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## American Society for Pain Management Nursing® Humanitarian Award

### **Purpose:**

The ASPMN® Humanitarian Award, established in 2010 by the ASPMN® Board of Directors is presented to an individual in recognition of their outstanding involvement and dedication to the community through their voluntary service.

### **Selection and Notification:**

All nominations or applications and accompanying documents must be submitted via the online application site by the deadline noted on the website. The Achievement and Recognition Committee will review applications/nominations to select the recipient.

The following format and criteria will be used to select an individual for recognition at the American Society for Pain Management Nursing® National Conference.

### **Eligibility Requirements:**

Nominees must:

- Be a member of ASPMN®.
- Demonstrate ethical integrity that includes behaviors such as fairness and honesty.
- Demonstrate a commitment to further the betterment of the world community through voluntary service. The volunteer project must be an existing project of a minimum of 1 (one) year, not a start-up project.

**Process for Application:** Nomination must be submitted by an ASPMN member.

1. Complete online application form
2. Nomination letter from an ASPMN® member which highlights the nominee's commitment to the betterment of the world community through volunteer service. The nomination letter should include a description of the voluntary humanitarian activity, the date(s) and the approximate number of hours, specifying if the hours are per week, per month, or for a one-time event. The nomination letter should also include an explanation of how the project influenced the lives of those served.
3. One letter of support for the nomination.
4. Letter of verification from the organization that describes the project and the compassion and dedication that the nominee showed to the project.
5. Letter from the nominee which indicates how the service that they provided impacted their career.
6. A current copy of the nominee's curriculum vitae.

### **Award:**

- Complimentary registration to the ASPMN® National Conference
- Recognition at the ASPMN® National Conference
- Recognition in ASPMN®'s *E-News*
- Check in the amount of \$100.00 to the organization in which the volunteer experience was performed.