**Template for Case studies for ISHWMCON-2023**

ISHWM is inviting case studies from all healthcare organizations/ people working in the healthcare sector regarding their efforts to minimize waste and improve worker and environmental safety through better work practices.

Case studies can include any aspects of waste management (including all types of waste in the hospital), BMW management, needle stick injuries, (NSI), Solid waste management, liquid waste, immunization waste management, Covid 19 waste management, burn and non-burn technologies, HAI and BMW, hazardous chemicals, addressing occupational safety issues, challenges in reporting, capacity building etc.

This is the basic format for the presentation of the case study, but applicants can add/ remove any subtopics which they find relevant/irrelevant.

**[TITLE]**

[A single sentence summarizing what is included in the case study]

**[Abstract]**

[5-6 lines to summarize the learnings from the efforts, quantitative and qualitative (whatever possible)] from baseline that is the start of the initiative

**[Case Study]**

[Detail your case study in 2-3 pages. Please include the following information (and include photographs wherever possible):

* A description of the issue or challenge your facility faced
* Relevant policy changes or action plans/ other drivers which triggered changes
* A description of the solution(s) your facility implemented (with details on - time frame, cost involved, manpower commitment, departments engaged, internal and external aid and expertise required etc.)
* A description of the implementation of the selected solution
* A summary of lessons learned from implementation and tips for fellow hospitals
* Any results that have been achieved from implementation
* Any future plans regarding the initiative.

[NB: You are welcome to include pictures or any other supporting information you think is relevant.]

REFERENCES

For more information about the above case study, please see the [Organization name] website at http://.

CONTACT INFORMATION

[Provide contact information for a point of contact at your facility]