AHNA Awards Nomination/Application Form

All AHNA Award Applicants must complete this form, the applicable Section Form, and return to AHNA to complete the application process.

Personal Information:
Nominee’s Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): Nominee’s Credentials [up to 4 (e.g. RN, BSN)]:
Home Address:

Home Phone: Cell Phone:

Personal Email:

Date of Birth: Social Security Number or FEIN:

Employer Information:
Employer:
Title/Position:
Business Address:

Business Phone: Business Fax:

Business Email:
Are you a current member of AHNA? [ ] Yes [ ] No Member # Date you became a member

Name of your local Chapter/Network: Chapter Leader:
(If member of a local chapter/network)

Award you are applying for:

February 15th Deadline
☐ Bea Alley Conference Scholarship Award (Complete Section A)
☐ Research Grant/Award (Complete Section B)
☐ Practice Grant: Implementing Institutional Self-Care Award (Complete Section C)
☐ Institutional Excellence in Holistic Nursing Practice Award (Complete Section D)

April 15th Deadline
☐ Charlotte McGuire Education Scholarship –Undergraduate Award (Complete Section E)
☐ Charlotte McGuire Education Scholarship –Graduate Award (Complete Section E)
☐ Holistic Nursing Rising Star Award (Complete Section F)
☐ Holistic Nurse of the Year Award (Complete Section G)
☐ Lifetime Achievement Award (Complete Section H)
☐ Excellence in Nursing Education Award (Complete Section I)
☐ AHNA Service Award (Complete Section J)
☐ AHNA Advocacy Policy Maker Award (Complete Section K)
☐ AHNA Media Award (Complete Section L)

How did you hear about the AHNA Award you are applying for?
☐ Enews ☐ AHNA Website
☐ AHNA Member Recommendation ☐ Other

Will you/nominee be attending the AHNA Annual Conference? Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown ☐

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Selection Purpose and Criteria for AHNA Awards

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**General Purpose of all AHNA Awards** - To recognize and celebrate nurses dedicated to a practice of Holistic Nursing consistent with the beliefs and values held by Holistic Nurses

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**Charlotte McGuire Education Scholarship Program – Undergraduate Nursing Students Award**

*To recognize and celebrate nurses in an undergraduate academic setting dedicated to a practice of Holistic Nursing.*

1. Current R.N. licensure
2. Current active member of AHNA for a minimum of six (6) months
3. Enrolled in an undergraduate academic setting dedicated to a practice of Holistic Nursing
4. Ability to incorporate self-care into personal and professional life
5. A demonstrated commitment to Holistic Nursing practice and its philosophical base

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**Charlotte McGuire Education Scholarship Program – Graduate Nursing Students Award**

*To recognize and celebrate nurses in a graduate academic setting dedicated to a practice of Holistic Nursing.*

1. Current R.N. Licensure
2. Current active member of AHNA for a minimum of one (1) year
3. Enrolled in a graduate academic setting dedicated to a practice of Holistic Nursing
4. Ability to incorporate self-care into personal and professional life
5. A demonstrated commitment to Holistic Nursing practice and its philosophical base
6. Proven commitment to advancing Holistic Nursing using leadership skills

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**Bea Alley Conference Scholarship for Students Award**

*To provide registration for an AHNA student member to attend the AHNA Annual conference in a time of financial need.*

1. AHNA active member for a minimum of six (6) months
2. Enrollment and good standing in an academic nursing program
3. Financial need for assistance in attending the AHNA Annual Conference
4. A demonstrated commitment to Holistic Nursing practice and its philosophical base
5. An ability to demonstrate how the AHNA Annual Conference will benefit their nursing career

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**Holistic Nursing Rising Star Award**

*To recognize and celebrate novice nurses dedicated to a path of Holistic Nursing who have implemented creative holistic practices and exemplify holism in their personal and professional life.*

1. AHNA active member for a minimum of two (2) years
2. Implementation of creative holistic practices using an action plan that may affect or change some aspect of nursing practices based on the current *Holistic Nursing: Scope & Standards of Practice Newly Revised (Revised 11/2015)*
3. Exemplification of an enthusiastic endorsement of Holistic Nursing in a recent new holistic nurse

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**Research Grant Award**

*To recognize AHNA member(s) who are conducting Holistic Nursing research.*

1. AHNA active member for a minimum of one (1) year
2. Three to five (3-5) page research proposal in Word Format with no “change tracking” and use of plain header with page numbers only.
3. Proposal Budgets appropriate for AHNA level funding, (i.e. moderate in scope, able to be completed in 1-2 years)
4. Biosketch, checklist and budget forms downloaded, completed and submitted from the AHNA website.
5. Letter from dissertation Committee Chair stating that they have reviewed your application and have approved its submission for this grant. - *Doctoral Students only*
Holistic Nurse of the Year (HNY) Award
To recognize outstanding current innovation and/or change in the field of Holistic Nursing.
1. AHNA member in good standing and committed active member for a minimum of five (5) years (Revised 11/2015)
2. Nomination by an AHNA Member
3. Documented presence for Holistic Nursing with national activities
4. A sustainable and current innovation and/or change in the field of Holistic Nursing for both healthcare professionals and consumers
5. Evidence of the innovation and/or change currently practiced in the field of Holistic Nursing (i.e. published article, institutionalized program protocol)
6. Evidence of innovative, creative practices, contributions that demonstrate leadership, initiated changes in Holistic Nursing, and influenced a change in provision of healthcare within the past 24 months. (Revised 11/2015)
7. Currently acts as a role model and as a definitive voice for AHNA in both their personal and professional life (Revised 11/2015)
8. Demonstrates a commitment towards actualization of two AHNA core values in professional activities

Any registered nurse who is an active member of AHNA is eligible to be nominated for the HNY Award, including all former Leadership Council/Board of Directors and Past Presidents.

Lifetime Achievement Award
To recognize and to say thank you for their outstanding lifetime commitment and achievement in the field of Holistic Nursing.
1. AHNA member in good standing and committed active member in AHNA for a minimum of at least a decade (Revised 11/2015)
2. Nomination by an AHNA Member
3. Documented activities recognized at the National and/or International levels of healthcare that directly has influenced the advancement of Holistic Nursing and improved healthcare practices (Revised 11/2015)
4. Documented sustained participation and decades of leadership in the advancement of Holistic Nursing (Revised 11/2015)
5. Contributions that have influenced sustainable change(s) in Holistic Nursing and influenced healthcare practice (Revised 11/2015)
6. Exemplification of the AHNA Core Values in their personal and professional life
7. Documented commitment to AHNA mission & goals
8. Documented activities of being a definitive voice for Holistic Nursing and healthcare

Excellence in Holistic Nursing Education Award
To provide curriculum models of excellence that encourages the highest standards of Holistic Nursing education and to accord national recognition to those eligible schools and programs of nursing that exhibit an exceptional, substantive and innovative curriculum in Holistic Nursing education.
1. Incorporation of philosophy, competencies and core values delineated in the Holistic Nursing: Scope and Standards of Practice 3rd Edition (2019), throughout the entire curriculum and/or into a stand-alone course
2. Innovation of approaches to curriculum design, teaching and evaluation methods
3. Clinical experiences across the care continuum focusing on the holistic nature and needs of people
4. Potential for replication and dissemination to other schools/programs/departments of nursing
5. A fully accredited Nursing Program at the national level: NLNAC or AACN
6. Nomination from an active AHNA member
7. Nomination from an individual outside the applicant’s organization

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AHNA Service Award
To recognize and thank AHNA member(s) who consistently contribute their expertise and time to advance AHNA to its highest potential.
1. Active member in AHNA with current volunteer contributions to AHNA
2. Nomination letter from an AHNA member with documentation of candidate’s service to AHNA
3. Active contributor and service to AHNA via serving in elected positions, committees, task forces and other episodic contributing roles that creates, improves and/or sustains various aspects of our AHNA organization (Revised 11/2015)
4. Contributions have facilitated the sustainability, growth, and success of AHNA (Revised 11/2015)
5. A demonstrated commitment to Holistic Nursing practice and its philosophical base
6. A demonstrated sustained commitment to AHNA mission and goals

Practice Grant: Implementing Institutional Self-Care Activities Award
To provide the initial financial support for the initiation of self-care activities to promote diverse models of Holistic Nursing that will be integrated into the institution (hospital, medical center, nursing home, or freestanding hospice center). The Practice Grant: Implementing Institutional Self-Care Activities Award amount is $3,000; up to two (2) are available for award per year. (Revised 6/2019)
1. Program must:
   A) Strengthen the recognition and support for holistic principles through the implementation of specific ongoing holistic self-care activities
   B) Develop opportunities for nurses to move deeper into the Holistic Nursing specialty by extending their influence and practices to other nurses and/or patients and families
   C) Develop opportunities for Holistic Nurses to extend their influence by supporting colleagues and others in a holistic self-care activity
   D) Look at self-care from a fresh holistic perspective that fits your culture (i.e. labyrinth, meditation room/s, laughter yoga, aromatherapy, self-reflection garden, roaming anti-stress minstrels, etc.)
2. Grant Director must:
   A) Be Holistic Nursing certified (HN-BC, HNB-BC, AHN-BC)
   B) Be an active AHNA member
   C) Be currently employed within the institution where the program will be implemented
   D) Agree to present the grant implementation activities summary/outline in a Beginnings magazine article and/or present poster/workshop at the annual AHNA conference.
3. One letter of support from an Institutional Executive showing intent and support that includes how this self-care activity fits into the institutional mission and philosophy, how this program will be integrated moving forward, and how the activity will be sustained upon completion of the grant.

Institutional Excellence in Holistic Nursing Practice Award
To recognize and acknowledge an institution, a hospital, medical center, nursing home, or freestanding hospice center, for Holistic Nursing excellence and professionalism within the institution.
1. Nomination by an active AHNA member
2. Institution that has demonstrated excellence and professionalism in Holistic Nursing practices by incorporating the philosophies, competencies and Core Values delineated in the Holistic Nursing: Scope and Standards 3rd Edition (2019)
3. Innovative, exemplary, holistic approaches that provide significant advantages to the patients, personnel and institution
4. Letter of support from a member of the Institution’s Executive leadership

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Advocacy Policy Maker Award
This award is intended for the AHNA to recognize an Advocate/Legislator who supports Holistic Nursing in policy formation and/or legislation.
1. Demonstrates a long-term commitment to holistic living
2. Develops and implements sustained advocacy for Holistic Nursing or other holistic health-related practices at the national level and/or globally
3. Contributed greatly to Holistic Nursing through positions in elected and career government service
4. Is an outstanding leader in his/her field
5. Has high personal integrity

Media Award
This award is intended for the AHNA to recognize reporters, editors, other media personnel and citizens, websites, and mobile apps that have effectively delivered Holistic Nursing messages to the public.
1. Target audience for the media piece is the public at large
2. Nurses, their perspectives, and nursing are presented accurately and without stereotyping
3. Nurses are sources for the media piece when appropriate
4. Nurses in the media pieces are identified as nurses
5. The story reports on a topic of Holistic Nursing with depth and accuracy
6. Standards of ethical journalism are followed
7. Consideration will be given to the total audience reached
8. May have triggered additional media coverage or policy change
9. Items must have aired or been published within year between the annual AHNA Conferences

*Active Member – i.e. current on membership fees and is active in their local chapter/network if there is one available, served on a task force, committee, Board of Directors, contributes to AHNA publications, or has attended a conference.

Candidates with service to AHNA including Board of Directors, Committees, etc. and previous recipient any of the above Award(s) does not preclude the candidate from nomination for other award recognition.
SECTION A – Bea Alley Conference Scholarship for Students Award Application
(Submit no later than February 15th)

School/Program
Name of School:
Address:
City: State: Zip:
Phone: Fax:
Email:
Website:

School Program Information
☐ Full Time Student ☐ Part Time Student Current GPA on 4.0 scale:

Field of Study / Degree Goal:
Acceptance Date (Date you began or will begin) Expected Graduation Date:

**Submit the following additional materials
☐ Proof of enrollment in an academic nursing educational program
☐ Proof of AHNA membership for 6 months (Printed from your AHNA membership profile)
☐ Letter of recommendation from AHNA Member
☐ Previous Year Tax Return

Complete the following
1. Provide a 250-word statement of how attending the AHNA annual conference will benefit your nursing career.

2. Provide a 250-word statement of why you became an AHNA student member.

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SECTION B – Research Grant Award Application

(Submit no later than February 15th)

Research Abstract
Name Holistic Nursing Research:
AHNA Member Contact:
Phone: Fax:
Email:
Abstract (250 words) about the Holistic Nursing Research (this should be a separate document from the proposal):

Facility that will receive Grant Award Money
Name:
Address:
City: State: Zip:
Phone: Fax:
Email:
Website: FEIN:

**Submit the following additional materials (click links below to access forms and guidelines)
If unable to select links, copy and paste in to your web browser: https://tinyurl.com/y8fpcqb6

- Research Proposal in Word Format (3 – 5 pages) (click link for proposal guidelines)
  - Research proposal must follow the format of the Research Guidelines using these headings in this order:
    - Quantitative Research Proposal
      - Title & Introduction of Topic
      - Literature Review (Statement of Purpose & the Research Question/Hypothesis
      - Research Method
      - Conceptual Framework
      - Research Variables
      - Study Sample
      - Research Protocol
      - Institutional Review Board (IRB)
      - Data Collection
      - Conclusion
    - Qualitative Research Proposal
      - Title & Introduction
      - Review of Literature
      - Sensitizing Framework
      - Research Purpose & Research Question
      - Research Variables
      - Research Purpose
      - Institutional Review Board (IRB)
      - Data Analysis
      - Conclusion
  - All references supplied must be in standard APA formatting. (click the link for APA Guidelines)

- Biosketch Form - please provide any work history, certifications, etc. that qualifies you to administer this modality here (if applicable).
- Checklist Form
- Budget Form
- Letter from dissertation committee chair stating that they have reviewed your application and have approved its submission for this grant. - Doctoral Students only

Complete the following
1. Provide a 250-word statement of why you became an AHNA member.
2. List three specific ways your research demonstrates your commitment to advancing Holistic Nursing.

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SECTION C – Practice Grant: Implementing Institutional Self-Care Activities Award Application

(Submit no later than February 15th)

Name of Institution: __________________________ Address: __________________________

Website: __________________________ Telephone: __________________________ Email Address: __________________________

Grant Director’s Name: __________________________ Directors Credentials: __________________________

Grant Director’s Position in Institute: __________________________

Name check would be made out to for receiving Grant Award (W9 required):

**Submit the following materials:**

Pre-Approval

☐ One letter of institutional intent and support

☐ A copy of the participant/program evaluation tool

☐ Program Outline – See below

Post-Approval

Final Financial Statement

Final Program Evaluation Report

Present in Beginnings or AHNA annual conference

Complete the following Program Outline:

1. Identify type of institution (hospital, medical center, nursing home, or freestanding hospice center)

2. Summarize the feasibility/needs assessment.

3. Provide a Purpose Statement.

4. Describe the Goals and Objective(s) of the program.

5. Describe the expected outcomes, including but not limited to how this holistic self-care program will strengthen the recognition and support for holistic principles and benefit the participants.


7. Identify program specifics and include activity content if applicable.

8. Summarize staffing requirements and give a brief description of program staff and/or activity staff and program space. (Must include qualified instructors for modalities used and their qualifications)

9. Describe the publicity and promotion plans for the program.

10. Provide an itemized budget including in kind donations/donor and time-line for implementation.

11. Describe when and how a participant or program evaluation tool will be completed.

The Grant may be used to pay for:

a) Staff/Grant Director’s time directly involved in activity development, presentation if applicable and evaluation.

b) Program development materials (e.g. needs assessment tools, marketing and advertising materials)

c) Program materials (e.g. yoga mats, aromatherapy, meditation CDs, books, handouts, slide presentations or videos, etc.)

d) Evaluation (e.g. assessment tools)

Strictly Prohibited: Purchasing capital equipment (e.g. computers, printers or other equipment/furniture) with grant funds.

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Section D – Institutional Excellence in Holistic Nursing Practice Award Application
(Submit no later than February 15th)

Individual Submitting the Nomination
Name of Nominator:
Address:
City: State: Zip:
Phone: Fax: Email:
Member ID #:
Name of Institution:
City: State:
Telephone: Website:

**Submit the following additional materials:**
☐ One letter of support from a member of the institution’s executive leadership regarding how Holistic Nursing practices contribute to the institution’s mission
☐ Nomination letter from an AHNA member

Complete the following:
1. Provide the institution’s Mission and Vision, and describe how the current Holistic Nursing practices in use meet them.

2. Describe the ongoing ways the nursing staff is embracing Holistic Nursing.

3. Give evidence of supporting ongoing holistic (not just nursing) education for staff, management, and administration as described in Core Value #4.

4. Describe holistic self-care opportunities available and in use as described in Core Value #5 for institutional staff.

5. How has Holistic Nursing practice affected the institutions outcome measures? Provide evidence such as spreadsheets, evidence-based research, patient satisfaction scores, written feedback from patients, etc.

6. Illustrate implementation of the other three Core Values of Holistic Nursing in the institution (if applicable).

7. Explain specifically what makes this endeavor exemplary, professional, unique, and worthy of recognition.

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SECTION E – Charlie McGuire Education Scholarship Program
Undergraduate and Graduate Nursing Students Award Application
(Submit no later than April 15th)

School/Program
Name of School:

Address:
City: State: Zip:

Phone: Fax:

Email:

School Program Information
☐ Full Time Student ☐ Part Time Student Current GPA on 4.0 scale:

Field of Study / Degree Goal:
Acceptance Date (Date you began or will begin): Expected Graduation Date:

**Submit the following additional materials

Undergraduate
☐ Proof of R.N. Licensure
☐ Proof of college enrollment
☐ Academic reference letter
☐ AHNA member reference letter

Graduate
☐ Proof of R.N. Licensure
☐ Proof of college enrollment
☐ Academic reference letter
☐ AHNA member reference letter
☐ Evidence of Holistic practice and leadership

Complete the following

Education History
1. Summarize continuing education classes and/or coursework pertinent to Holistic Nursing and/or your current educational goal

Practice of Holistic Nursing
1. Briefly describe how self-care is incorporated into your life including interests and activities.

2. Giving two specific examples, how will you integrate the Core Values of Holistic Nursing into your professional nursing and professional?

3. List three specific ways you demonstrate commitment to Holistic Nursing practice.


5. List any positions you have worked in that relate to Holistic Nursing.

6. List three specific ways you demonstrate commitment to advancing Holistic Nursing using Leadership and Practice (Graduate Education Program Applicants ONLY).

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SECTION F – Holistic Nursing Rising Star Award Application
(Submit no later than April 15th)

Individual Submitting the Nomination

Name of Nominator:
Address:
City: State: Zip:
Phone: Fax:
Email:
Member ID #:

**Submit the following additional material(s)**

☐ Letter of recommendation from AHNA Member

Complete the following

1. Provide an activity completed or an action plan in progress that will change some aspect of nursing practices based on Holistic Nursing: Scope & Standards of Practice Newly Revised 3rd Edition (2019).

2. Provide a statement of why you became an AHNA member and list three specific ways you plan to demonstrate your commitment to advancing Holistic Nursing.

3. Provide a 250-word essay depicting Holistic Nursing 30 years from now and your role in creating this future for Holistic Nursing.
SECTION G – Holistic Nurse of the Year Award Application

(Submit no later than April 15th)

Individual Providing the Nomination

Name of Nominator: Credentials:
Address:
City: State: Zip:
Phone: Fax:
Email:

**Submit the following additional materials:**

☐ Two (2) sources of evidence of the innovation and/or change in the field of Holistic Nursing by the nominee (i.e. published article, institutionalized program protocol).

☐ Evidence that nominee demonstrates a commitment towards actualization of two AHNA Core Values in their professional activities

☐ Two (2) recommendation letters that identify and address how the nominees innovation and or change impacts and/or will continue to affect holistic healthcare.

☐ Letter of Nomination from an AHNA member

Complete the following

1. Provide evidence of national participation and activities in Holistic Nursing.

2. Describe one (1) or more current innovation and/or change in the field of Holistic Nursing.

3. Describe the effect of the current innovation and/or change on both health care and consumers.

4. Describe the sustainability of the current innovation and/or change on both health care and consumers.

5. Provide evidence that the nominee currently acts as a definitive voice for AHNA in both the personal and professional arena.

6. Provide evidence that the nominee demonstrates a commitment towards actualization of two AHNA core values in professional activities.

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SECTION H – Lifetime Achievement Award Application  
(Submit no later than April 15th)

Individual Providing the Nomination
Name of Nominator: 

Credentials: 

Address: 

City: State: Zip: 

Phone: Fax: 

Email: 

**Submit the following additional materials:** 

- [ ] Documentation of active National and/or International presence for Holistic Nursing 
- [ ] Letter of Nomination from an AHNA member 
- [ ] Provide Evidence of nominee’s sustained participation, definitive voice, action, and commitment towards Holistic Nursing using AHNA Core Values, Mission and Goals by responding to the five (5) statements below 

**Complete the following**

1. Describe nominee’s active participation in AHNA for five (5) or more years. 

2. Describe nominee’s sustained participation in the advancement of Holistic Nursing. 

3. Describe how the AHNA Core Values are exemplified in the nominee’s personal and professional life. 

4. Describe nominee’s sustained commitment to AHNA’s mission and goals. 

5. Describe nominee’s sustained actions of being a definitive voice for Holistic Nursing and healthcare. 

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SECTION I – Excellence in Holistic Nursing Education
Award Application
(Submit no later than April 15th)

School/Program
Name of School:
Department: School Contact:
Program/Course:
Address:
City: State: Zip:
Phone: Fax:
Email:
Accredited at the national level (NCNAC or AACN):

**Submit the following additional materials**
☐ One letter of support and nomination from an AHNA member
☐ One letter of support from an individual outside the applicant’s organization
☐ One nomination letter that includes:
  • Name of School
  • Name, Title, and contact information of person submitting application
  • An abstract of the nursing program that is to be considered for the award
  • Description of nursing program curriculum
  • Significance and outcomes achieved within the holistic program to be considered for the award
☐ Description of how the award criteria was met within the program by responding to the four (4) statements below.

Complete the following

1. Describe how the philosophy, competencies and core values delineated in the Holistic Nursing: Scope and Standards of Practice 3rd Edition (2019) are throughout the entire curriculum.

2. Describe the innovative approaches to curriculum design, teaching and evaluation methods.

3. Describe of how the holistic course/program will be put into practice in clinical experiences across the continuum focusing on the holistic nature and needs of people.

4. Describe what makes this curriculum model exceptional, substantive and innovative within Holistic Nursing education.

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SECTION J – AHNA Service Award Application

(Submit no later than April 15th)

Individual Providing the Nomination

Name of Nominator: 

Credentials: 

Address: 

City: 

State: 

Zip: 

Phone: 

Fax: 

Email: 

**Submit the following additional materials**

☐ One letter of support and nomination from an AHNA member with documentation of candidate’s service to AHNA

Complete the following

1. Describe nominee’s active participation in AHNA (i.e. served on a task force, committee, Leadership Council/Board of Directors, contributions to AHNA publications, or has presented at a conference).

2. Describe nominee’s sustained commitment to AHNA’s mission and goals.

3. Describe the effect the nominee’s volunteer contributions have on both healthcare and AHNA members.

4. Provide evidence that the nominee currently acts as a definitive voice for AHNA in both their personal and professional life.

5. List any positions/committees the nominee has provided volunteer services for with AHNA.

6. Describe the nominee’s participation in their local chapter/network if there is one available.

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SECTION K – AHNA Advocacy Policy Maker Award Application
(Submit no later than April 15th)

Individual Providing the Nomination
Individual Providing the Nomination:
Name of Nominator: Credentials:
Address: Phone: Email:
City: State: Zip:
Fax:

**Submit the following additional materials:**
☐ One letter of nomination and support from an AHNA member with documentation of the candidate’s support of Holistic Nursing through advocacy, policy formation and/or legislation.

Complete the following:

1. Describe the nominee’s active long-term commitment to holistic living.

2. Provide evidence that the nominee has developed and implemented sustained advocacy for Holistic Nursing or other holistic health-related practices at the national and/or global level.

3. Describe how the nominee has greatly contributed to Holistic Nursing through positions in elected and/or career government service.

4. Describe how the nominee is an outstanding leader in his/her field.

5. Provide evidence of how the nominee has displayed high personal integrity.

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SECTION L – AHNA Media Award Application

(Submit no later than April 15th)

Individual Providing the Nomination

Name of Nominator: __________________________
Credentials: __________________________

Address: __________________________
City: __________________________ State: __________________________ Zip: __________________________

Phone: __________________________ Fax: __________________________
Email: __________________________

**Submit the following additional materials:**

☐ One letter of nomination and support from an AHNA member with documentation of the candidate’s media that has effectively delivered a Holistic Nursing message to the public.

☐ Newspaper, magazine, video*, etc. that features the nominated media piece(s).

*Note: Provide video links below or directly into email with the application attached. (office@ahna.org)

Video link: __________________________

Complete the following:

1. Describe the target audience of the nominee’s media.

2. Provide evidence that the nominee’s media has accurately presented Holistic Nurses, their perspectives, and Holistic Nursing to the public without stereotyping.

3. Describe how the nominee has used Holistic Nurses as sources for the media piece when appropriate.

4. Describe how the nurses in the media piece are identified as Holistic Nurses.

5. Describe how the media story reports on a topic of Holistic Nursing with depth and accuracy.

6. Provide evidence of how the nominee has followed standards of ethical journalism.

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