

2012 AANP State Award for Excellence Nomination Information

*Please read the following information and frequently asked questions carefully. Nominations must be completed in a clear and concise manner and submitted electronically on the official 2012 AANP State Award Nomination Form to AANP by **October 24, 2011**. Thank you in advance for taking the time to nominate deserving NPs and Advocates.*

Eligibility

The **NP State Award for Excellence** is given annually to an NP who has demonstrated excellence in NP clinical practice.

The **Advocate State Award for Excellence** is given annually to an individual who has made a significant contribution toward increasing awareness and acceptance of NPs. Examples of past recipients of this award have been physicians, legislators, educators, etc. NPs are also eligible for the advocate award for non-clinical practice initiatives related to leadership, precepting, policy, politics, research, education, or community affairs.

If the situation warrants a tie, two awards may be given in one or both categories. Neither the person nominated nor the nominator has to be an AANP member.

Current AANP state representatives and board members are not eligible to receive a State Award for Excellence during their term of office.

Timeline for 2012 State Award for Excellence

Aug. 23, 2011	Call for Nominations emailed to all AANP members and published in <i>AANP SmartBrief</i> , <i>E-Bulletin</i> and on website
Oct. 24, 2011 2012 Conference	Deadline for nominations to be received by AANP Winners honored at 2012 AANP National Conference

Winners receive the following from AANP

- All winners receive a one-time waiver for the 2012 AANP Conference registration fee
- Current AANP member winners receive a one-year extension on their membership, beginning at their renewal date
- Non-AANP members who are award recipients are given a one-year complimentary membership
- Winners are recognized during the 2012 AANP National Conference.

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