



Campbell River Spirit Awards - 2023

It's that time again!! We are now planning the **2023 Spirit Awards** to honour and celebrate local physicians and individuals/agencies who bring excellence to our community. Based on feedback from our first event we have made a few changes to the categories and event format to ensure it is sustainable for many years to come. Please visit the physician's lounge to see the beautiful display of last year's winners.

Our team is currently planning an event on **Saturday September 16th, 2023**; further details and invitations will be sent out closer to the date. This spirit-boosting social event is an initiative to recognize the dedication, passion, talent, and tireless efforts of those working locally to provide significant contributions to meaningful healthcare initiatives. We look forward to seeing you there.

NOMINATIONS: Members of the Campbell River Medical Society Engagement Initiative and the Campbell River & District Division of Family Practice are eligible to nominate a person for an award. Soon we will have paper copies of the nomination form in the physician's lounge and will also circulate an online nomination form via e-mail, which will be made available on our websites.

PROCESS FOR CHOOSING WINNERS:

- Winners are chosen by majority voting from physicians who participate in the nomination process - the physician who receives the most votes in that category is declared the winner.
- In the case of a tie, or where a physician wins several awards, a selection committee will determine the winners. The selection committee will consist of the Spirit Awards planning committee, plus three or four physician members. If you would like to participate on the selection committee, please contact:
 - Janet MacDonell at: campbellriver@facilityengagement.ca or
 - Nicole Veerman at: NVeerman@crddivision.ca
- NOTE: There is a limit of one award per physician per year.

Find a full description of all 12 Spirit Awards on the next page.

Sent on behalf of:

Dr. Marissa Dry and Dr. Natasha Rafo
Physician Leads - 2023 Campbell River Spirit Awards



NOMINATION CATEGORIES:

Based on feedback from prior events, we have the following categories for the 2023 awards:

PHYSICIAN AWARDS (1 WINNER PER CATEGORY)

Superhero Award: This award recognizes an individual in the community that goes above and beyond to promote a healthy community. The Superhero award is modelled after a superhero as they possess abilities beyond those of ordinary people, and typically use their capabilities to help the world become a better place.

Lifetime Achievement: This award honours a passionate and dedicated physician, who during their career, has made substantial contributions and significantly impacted the promotion of health and wellness in the local community.

Excellence in Technology: This award celebrates an individual who demonstrates excellence in technology development and/or implementation that improves patient care.

Leadership: Presented to a role model who personifies authenticity, respect, fosters diversity, and consistently contributes to the stewardship and/or empowerment of others.

Remote and/or Outreach Champion: This award recognizes and celebrates an outstanding individual or a group that makes a difference in any remote community.

Excellence in Patient Care: Awarded to an outstanding individual who best demonstrates exemplary dedication to patient care in their practice and/or community.

Innovations in Patient Care: This award is designed to recognize an individual that has contributed to local innovations or improvements in practice or healthcare delivery to improve the quality of patient, family, and community care experiences.

Excellence in Partnership: This award recognizes an individual working towards partnerships with stakeholders, improving collaboration, mutual understanding and trust.

Excellence in Education & Competency: This award recognizes an individual or group who has made outstanding efforts in health education.

AWARDS OPEN TO NON-PHYSICIANS & PHYSICIANS (1 WINNER PER CATEGORY)

Unsung Hero Award: This award celebrates an individual with commitment, consistency, and excellence, and has previously been unrecognized, often working behind the scenes.

Community Advocacy & Integrity: This award recognizes the contributions of an individual, group, or organization working to transform, educate, empower, and support individuals in the community through advocacy and awareness.

Mystery Award: This category is open to create an award not currently listed or to provide a one-time only award opportunity.