



Mark New Quiet Achiever Award

2024

Call for Nominations

ACNN members are invited to nominate colleagues for the Mark New Quiet Achiever Award, in recognition of their engagement in ACNN and dedication and commitment to neonatal nursing and improving clinical outcomes through clinical practice improvement, evidenced-based practice or research.

Nominated neonatal nurses will have met the minimum criteria and one or more of the additional criteria:

Minimum criteria

- Has been engaged in activities associated with ACNN
- Has engaged in activities aimed at improving outcomes for neonatal nursing and/or clinical care
- Is considered as a quiet achiever (individuals who do not actively seek recognition or celebration but quietly work away on important issues, causes or tasks).

Additional criteria

- Has demonstrated translation of research into clinical practice
- Has been involved in neonatal research or clinical practice improvement
- Has built research capacity within their neonatal environment by mentoring colleagues
- Has presented (oral or poster) at a local, national or international conference
- Has published as first author in a peer-reviewed journal

Eligibility

- Current financial member of ACNN and has been a member for a minimum of two (2) continuous years before nomination
- Has actively contributed to ACNN through Special Interest Group/s, Branch or National committee
- Has completed postgraduate study
- Has **not** been an invited speaker at a national or international conference

Nomination Process

- Outline why the member is considered a quiet achiever and address the minimum and additional criteria (if relevant)
- Email the nomination to the professionalofficer@acnn.org.au. All nominations received will be acknowledged by email within 72 hours. In not acknowledged, please resend.

Award

The winner will receive \$1000 in recognition of their achievement.

Enquiries to the professionalofficer@acnn.org.au

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