



## Exceptional Nurse

Nominee Name:

Organization:

Nominated by:

Approved by Service Excellence Council? **YES**

**Exceptional Nurse:** Celebrates a nurse who demonstrates extraordinary clinical skill, empathy, and commitment to Service Excellence, serving as a role model for peers.

### What makes this individual an exceptional nurse?

As you craft this nomination, please keep the following criteria in mind and provide specific examples whenever possible:

- Behaviors that distinguish this individual from other nurses
- Ability to be a difference maker as a clinician, leader, role-model and/or advocate
- Provides exceptional care that addresses not only clinical needs but also patients' personal, emotional, and psychosocial concerns
- Builds strong, meaningful connections with patients, families, and customers through empathy and trust
- Acts as a positive role model for colleagues and peers across the organization
- Contributes to improved employee morale and helps strengthen organizational culture
- Enhances the organization's reputation and community perception through exemplary practice and professionalism
- Consistently goes above and beyond standard expectations in the delivery of patient care and support

Submission must be at least 250 words in length.  
Content should stand on its own to support the nomination.

Once approved by your Service Excellence Council, this nomination (along with a photo the nominee would be proud to have displayed) must be submitted through our awards website at [www.HCSECawards.com](http://www.HCSECawards.com). No handwritten entries will be accepted.