Here is a generic Case Report Outline – *just to get you started*

1. Introduction
   1. This is where you will state the learning outcomes for your report if you are using it for a teaching case report
2. Academic Context
   1. describe (cite evidence) what medical community already knows about case, what the gaps are, and any other information from your literature scan. Use 3-5 in text citations to provide evidence for claims made in this section. Use AMA format. Include pathophysiology, epidemiology, diagnostic process, guidelines, gold standards etc., as appropriate to your case.
3. Clinical Case
   1. Using a timeline, be explicit about when, and what happened on the time continuum
   2. Referring to the timeline, describe pertinent presentation and examination findings, labs, images, other diagnostic test results.
   3. Discuss medical management – how was diagnosis decided, who was involved, what was the treatment and follow-up, what was the outcome?
4. Discussion
   1. Compare and contrast your academic and clinical sections, highlight significant medical management, challenges, make recommendations. If you used learning outcomes, respond to those with your discussion.
5. Conclusion
   1. highlight key discussion points, state key recommendations, finish with a call to action reflecting on the importance of the case and which professionals it could impact.

Figures, Images and Tables – usually 3-4 per report is acceptable. If you are doing a poster think about how you will place these visuals to “tell your story” and catch the attendee’s eye.