

The Stanley Shalom Zielony Institute for Nursing Excellence**Professional Development and Education Award Nomination Form
Enterprise 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 Professional Development and Education Award is presented in recognition of the skills, talents, expertise, commitment and personal attributes of nurses striving toward professional development and advancing the education of others: patients, families, community and colleagues.

Eligibility: **Any Clinical Nurse employed in the Cleveland Clinic health system** (or newly acquired hospital) **for at least three years.**

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 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 the nominee demonstrates excellence in educating patients, family, the community or colleagues.
2. Describe how the nominee possesses superior knowledge of nursing as perceived by students, peers and the public. (Examples: Resource in the work environment or demonstrates clinical leadership.)
3. Provide examples of how the nominee advances the science of nursing through clarifying, refining and/or expanding the knowledge base of nursing (i.e. research projects, projects implementing evidence based practice).
4. Provide a list of publications where the nominee is a writer, reviewer or editor.
5. Provide examples that show how the nominee is committed to increasing their own professional development and the professional development of others.