



The Canadian Society of Palliative Care Physicians (CSPCP) Humanitarian Award Criteria and Submission Information 2019

Summary

The Humanitarian Award will be given annually to a CSPCP member who significantly improves the lives of underserved populations nationally or internationally, through:

- a) Direct service provision AND/OR
- b) Development of humanitarian programs

The humanitarian work does **not have** to be in the field of palliative medicine, but the nominee must be a palliative medicine physician.

The winner will receive one year of free membership in the CSPCP, a commemorative plaque, and presentation of the award during the 15th Annual Advanced Learning in Palliative Medicine Conference in Calgary (May 23 – 25, 2019). Prize: A donation of \$1000 to a humanitarian organization selected by the winner.

Criteria and Submission Information:

The Humanitarian Award recognizes physicians who have made a difference to underserved populations nationally or internationally, through direct service provision and/or development of humanitarian programs. The humanitarian work **does not** have to be in palliative medicine.

1) Any **physician** who is a **member in good standing with the CSPCP** and who has been practicing palliative care medicine for a minimum of 3 years is eligible. He/she must be nominated by at least two colleagues, one of whom is a member in good standing of the Canadian Society of Palliative Care Physicians.

Past nominees may be re-nominated.

Exclusions: Current CSPCP Board members and members of the judging committee cannot be nominated. Members of the judging committee cannot be nominators or referees.

2) Nominations should be made via the **online nomination form** provided here:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PJNLMRB>

The nominee should be aware of and agree with the submission. The nominators should confirm with the nominee that he/she is a member in good standing with the CSPCP.

3) The submission deadline is **February 1st, 2019**. Receipt of the nomination will be confirmed.

Judging

The winner will be selected by the CSPCP Awards Committee, with approval from the CSPCP Board. Selection of an annual winner is contingent on nomination of outstanding candidates.