

Delta Lambda ($\Delta\Lambda$) Chapter Sigma Theta Tau ($\Sigma\Theta\tau$) International

Criteria

The Mae J. Hamilton Nursing Excellence Award Nominations

1. Purpose: To recognize nursing excellence in one of the following areas: nursing practice, research, education, or administration.
2. Funding: To be budgeted by the Finance Committee and approved by the Executive Board.
3. Award Criteria:
 - A. Membership in Sigma Theta Tau, Delta Lambda Chapter, for a minimum of two years.
 - B. Attended at least one Chapter activity per year.
 - C. Demonstrated excellence by:
 - a. Positive change in nursing practice.
 - b. Contribution to the body of nursing knowledge through research and/or publication.
 - c. Exceptional contribution to the education of nursing students.
 - d. Innovative leadership and management in nursing practice.
4. Process:
 - A. An active Chapter member will submit the nomination including:
 - a. A description of the nominee's excellence in nursing (identified in the award criteria).
 - b. The nominee's current vitae.
 - c. Award Committee reviews submitted document and makes a recommendation to the Executive Board.
 - d. The Nursing Excellence Award will be presented to the nominee who best meets the above criteria.

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Recommendation

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Name of Nominee: _____

Area of Excellence: Practice Research
(Please circle.) Education Administration

Name of Nominating Member: _____

Association with Nominee: _____

Nominee's Degree(s), Date(s), Institution(s): _____

Please describe the manner in which the nominee demonstrates nursing excellence based on the above Award Criteria.

- Limit the description to 2 type-written pages (one side only).
- Attach the vitae and the description to the nomination form.

Signature _____ Date _____