

2025 New Jersey League for Nursing Nurse Recognition Awards Program Criteria and Nomination Process

NOMINATION PROCESS:

1. Any healthcare facility, school of nursing, corporation or individual in the State of New Jersey may submit an application for consideration, including self-nomination.
2. The official [NJLN Nurse Recognition Award application form](#) must be completed, and CV/Resume must be submitted by Monday, September 8, 2025.
3. The NJLN Nurse Recognition Award Committee will review all applications and select the award recipients. All committee selections will be considered final.
4. Have questions regarding the nomination process or criteria? Email: info@njln.org

CANDIDATE CRITERIA:

Award nominees are required to meet the following guidelines:

1. Agree to have their name submitted for consideration of a recognition award.
2. Be currently licensed in the State of New Jersey, as a Registered Nurse or Practical Nurse.
3. Be employed in the State of New Jersey, by a healthcare facility, educational institution, health care or professional nursing organization, or self-employed. Retired individuals are also eligible.
4. Demonstrate excellence in nursing practice through direct or indirect patient health care, or education of nurses, or nursing leadership.
5. Serve as a role model exhibiting outstanding leadership skills, caring behaviors and nursing responsibilities.
6. Has made an outstanding contribution to nursing practice or education with specific examples defined. These may include, but are not limited to, community activities, public service, or exceptional experiences involving health care.
7. Must be a current member of a professional nursing organization (ex. NJLN, NLN, ANA, or any state or national organization).
8. Individuals currently serving on the NJLN Board of Directors are not eligible for nomination.

NURSE RECOGNITION AWARD PRESENTATION:

1. Candidate Award recipients will be notified and are expected to attend the NJLN Nurse Recognition Awards ceremony. The NJLN Nurse Recognition event will be held on Friday, November 7, at the Pines Manor in Edison, NJ.
2. Award winners must agree to allow the New Jersey League for Nursing to use their name, career achievements, and photographs for publicity purposes.
3. Each recipient will receive a complimentary event ticket to attend. Additional tickets are available for purchase.

Awards Will Be Presented At Our Recognition Event On November 7, 2025
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[Click Here to Complete the 2025 NJLN Nurse Recognition Application Form](#)