



# Awards Available for Nurses

Professional Practice Model Domain	Award Name	Award Description
Relationships and Caring	Professional Practice Model Award	The Rush Professional Practice Model (PPM) defines who we are as nurses at Rush Oak Park Hospital. Award given to a person who exemplifies all domains of our practice at ROPH.
	Nurse Mentorship Award	The Nurse Mentorship Award is presented to recognize the exemplary mentorship qualities of one nurse who promotes the growth of others, fosters interpersonal communication in the healthcare setting, is a frequent educator and a positive role model. This nurse is willing to share knowledge, seeks to fit the mentees strengths into the right initiatives and provides a multitude of experiences that the mentee can learn from.
	Daisy Foundation Award	The Daisy Award was created by the Barnes family after the loss of their son, Patrick. They wanted to honor the nurses who gave him exemplary care. The DAISY award is an acronym for Diseases Attacking the Immune System — which is symbolic of the disease that killed Patrick. The Daisy award thanks nurses for “the super-human work RNs do everyday in direct care of patients and families, funds nursing research and celebrates extraordinary compassion and skill by nursing students and honors nursing faculty.” ( <a href="http://daisyfoundation.org">http://daisyfoundation.org</a> )
Evidence Based Practice	Professional Practice Model Award	The Rush Professional Practice Model (PPM) defines who we are as nurses at Rush Oak Park Hospital. Award given to a person who exemplifies all domains of our practice at ROPH.
Technical Expertise	Professional Practice Model Award	The Rush Professional Practice Model (PPM) defines who we are as nurses at Rush Oak Park Hospital. Award given to a person who exemplifies all domains of our practice at ROPH.
	Tonya Reddy Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Excellence Award	The candidate demonstrates authentic leadership, and is a role model as a clinician and mentor. The candidate has made a significant contribution to the improvement of patient care through evidence based practice. She/he promotes a healthy work environment. The candidate provides educational opportunities to patients, nurses, and other members of the health care team. She/he has found creative ways to address issues that impact APRN practice, the Institution, and/or the community. The candidate actively participates on professional committees, either within or outside of Rush and mentors other APRN to do the same.
Critical Thinking	Professional Practice Model Award	The Rush Professional Practice Model (PPM) defines who we are as Nurses at Rush Oak Park Hospital. Award given to a person who exemplifies all domains of our practice at ROPH.
Leadership	Professional Practice Model Award	The Rush Professional Practice Model (PPM) defines who we are as Nurses at Rush Oak Park Hospital. Award given to a person who exemplifies all domains of our practice at ROPH.
	Advancing and Leading the Profession Award	The Advancing and Leading the Profession Award is presented to recognize the outstanding efforts of one nurse who promotes the profession of nursing through outstanding leadership, advancing and/or strengthening nursing, either as a profession or in the delivery of patient care within and/or beyond his or her own healthcare facility.