The Stanley Shalom Zielony Institute for Nursing Excellence

Nursing Leadership Award Nomination Form
Local Award

NOMINEE:_________________________________________ TITLE:_________________________________________
HOSPITAL/AMBULATORY LOCATION:___________________ DEPARTMENT:__________________
YOUR NAME:_______________________________ TITLE:________________________________________________
HOSPITAL/AMBULATORY LOCATION:___________________ DEPARTMENT:__________________
EXTENSION/PAGER:_____________ RELATIONSHIP TO NOMINEE:_____________________________________
EMAIL:_________________________________________________________________________________________

Purpose: The Zielony Nursing Institute Nursing Leadership Award is presented in recognition of the exemplary leadership skills exhibited by any clinical nurse in a nursing administrative position (such as manager or director). This award recognizes excellence in leadership, focusing on Cleveland Clinic Values: Teamwork, Innovation, Service, Quality, Compassion and Integrity.

Eligibility: Any Clinical Nurse in a nursing administrative position for at least one year (such as manager or director) who has been in a leadership position in the Cleveland Clinic health system (or newly acquired hospital).

Process: Any employee, physician, patient or volunteer may nominate. Recipients will be selected on the basis of evidence provided by completion of the nomination eligibility criteria.

Award: The award winners will be announced and presented during Nurses’ Week.

Instructions: Please DO NOT use the nominee’s name when writing details: Address as the NOMINEE. Please cite specific examples including patient and physician comments. Answer each question completely, providing specific examples or descriptions as requested. When possible, provide quantitative data to support examples. If you require more space, attach a sheet to the nomination form.

1. Describe how this nominee has modeled outstanding leadership behaviors based on the values of Cleveland Clinic: Teamwork, Innovation, Service, Quality, Compassion and Integrity.

2. Provide an example of how this nominee has been identified by their peers, subordinates, coworkers and physicians as an outstanding leader.

3. Provide an example demonstrating how this nominee has modeled leadership and multidisciplinary collaboration resulting in performance or process improvement.

4. Provide an example detailing how this leader has elevated the professional image of nursing.

5. Describe how this leader supports and leads quality initiatives through strategic and/or quality initiatives that align with the Professional Practice Model.