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POLICY & PROCEDURE

PATIENT SAFETY AWARD

POLICY

1. The Patient Safety Award will be awarded annually.
2. The Awards and Scholarship Committee Chairperson will screen each nomination to ensure fulfillment of the stated criteria.
3. The Awards and Scholarship Committee will select the most qualified nominee through blind review of the screened nominations.

PURPOSE

Recognize excellence in contributing to patient safety.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. Candidates for the award will be nominated.
2. Be a current full member of the American Nephrology Nurses Association (ANNA), having been a member for a minimum of the last two (2) years as of the Awards/Scholarship application deadline.
3. Actively involved in nephrology nursing related health care services or works as direct patient care nurse in nephrology.
4. Active participation in ANNA as a full member at local and / or National level.
5. Commitment to patient safety in clinical practice.
6. Evidence of contributing toward improved patient safety through utilization of relevant evidence-based nephrology nursing practice, using the current edition of ANNA *Nephrology Nursing Scope and Standards of Practice* as a guide.

AWARD

1. \$2,000 Award
2. Plaque

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