

RCH NURSING AWARDS 2009

ADVOCACY & LEADERSHIP IN FAMILY-CENTRED CARE AWARD

This award is open to all RCH nurses who demonstrate a child and family-centred approach to nursing care.

Children, families and members of the healthcare team are invited to nominate nurses for this award.

Criteria for this award include:

- **Developing effective partnerships with families and children by:**
 - Working with staff in clinical areas to ensure that a family-centred approach is practiced.
 - Ensuring that carers are recognised, respected and valued as equal partners.
 - Ensuring that all members of the healthcare team are recognised, respected and valued for their contribution to care.
 - Supporting formal and informal feedback about care through active participation of staff, patients and families in evaluating and improving practice.
 - Using a variety of data sources to determine service needs and areas for improvement.

- **Developing a workplace culture that is child and family-centred by:**
 - Working collaboratively with all members of the interdisciplinary team.
 - Engaging with stakeholders to receive feedback about workplace effectiveness.
 - Showing a willingness to share expertise and knowledge with others.
 - Recognising contributions from all members of the clinical team.
 - Enhancing the experience of time at RCH through the nursing care delivered to children and their families.

Please forward completed nomination forms by Friday 17th April 2009 to:

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Executive Assistant to Jenni Jarvis
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INTERNATIONAL NURSES DAY
NURSING AWARDS 2009 - APPLICATION FORM
NURSES & HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

DETAILS OF NOMINEE

Given Name:		Surname:	
Staff Title		Postcode:	
Work Telephone:		Mobile:	
Email:			
Previous Study or Research Undertaken:			
Other Awards/Grants and in which Year:			

CATEGORIES

Please choose the award you are nominating (✓)

Advancing the Profession of Nursing Award	
Advocacy & Leadership in Family-Centred Care Award	

DETAILS OF NOMINATOR

Given Name:		Surname:	
Staff Title		Department:	
Work Telephone:		Mobile:	
Email:			

As the nominator and addressing each award criteria, please complete the following:-

Reason for Nomination: _____

How does this nomination align with the award criteria: _____

If you are undertaking a **self-nomination**, please attach any supporting documents that you feel may support your nomination (eg. Manager's Reference, etc.)

SUBMISSION PROCESS

Nominations to be submitted by Friday 17th August 2009. Late applications **will not** be considered.

Please forward to:-

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Clinical Executive Office

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