

## International Award for Contributions to Cancer Care

**Grantor:** Oncology Nursing Society

**Closes:** 8/16/2010

**Maximum:** \$2,000.00

International Award for Contributions to Cancer Care (EX04)

**Award:** A \$2,000 award, one coach airfare to ONS annual Congress, one-day per diem for Congress, and a plaque.

**Purpose:** To recognize a Registered Nurse (RN) (or equivalent) who has contributed to the improvement of cancer care in a country outside the United States.

**Selection Criteria:** The candidate must be a Registered Nurse (RN) (or equivalent) who works and resides outside of the United States of America, working in any setting, who has contributed to the improvement of cancer care in one or more of the following areas: clinical practice, research, education, or administration. Examples of contributions include but are not limited to: Creating and implementing a program that has had an impact on cancer care in a country other than the United States, e.g., patient education program, clinical procedure/skill, and pain management.

1. Demonstrating involvement in initiating or supporting a professional oncology organization (e.g., cancer society, nursing organization, cancer coalition).
2. Influencing the practice of cancer care nursing care, e.g., advocate for cancer survivors through influence on government policy/media, publications.
3. Creating a change in health care and/or education standards in nursing practice, e.g., requirements for administration of chemotherapy.

Nominee not required to be a member of the Oncology Nursing Society.

**Application deadline:** August 16, 2010, 5pm (ET).

For more information on any of the ONS awards, contact ONS at [customer.service@ons.org](mailto:customer.service@ons.org). Both nominees and nominators will be notified once an application is received.

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**Link:** <http://www.ons.org/Awards/ONSAwards/InternationalAward>

**Categories:** Cancer Control, Chronic Diseases, Disease-Specific Research, Distinguished Service, Educational Exchange, Global Health, Health Care Innovations, Health Services Research, International Exchange, Medication Administration, Oncology, Oncology Nursing, Pain Management, Patient Education, Quality Improvement, Quality of Life, Travel Grants

**Audience:** Oncology Nurse, Registered Nurse