

Resident Physician Mentorship & Teaching Award

Purpose: This award will recognize a resident physician who has demonstrated excellence in resident & medical student mentorship and teaching.

Award Eligibility:

All PARA Members, except current members of the PARA Assembly and Nomination and Awards Committee. Nominators and referees must be current PARA members & medical students.

Nomination Process:

Resident physicians nominating an individual for this award should explain why the resident physician merits recognition, based on the criteria below. The nomination form must be completed and signed by one additional co-nominator.

Nomination package may also include up to two letters of support (maximum 500 words each), written for this award, by current resident physicians & medical students.

Completed nominations packages can be emailed to ravneet.saran@para-ab.ca

Selection Process:

The Nomination and Awards Committee (NAC) will select award recipients from collected nominations received as of November 30. The Staff lead for NAC will send out an email with all the nominations received to NAC for scoring, no later than one week after the deadline. Rankings from each Committee member should be received within two weeks after the initial email has been sent out. Reminders to Committee members will be sent out as required.

Award: Two resident physicians from University of Calgary and Two resident physicians from University of Alberta will each be awarded a prize of \$500.00. An award certificate and a letter of recognition will be sent to each recipient. A recognition letter will be sent to their Program Director.

Applications will be evaluated on the following:

- Genuine interest in mentees
- Supports professional and personal growth of mentees (career selection, research interests, personal wellbeing and health)
- Acts as positive role model and consistently provides supportive environment of respect and integrity,
- Models effective feedback and teaching styles by consistently providing honest and constructive feedback to mentees