



# **EXCELLENCE IN QUALITY & INNOVATION AWARD**

#### DESCRIPTION

An award has been created to acknowledge excellence in quality and innovation among our departmental members, and to encourage their continued efforts in participating in quality improvement in the Faculty of Medicine and Nova Scotia Health.

## **ELIGIBILITY**

Nominations will be considered from any member(s) of the Department of Medicine who have made a significant contribution to quality and innovation in education, research and/or patient care over the last 2 years. Members who have been nominated previously may be re-nominated based on the previous year's contribution. Award recipients cannot be re-nominated for 3 years following their receipt of an award.

## NOMINATION PROCESS AND SELECTION CRITERIA

The following documentation is required when making a nomination:

- A letter of nomination, no longer than two pages, from the individual member(s)
  making the nomination. This letter should provide details of the nominee's
  professional development record, as well as the following:
  - Describe in detail the nominee's accomplishments in a quality and/or innovation project over the last 2 years, including the status of the project, outcomes/impact of the project and presentations or publication related to the project.
  - Recognize the nominee's contributions to quality and innovation at the departmental, faculty, institutional and national or international levels.
- 2. The Division Head or Department Head may provide a letter of support (optional).
- 3. One additional letter of support from a physician or non-physician colleague is required.
- 4. An abbreviated (no greater than 2 pages) CV for the nominee.

## **SELECTION CRITERIA**

The Department of Medicine Awards Committee will select the award recipient.

#### **AWARDS**

The award will be presented at the Annual Spring Party of the Department of Medicine. The winner will receive a plaque.

#### DEADLINE

Nominations should be sent to (mail or email):





DoM Education Office, Department of Medicine Room 479, Bethune Building VG Site, QEII HSC domeducation@nshealth.ca

All nominations must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, April 26, 2021.

**DoM Excellence in Quality & Innovation Award – Past Faculty Award Winners** 2020 – Dr. Jeffrey Dempster 2019 – Dr. Nabha Shetty