

# **Nurse Researcher Award**

### Description

This award recognizes an individual nurse who has made significant contributions to the profession of nursing, particularly the specialty of emergency nursing by conducting research, disseminating research findings, or using research to improve outcomes.

#### Requirements

- Nominee must be an ENA member.
- Nominator must be an ENA member.
- Two narrative statements (each addressing five separate criteria listed below) written by two different individuals. One narrative must be written by the Nominator.
- CV / Resume summary <u>of the Nominee</u> (please see page 2 in the Achievement Awards Handbook for a list of specific information needed).

To save time in preparing for EN24: in case your nominee receives the award, if possible, please email the nominee's current headshot photo, 8x10, high resolution/300 dpi (no iPhone/smartphone photos) to <u>AnnualAwards@ena.org</u>. However, this is not mandatory.

## Narrative Statements / Criteria

#### Please do <u>not</u> include the name of the nominee in the narrative statements.

- Each response must be limited to a maximum of 200 words.
- Develop responses in a word processing program such as Microsoft Word, use the WORD COUNT checker to ensure your responses are limited to 200 words, as well as the spell-check option. Then copy and paste responses into the online nomination form.

#### Narrative statements should address each criterion listed below:

- 1. A description of how the nominee demonstrates professional characteristics of an emergency nurse while collaborating with colleagues in the work setting for a minimum of three years.
- A description of how the nominee actively participates in:
  a) research activities that have added to the scientific base of emergency care. OR
  - b) application of research findings in the implementation of evidence-based practice in emergency care.
- 3. A description of how the nominee disseminates research findings through publication in professional journals, textbooks, or presentations at professional conferences.
- 4. A description of the development or implementation of a sustained program or project that had a positive impact on the specialty of emergency nursing.
- 5. A description of the development or implementation of a program or project that affected health care within a community, region or nationally in which positive patient outcomes resulted.

## To access the application

- Login to your ena.org account <u>https://portal.ena.org/openprograms</u>
- Locate 2024 NURSE RESEARCHER AWARD.
- Click on "View" to begin the application process.

If you have any questions, contact <u>AnnualAwards@ena.org</u>