

Oncology Nursing Society Excellence in Care of the Older Adult With Cancer Award

Grantor: Oncology Nursing Society

Closes: 10/31/2010

Maximum: \$1,000.00

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Award: Monetary award of \$1000 and a plaque.

Purpose: To recognize and support an oncology nurse who demonstrates age sensitive health interventions, quality care, and symptom management to older adult patients with cancer.

Nominee's Eligibility Criteria:

The candidate must meet the following criteria:

Be a registered professional nurse (staff nurse, advanced practice nurse) and an active ONS member

Have at least two years of oncology nursing experience

Currently practice in an adult oncology based setting

Criteria: The scoring criteria for judging this nomination packet is as follows:

Demonstrates evidence of significant contributions to age sensitive health interventions, quality care, and/or symptom management for the older adult with cancer

Participates in continuing education to strengthen his/her knowledge about the older adult patient and oncology nursing practice

Shares information with other professionals that was learned from continuing education offerings, and contributes to evidence based practice changes in his/her work setting

Participates in patient education activities

Serves as a role model for age sensitive health interventions, quality care, and/or symptom management for the older adult with cancer

Designs and implements innovative clinical practice improvements based on specific needs of patients, families and/or caregivers

Application deadline: October 31, 5pm ET.

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Categories: Aging, Cancer, Chronic Diseases, Continuing Education, Distinguished Service, Evidence-Based Medicine, Geriatrics , Health Care Innovations, Mentorship, Nursing, Patient Education, Quality Improvement, Staff Development

Audience: Oncology Nurse, Registered Nurse