



NP of Distinction Award Nomination Criteria

The NP of Distinction Award: specifically recognizes a CANP member who demonstrates excellence in furthering the nurse practitioner role, either in legislative efforts or clinical application.

Below is a list of the criteria for in a NP of Distinction candidate:

- An active NP Full, Emeritus or Senior member of CANP
- A nurse practitioner who has demonstrated exemplary professionalism in the nurse practitioner role in either clinical practice, research or community affairs.
- A nurse practitioner who embodies the ideal: excellence as a role model, source of hope and encouragement to other NPs, and has made exceptional contributions to the health care community
- A nurse practitioner who furthers the legal/professional standard of the nurse practitioner
- A nurse practitioner who has worked diligently in the education and recognition of the consumer of the nurse practitioner concept.

Categories of consideration include:

Education, Administration, Management, Clinical Service, Peer Assistance & Role Modeling, Public Area / Consumer Education, Political / Legislative Area

Nomination Form:

Name of Nominee: _____

Contact E-mail / Phone of Nominee: _____

Chapter of Nominee (if applicable): _____

Name of Person Nominating / Chapter / Committee: _____

Please also include with Nomination Form:

- A 500 word submission on the nominees' qualifications & justification(s) for the award.
- Nominees' CV

Submission Information:

Deadline for Submission: **December 1, 2012**

Send by email to Erin Meyer at erin@canpweb.org

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