**Accepting Submissions**

Compassion and Valuing Every Person

7th Annual event in honor of Dr. Anthony Thomas, Jr

Hosted by Center for Bioethics

****Please share your experience in healthcare regarding actions of compassion or actions that demonstrate the valuing of a person. We want to learn from you about the wisdom and power of compassionate human interactions that allow flourishing, amplify voices who have been less seen, and give rise to unexpected kindnesses. Further background about previous event information in this series can be viewed at [<http://www.clevelandclinic.org/anthonythomas>]

**Submission Categories:**

1. Story, Reflection or Testimonial ($250)
2. Short Poem ($100)
3. Long Poem ($250)
4. Visual Art Presentation ($250)

We will award up to 4 prizes and invite winners to present their submission at the annual event on September 26th at 5:00 pm. Please RSVP [here](https://www.ticketleap.events/tickets/compassionevent/compassion-and-valuing-every-person-1413655977). We are excited to announce that **Yulanda Prude** be the keynote speaker. Here is a [recent article](https://thedaily.case.edu/prchns-yulanda-prude-earns-recognition-for-mental-health-first-aid-efforts/) about Yulanda.

Yulanda Prude

Keynote Speaker

Associate Director, Cuyahoga County Youth Work Institute

**Who is eligible**: Patients, Family/Friend of Patient, Cleveland Clinic employees, others who are directly connected with Cleveland Clinic.

**Award:** In addition to the opportunity to present at the event, selected speakers will be awarded a monetary prize.

**Submission Due Date: June 30, 2024**

**How to Submit: Please click the link or scan the QR Code to submit an entry.**

 **LINK:** [**https://forms.office.com/r/utFabAw7cZ**](https://forms.office.com/r/utFabAw7cZ)

**QR Code:**

**Questions:** Please email Sundus Riaz at riazs2@ccf.org

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