

2011/12 Nurse of the Year Award

Call for Nominations

The CAHF Nurse Council is seeking nominations from the membership for the 2010-11 Nurse of the Year Award, to be presented in November 2011 during the CAHF's Annual Convention. The winner of the award will also receive free registration and be recognized at the DON Conference in 2012.

The Nurse of the Year Award is designed to recognize an outstanding individual who has dedicated her or his professional career to the field of long-term care.

NOMINATION GUIDELINES:

- RN or LVN with at least five years experience in the long-term care setting.
- Innovative in dealing with resident and staff issues, and in the delivery of nursing care in the long-term care setting;
- Dedicated to continuing professional growth in the long-term care field
- Currently employed by a CAHF member home or facility
- Nominees may not currently hold a statewide office in the CAHF Nurse Council.

Nominations must be submitted to CAHF by **August 31, 2011**.

This nomination form may be submitted in MS Word format as an e-mail attachment to jrye@cahf.org, or in hard copy, written format by mail to: CAHF, Attn: Jack Rye, 2201 K Street, Sacramento, CA 95816 or fax to (916) 441-6441.

Questions? Call Jack Rye at (916) 441-6400, Ext. 116; or e-mail jrye@cahf.org.

2011-2012 NURSE OF THE YEAR AWARD

Award Nomination Form

Nominee Information

Name:

Address:

City:

Zip Code:

CAHF facility served:

Provider type:

Number of beds:

Job title:

For approximately how many years has this person been involved in nursing?

For approximately how many years has this person been working in long-term care?

List the nominee's current job responsibilities:

Provide a brief description of the nominee's work experience as a long-term care professional, including current and past employers, job titles, and approximate dates of employment:

List any special accomplishments or achievements in nursing:

Give specific examples of how the nominee has excelled, including (1) nominee's impact on resident health, safety and quality of life, (2) programs developed and/or supported which enhance quality of care or nursing services within the facility, and/or (3) nominee's interaction with supervisors, peers and subordinates.

Explain in 200 words or less why you believe this nominee deserves to receive CAHF's Nurse of the Year Award. (Be specific about outstanding traits and accomplishments.)

If this nomination was not completed by the nominee's administrator/supervisor, please provide a written statement from that person regarding how this nominee has excelled and why she/he should be recognized.

Nomination completed by:

Name:

Title:

Facility:

Address:

City:

Zip Code:

Phone #:

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