

Fredrickson-McGregor Education Foundation for LPNs  
**Laura Crawford Excellence in Nursing Practice Award**  
**NOMINATION PROCESS**

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**The Award:**

The Laura Crawford Excellence in Nursing Practice Award is a \$1000 cash award presented annually at the CLPNA Spring Conference to the nominee who best displays excellence in nursing practice.

The award was established in 1994 to honor Laura Crawford for her strong belief in and commitment to Licensed Practical Nurses. Through education, Laura motivated LPNs to demonstrate excellence in nursing practice by improving their knowledge and skills.

**Eligibility Criteria:**

Nominees must reside in Alberta, hold an Active Practice Permit and be in good standing with the CLPNA. They must have actively practiced for at least five years and be currently employed as an LPN. Nominees must consistently demonstrate excellence in practice through the following attributes:

- Demonstrates exemplary nursing knowledge, skills, attitude and judgment
- Demonstrates and promotes an atmosphere of teamwork by example and seeks opportunities to support co-workers
- Shows pride in being a part of the profession and demonstrates professional behavior
- Advocates for the client and makes the client the centre of all actions
- Demonstrates commitment to life-long learning and seeks opportunities to increase his/her knowledge and skills
- Mentors team members to increase their knowledge and skills.

**Nomination Process:**

Nominations are accepted from employers or colleagues. The following must be submitted:

- Section 1: LPN & Nominator/Sponsor Information
- Section 2: A written statement describing specific examples related to the Eligibility Criteria

Nominations will be reviewed by the Selections Committee of the Fredrickson-McGregor Education Foundation for LPNs. The Award recipient will be announced at the CLPNA's 2009 Spring Conference. The Nominator/Sponsors of the Award recipient may be notified in advance in order to ensure the Award recipient attends the Ceremony. **Only complete applications will be forwarded to the Selections Committee for review.** For questions, please contact Foundation Secretary Sherri McLellan at (780) 484-8886 ext.243 or [sherri@clpna.com](mailto:sherri@clpna.com).

**Submission Deadline: February 7, 2010**

By mail: Fredrickson-McGregor Education Foundation for LPNs  
Attn: Awards Selection Committee  
13163 146 St  
Edmonton, AB T5L 4S8

By Fax: (780) 484-9069

By Email: [sherri@clpna.com](mailto:sherri@clpna.com)

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**SECTION 1: LPN and Nominator/Sponsor Information**

**NOMINEE INFORMATION**

LPN's Name:	CLPNA Registration #:
Address:	
City:	Postal Code:
Daytime Phone No.: (      )	Graduation Year:
Place of Employment:	
Email:	Signature:

**NOMINATED BY (Primary sponsor and contact person)**

Name:	CLPNA Registration #: (If LPN)
Address:	
City:	Postal Code:
Daytime Phone No.: (      )	Fax: (      )
Place of Employment:	
Relationship to Nominee:	Position:
Email:	Signature:

**SPONSORS:** Sponsors must be in addition to the Nominator.

- Sponsors must be over 18 years and not related to the Applicant.
- If possible, Nominator or one Sponsor should be an Employer, past or present.

**Sponsor #1:**

Name:	CLPNA Registration #: (If LPN)
Daytime Phone No.: (      )	Fax: (      )
Place of Employment:	
Relationship to Nominee:	Position:
Email:	Signature:

**Sponsor #2**

Name:	CLPNA Registration #: (If LPN)
Daytime Phone No.: (      )	Fax: (      )
Place of Employment:	
Relationship to Nominee:	Position:
Email:	Signature:



