

New Mexico Dental Hygienists' Association
Dental Hygienist of Excellence
Award

Application Cover Page



The NMDHA's Dental Hygienist of Excellence Award recognizes outstanding achievement and dedication of a dental hygienist for **over 15 years** to the profession of dental hygiene in New Mexico.

Additional attachments may be used.

Nominee ADHA Member ID# _____

Year of Dental Hygiene Graduation_____

Name _____

Address

Day Phone _____ **Evening Phone** _____

Email _____

Nominee should be able to be present for awards ceremony at NMDHA Annual Scientific Session, held each fall. Look on nmdha.org for the exact date closer to the time of the NMDHA Scientific Session

Section I Leadership Experience

If using additional attachments for this section, please make sure the information is properly labeled according to the categories below.

Do not refer to your nominee by name. All applications are scored blindly by the awards council.

The Nominee or Nominator can complete this application.

Central (HDDHS), Eastern, Northern, Southern, and Tres Rios Component Officer/Council Experience:

Officer Positions held: Year(s):

Council Positions held: Year(s):

NMDHA~ Constituent Officer/Council Experience:

Officer Positions held: Year(s):

Council Positions held: Year(s):

ADHA~ National Officer/Council Experience:

(Include ADHA Delegate/District Trustee Experience)

Officer Positions held: Year(s):

Council Positions held: Year(s)

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Section II Community Service

On a separate attachment or piece of paper, discuss **community service activities related to dental hygiene** in which your nominee has been an active participant. Include the **level of involvement** and **outcome, if applicable**.

Section III Association Activities

On a separate attachment or piece of paper, describe **how your nominee has contributed to the advancement of the association** other than offices held, council positions, or council work. Include **detailed descriptions** on specific activities including *level of involvement, time commitment, and outcomes*.

Section IV Membership Presentations

On a separate attachment or piece of paper, **list and provide a description** of any **membership presentations** made by your nominee. (CE, leadership development, legislative updates, etc.)

Section V Essay

On a separate attachment or piece of paper, **write an essay** (300 words) detailing the **contributions and how this nominee has demonstrated excellence to the profession of dental hygiene in New Mexico**.

NOTE






This application will be evaluated by the NMDHA Awards Council. Each application is blinded and scored by a panel of three (3) judges. The application will be evaluated based on the responses in each of the following sections:

- Section I Leadership Experience
- Section II Community Service Activities
- Section III Association Activities
- Section IV Membership Presentations
- Section V Essay

Each section will be evaluated independently to achieve a total composite value for each nominee evaluation. The total composite score from all council members will determine the recipients of the award.

Please allow ample time for completing the application and provide detailed information for each section.

Application checklist

-  Completed Cover Page
-  Section I Leadership Experience
-  Section II Community Service Activities
-  Section III Association Activities
-  Section IV Membership Presentations
-  Section V Essay