**Nurse Cervical Screening Provider Awards**

2019 marks the fourth triennial awards for Nurse Cervical Screening Providers in Victoria!

This year we will be giving awards in four different categories, all of which will be open for nomination. The categories are:

* **Commitment to under screened groups** – Nurse cervical screening providers who have shown exceptional commitment and dedication to educating and screening women at greatest risk (e.g. Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander women, culturally and linguistically diverse women, women with disabilities, women in remote or rural communities and other marginalised groups).
* **Excellence in preceptorship** – Nurse cervical screening providers who are registered as a preceptor with the Victorian Preceptor Program and who provide excellent tuition, support and role modelling to training nurse cervical screening providers. This category must be nominated by student nurses who have completed their training between 2016 and 2019.
* **Service improvement and innovation** – Nurse cervical screening providers who have initiated a service or system in their practice that demonstrates commitment to quality improvement (e.g. nurses specifically identifying women eligible for self-collected cervical screening tests or nurses who develop Plan, Do, Check, Act activities to improve their practice or service).
* **Nurse of the year –** an award to recognise the overall achievements of individual nurse cervical screening providers in the delivery of outstanding patient care.

**Please complete the 2nd page of this form to nominate an outstanding nurse cervical screening provider.**
A panel of Cancer Council Victoria and Victorian Preceptor Program members will assess nominations.

**Who can nominate**
Employers, managers, team leaders, colleagues and students are eligible to submit nominations in relevant categories.

**Criteria for nomination**
The nurse/s you nominate must be a Victorian Certified nurse cervical screening provider and currently practising as a nurse cervical screening provider.

**Nominations close 5pm, Friday 30 August 2019**

The awards will be presented at the Nurse Metro Professional Development Day being held at the Jam Factory in South Yarra on November 22nd 2019.

For further information please contact Catherine Hone at certification@cancervic.org.au or on 03 9514 6446.

**Nurse Cervical Screening Provider Awards: Nomination Form**

Please use a separate form for each individual nomination. Please select only **ONE** of the following categories.

Please tick:

* Commitment to under screened groups
* Excellence in preceptorship
* Service improvement and innovation
* Nurse of the year

**Nominee (the person you would like to nominate)**

**Name of nurse: …………………………………………………………………………………………………………
Name of organisation: …................................................................................................................................
Suburb of organisation: ……………………………………………………………………………………………..**

**Tell us about the nominee. How have they demonstrated excellence in this category?**

**Nominator (your details)**

**Name: ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………
Name of organisation: .…………………………………...…………………………………………………………..
Suburb of organisation: ……………………………………………………………………………………………...**

**Signature: …………………………………………………………………… Date: …………………………………**

**Relationship to nominee (please circle or bold):**Employer Manager Team Leader Colleague Student
Other, please explain: …………………………………………………………………………………………………..

**If nominating a nurse for excellence in preceptorship, please provide the date you completed your nurse cervical screening course: …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………**

**All nurses that have been nominated will be notified.**

Please return completed nomination form to Catherine Hone no later than **5pm, Friday 30 August 2019** via:
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