary blood stream infections (BSI) and blood culture contamination among severe COVID-19 patients
- Describe the risk factors associated with secondary BSI in patients with severe COVID-19 infection

Slide 4 – Institution

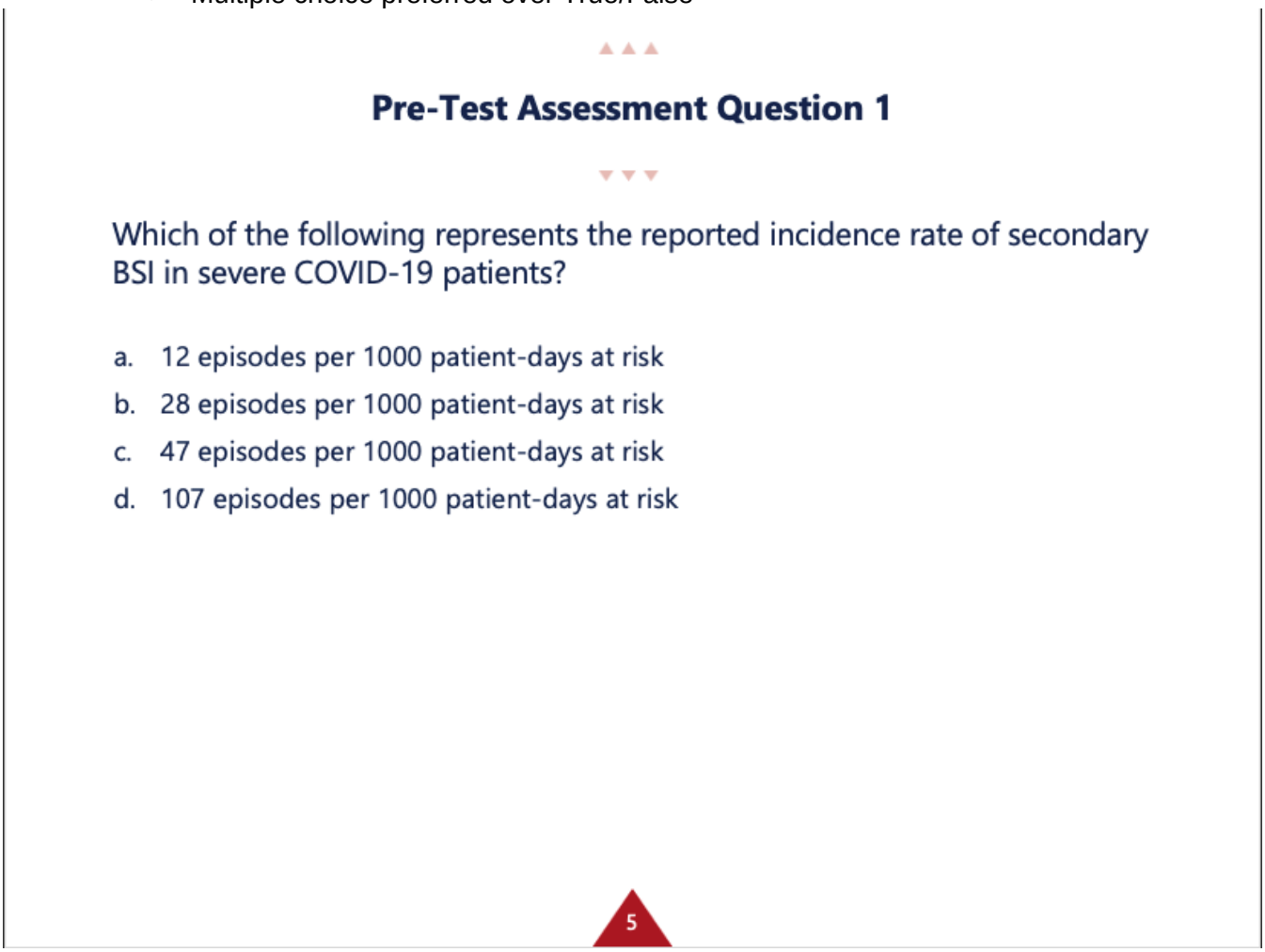
- Institution information
- Demographics (e.g. bed size, type of facility in relation to project)

Banner - University Medical Center Tucson

- Academic tertiary care medical center
- The first Level-1 trauma center in southern Arizona
- Tucson campus: 625 Beds

Slide 5-7 (or spread through presentation) – Three Learning Assessment Questions

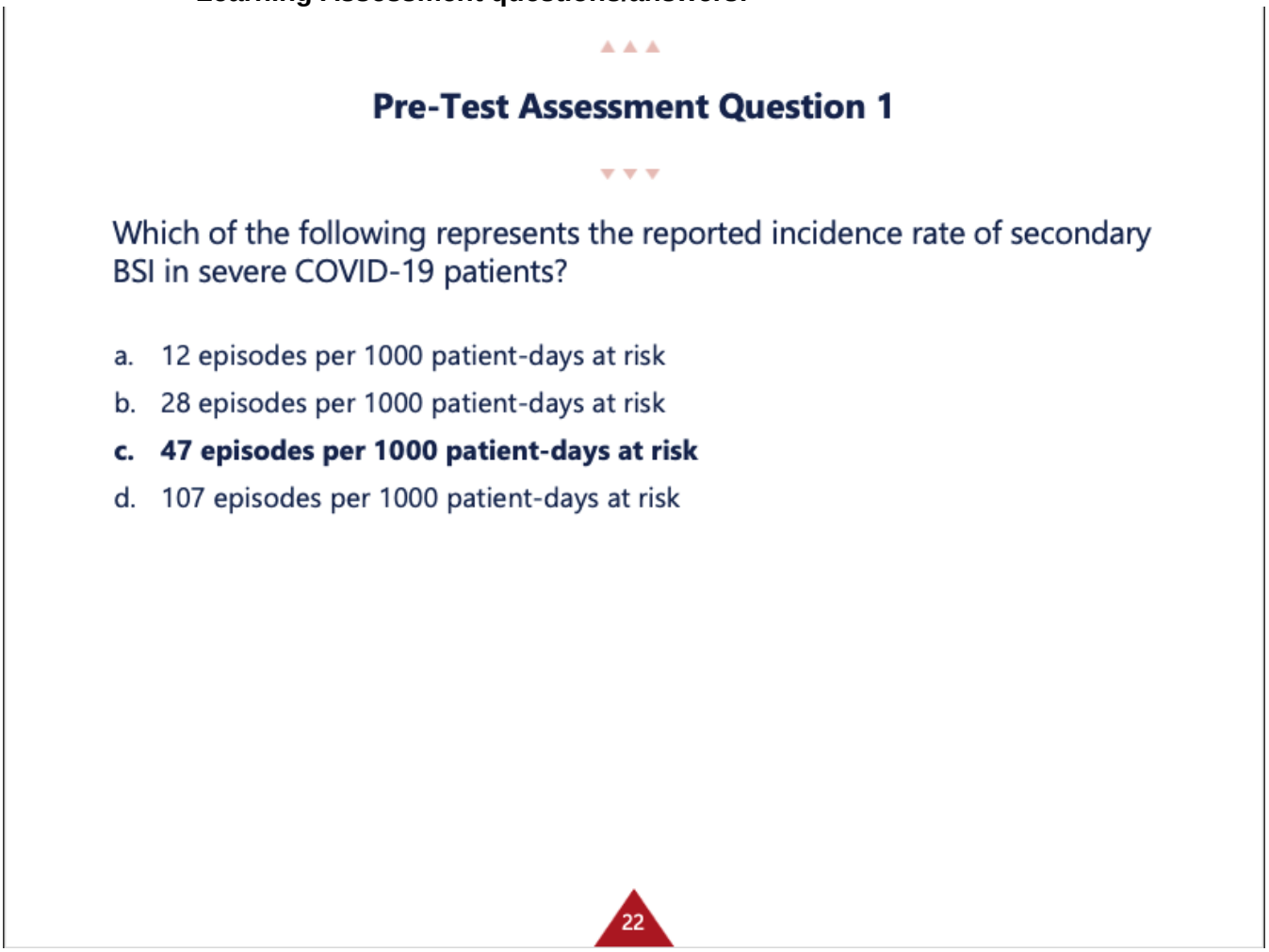
- Questions must relate to the category objectives you selected.
- Multiple choice preferred over True/False



Slides 8-X--Can be in any order depending on the nature of your presentation and project, may include:

- Study Objectives
- Research Background
- Research Methodology
- Research Results
- Conclusion
- Discussion

Last Slides (if not spread throughout presentation) --Three Learning Assessment questions/answers!



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