



Nursing Competency in Aging Award

Description

This award recognizes a nurse who has demonstrated outstanding commitment to the care of the older adult in the emergency care setting and/or the older adult in a community program.

Requirements

- Nominee must be an ENA member
- Two narrative statements from two different individuals addressing the five separate criteria listed below. At least one narrative must be written by an ENA member
- Curriculum vitae / Resume summary of the Nominee (please see the Achievement Awards Handbook for a list of specific information needed)

Narrative Statements / Criteria

Narrative statements should not include the name of the nominee.

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
2. A description of how the nominee demonstrates expertise in nursing care of older adults through one or more of the following roles: mentor, preceptor, resource or educator
3. A description of advocacy efforts the nominee has participated in to enhance regulation and enforcement to prevent injuries and deaths of older adults
4. A summary of the creation or dissemination of education to nurses or the public on the care of older adults
5. A description of the application of research or evidence-based practice that results in positive outcomes in the care of the older adult or influences public perception of the needs of older adults

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