



Rising Star Award

Description

This award recognizes a new ENA member (membership fewer than five years) who has made a significant contribution to ENA as exhibited by promotion of ENA as the professional organization for emergency nurses at the local, state, national or international level.

Requirements

- Nominee must be a new ENA member (fewer than five years from the date of nomination).
- Nominator must be a State or Chapter President.
- The narrative statement (addressing the four separate criteria listed below) written by the nominee's State or Chapter President.
- CV / Resume summary of the Nominee (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 AnnualAwards@ena.org. However, this is not mandatory.

Narrative Statement / Criteria

Please do not 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.

The narrative statement should address each criterion listed below:

1. A description of the high level of enthusiastic engagement demonstrated by the nominee as an ENA member through the promotion of membership, program participation or educational role modeling for professional colleagues.
2. A description of the nominee's actions that have resulted in significant contributions to ENA at the local, state, national or international level.
3. A description of how the nominee advances / promotes [ENA's Healthy Work Environment](#) initiative to educate, support and/or advocate for a healthy and safe work environment for emergency nurses.
4. A description of how the nominee has actively supported ENA's mission and readily shares their knowledge and expertise with others:

ENA's Mission Statement

The mission of the Emergency Nurses Association is to advance excellence in emergency nursing.

To access the application

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

If you have any questions, contact AnnualAwards@ena.org