

Please check these points before you give the presentation.

English text

- Use correct spelling
- Use correct grammar
- Use definite and indefinite articles (“the”, “a”) correctly
- Use English tenses correctly
- Use short, simple sentences
- Use correct spacing
- Use only single-byte characters (半角文字)

Slides

- Use sufficiently large font
- Avoid busy slides (limit the amount of text per slide)
- Limit the number of graphics (tables or figures) to 1 per slide
- Limit the number of slides (max. 2 slides per minute)
- Do not skip slides (delete slides that will not be used)
- Do not include patients’ initials or other personal information

Delivery

- Do not speak too slow or too fast
- Articulate clearly
- Pay attention to intonation and avoid flat presentation
- Do not use any Japanese (e.g., えっと、あのぉ)
- Speak into the microphone
- Avoid reading the text directly from the slides
- Do not look down at your notes or PC too much
- Face the audience and make eye contact (do not face the screen too much)
- If you use a laser pointer, hold it steady and do not overuse it
- Use only real English terms (no 和製英語) and the English pronunciation of terms (not pronunciation based on German or French)

Q&A

- If you do not understand the question, ask for repetition
- If you do not know the answer, do not keep silent but clearly state that you do not know

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