Information for Authors of the papers to be submitted for the International Conference on Research and standardization in the field of development and use of personal protective equipment, 12 – 14 September 2005, Cracow, Poland

- 1. Send texts by e-mail to: Anna Borkowska, anbor@ciop.pl
- 2. Use MS-Word
- 3. Length of paper
 - plenary paper: up to 8 pages
 - other papers: 4 6 pages
- 4. Page lay-out
 - A4 page
 - 2.5-cm margins
 - line-spacing: 1.5
 - words not divided at the end of a line
 - flush-left style
- 5. The text
 - first name and last name of author(s), degree, affiliation
 - standard style
 - 11-point type, Times New Roman font
 - abstract
 - sample levels of heading, as for example:
 - 1. Introduction
 - 2. Methodology
 - 2.1. Draft questionnaire
 - 2.2. Statistical analysis
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 - 5. Discussion and conclusions
 - for emphasis: boldface, italics (no underlining)
 - equations in the text should be numbered (in parentheses)
 - enumeration: dashes or black dots
 - footnotes indicated with consecutive Arabic numerals

6. Tables

- 10-point type, Times New Roman font
- no emphasis such as different font, grey background, underlining
- single-spacing
- thin single lines
- table titles immediately under the table, lowercase letters
- tables with consecutive numbers

7. Figures

- figures in Corel, Visio or Photoshop, embedded in the text
- all legends and axis labels: 10-point type, no italics, no boldface
- size of figures appropriate for content
- figures with consecutive numbers

8. References

References should be numbered consecutively in the order in which they are first mentioned in the text. For other details on references see the *Uniform Requirements for Manuscripts Submitted to Biomedical Journals* at www.icmje.org