



ILLINOIS ACADEMY OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS

WANTED: FAMILY PHYSICIAN OF THE YEAR

There are over 2,400 active IAFP members out there – doing extraordinary things every day. You know them, and we need to know them. Nominate your family physician or one that you know for our next Illinois Family Physician of the Year. The deadline for nominations is June 30, 2010.

JUDGING CRITERIA

The Family Physician of the Year Award recognizes a physician who

- Provides patients with compassionate, comprehensive and caring family medicine.
- Is directly involved in community affairs and activities to enhance the quality of the community
- Provides a credible role model professionally and personally to other health professionals, and residents and medical students
- Can effectively represent IAFP and the specialty of family medicine in the public arena
- Exemplifies the contribution of family physicians in a leadership role improving the health of the citizens of Illinois.

Eligibility Requirements

Each candidate must:

1. Be in active practice.
2. Spend at least 50 percent of his/her time in direct patient care.
3. Be an IAFP member in good standing.
4. Be board certified in family medicine.
5. Be in practice at least five years since completing residency training

Limitations

Members of the IAFP Board of Directors, members of the IAFP Public Relations Task Force, and previous recipients of the award are not eligible. *Previous nominees may be nominated again.*

Nomination and Selection Process

- Any member of the IAFP or the public can submit nominations. A nomination is simply a letter explaining why their nominee should be Family Physician of the Year sent with the nomination form (see next page).
- The PR Task Force will select finalists from all nominations. Finalists will be asked to submit a CV, photo, and letters of support.
- The Task Force shall review all finalists' materials and select the top candidate to present to the Board of Directors for final approval as the Illinois Family Physician of the Year.
- The IAFP Award recipients will be honored in December at the IAFP Annual Meeting.

Questions? Contact Ginnie Flynn at 630-427-8004 or gflynn@iafp.com.



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2010 Awards Nomination Form

Family Physician of the Year

A letter of nomination must accompany this form.

I would like to nominate: _____

Nominee's address: _____

Nominee's phone: _____

Nominator's Name: _____

Address: _____

Nominator's Telephone: _____

Nominator's e-mail: _____

Please return this form by June 30, 2010 to:

Family Physician of the Year

IAFP

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