



ORNAA Muriel Shewchuk Excellence in Leadership (Alberta) Application Form

Criteria Information

Award description:

The "Muriel Shewchuk Excellence in Leadership Award" is to be presented to an Alberta Operating Room Nurse who has demonstrated outstanding and consistent commitment to the specialty and the nursing staff of the operating room(s) through leadership roles in the area of clinical excellence, supervision and /or education as a role model and mentor. The award is presented to honor Muriel Shewchuk who spent over 42 years dedicated to Perioperative Service in Alberta.

Guidelines:

- This award is administered by the ORNAA Awards Committee (given only if there is a suitable candidate).
- The Muriel Shewchuk Excellence in Leadership award will include a plaque.
- Marcia Shewchuk or representative will make the award presentation at the **biennial ORNAA conference**.

Eligibility:

- Must be an operating room nurse with CNA certification, CPN(C).
- Must be active ORNAA member.
- May be a nurse clinician, nurse manager, nurse educator or nurse director.
- A Muriel Shewchuk Excellence in Leadership nomination form must be completed. As per the nomination form, the nominee must be nominated by at least one registered nurse who writes a supporting letter that demonstrates how the nominee fulfills the criteria of the award. **This letter must be signed by the nominator and at least two other registered nurses.** Forward complete nominations to ORNAA Awards chairperson. Contact education@ornaa.org to obtain mailing address of ORNAA awards chairperson.
- Nominations must be received by **September 1st** of the conference year.

Supporting Letter & Awards Criteria *:

- The Nominee demonstrates professional excellence in operating room (OR) leadership
- The ORNAA Awards selection committee will look for specific concrete examples in the supporting letter of how the nominee (each one is scored out of 15): * Adapted with permission from CARNA Awards Website
 - A. Empowers OR staff/colleagues to actively participate in assessing, planning, implementing, and evaluating nursing care
 - B. Promotes an OR work culture that is positive, challenged, and involved
 - C. Leads by example demonstrating respect, integrity, and collegiality
 - D. Demonstrates commitment to continuous education and/or nursing research
 - E. Has positivity influenced change in health care delivery related to the operating room
 - F. Promotes effective relationships within multi-disciplinary health care teams in the OR setting
 - G. Actively advocates for nurses and nursing in the OR setting

Nominee Information

Full Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

Street Address

City _____ Province _____ Postal Code _____

Home Phone: _____ Alternate Phone: _____

Email: _____

ORNAA District: _____ Active Member Please (Circle): YES NO

CNA Certification
Please (Circle) :

YES

NO

Year Certified /
Recertified:

Place of
Employment:

Work Phone:

Nominator Information

Full Name:

Signature:

Address:

Street Address

City

Province

Postal Code

Home Phone:

Alternate Phone:

Email:

Place of Employment:

Relationship to
Nominee:

Nominator Information

Full Name:

Signature:

Address:

Street Address

City

Province

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Home Phone:

Alternate Phone:

Email:

Place of Employment:

Relationship to
Nominee:

Nominator Information

Full Name:

Signature:

Address:

Street Address

City

Province

Postal Code

Home Phone: _____ Alternate Phone: _____

Email: _____

Place of Employment: _____ Relationship to Nominee: _____

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Date Received: _____
ORNAA Member (Circle): Y N
CPN © (Circle): Y N Year: _____
One Nominator with supporting letter and 2 additional Registered Nurse Signatures (Circle): Y N

- Awards Committee scores candidate out of 105 (15 points for criteria A-G)
- Nominee Attending ORNAA Conference:
- Nominee Notified:
- Marcia or representative Notified:
- Plaque and Certificate Made:
- Nominee Information & Picture for Snips & Snaps: