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## 2007 AWARDS

**Deadline: April 16, 2007**

The Association for Healthcare Philanthropy Canada is continuing with its awards program that was introduced in 2006, to build upon the tradition of excellence established by the Showcase Awards that were presented from 1991 to 2005.

Entries are encouraged from all AHP members in good standing. Self-nominations are welcome. If nominating someone else, please seek that person's permission prior to submission.

A national team of judges, comprised of AHP members, will select the winners whose names will be announced at the AHP Canada Regional Conference at the Deerhurst Resort, Muskoka, ON. The conference will run from May 13-15, 2007 with the theme, Enhancing Health Care: From the Lakefront to the Forefront. The AHP Awards Banquet will be held on Tuesday, May 15 in conjunction with the Health Care Public Relations Association (HCPRA) Hygeia Awards.

### 2007 Awards Categories:

#### ***Culture of Philanthropy Award*** (maximum 40 points)

This award will be presented to an organization that can demonstrate:

- Creative ways to raise awareness about philanthropy and its value to the organization. (1-10 points)
- Innovative and collaborative strategies to engage all stakeholders in philanthropy. (1-10 points)
- Evidence that people at all levels of the organization understand and are committed to fulfill their role in the development and philanthropic process, such as hospital staff including CEO, volunteers and development staff. (1-10 points)
- How these efforts have translated into a positive public profile and increased financial support for the organization's vision and mission. (1-10 points)

#### ***Outstanding Development Program*** (maximum 40 points)

This award will be presented to an organization that can demonstrate:

- Outstanding governance and leadership. (1-10 points)
- Donor-centred programs that help meet the community's needs. (1-10 points)
- Efficiency and effectiveness of philanthropic and fundraising initiatives. (1-10 points)
- Encouragement and motivation to staff and volunteers to take leadership roles in professional organizations and/or the community. (1-10 points)

#### ***Healthcare Fundraising Professional of the Year (2 awards)*** (maximum 40 points)

**Small Shop:** One or two full-time equivalent (FTE) staff

**Large Shop:** Three or more full-time equivalent (FTE) staff

Candidates must be an AHP Canada member in good standing. The nomination should include:

- Description of career achievements. Candidates must have at least five years of professional healthcare philanthropy experience. (1-10 points)
- Evidence of outstanding leadership, teamwork and innovation. (1-10 points)
- Information regarding financial results, stewardship and accountability (1-10 points)
- Details of candidate's commitment to ongoing professional development including certification (CFRE, FAHP), conference participation, publication and professional education. (1-10 points)

## AHP Canada 2007 Awards – Entry Form

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Use a separate form for each entry. Judges can disqualify entries that fail to meet evaluation criteria, are missing an entry fee, are entered in the wrong category, or are incomplete. AHP Canada's Awards Chair and Judges' decisions are final. Members of the selection team will not be involved in judging submissions from their own organization.

Category: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominee's Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Hospital/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Name** (if different) \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Hospital/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Checklist:

- Completed entry form for specific category.
- Maximum 1,500 words of narrative covering the four bullets for the category. Nominations may be submitted by email; however, the entry fee must be received by the April 16 deadline for the entry to be eligible for judging.
- \$65 entry fee. If an organization is entering more than one category, separate cheques are required and must accompany the submissions. Cheques are payable to AHP Canada and are non-refundable.

### Submit to:

AHP Canada 2007 Awards  
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### Return of entries:

If you wish to have your entry returned to you; please note this on the entry and make arrangements to pick it up at the end of the AHP Canada Regional Conference.

AHP Canada reserves the right to publish winning entries in the newsletter or on the website.