American Burn Association
2015 Nomination Form
Burn Prevention Award

Nomination Criteria

The Burn Prevention Award is awarded at the ABA Annual Meeting to a current American Burn Association (ABA) member for contribution in burn prevention. To qualify for this award, the nominator must establish:

1. **Nominee** is a current member of the American Burn Association.

2. **Nominee’s** burn prevention activities demonstrate local, regional, statewide or national impact for the past year. In addition, these accomplishments and contributions may benefit or compliment other prevention programs within organization, local community, region, state or nation.

3. **Nominee’s** burn prevention activities demonstrate local, regional, statewide or national impact over their lifetime and professional career. Additionally, these accomplishments and contributions may also benefit or compliment other prevention programs within organization, local community, region, state or nation.

4. **Nominee, as an individual**, is recognized as a prevention leader in the burn community who has achieved wide-scale reduction of burn injuries and/or progress toward elimination of burn injuries utilizing community partnerships.

5. Nominee will be able to attend the annual meeting and will be present to accept the award.

The award program will recognize prevention leaders in the burn community who have achieved wide-scale reduction of burn injuries and/or progress toward elimination of burn injuries utilizing community partnerships. This award also intends to showcase the outstanding efforts of burn prevention achievements of maintained superior prevention results and advanced practices to improve safety.

An individual is eligible for this award each year if the work is new and significant and continues to fulfill at least one of the above criteria. The award will be based on the nominee’s accomplishments during the past year and general accomplishments in prevention over their life time. **Nominee must be a current ABA member at the time of nomination. Applications will be reviewed and ranked by the Burn Prevention Committee, based on the selection criteria. The current ABA Burn Prevention Committee Chair will abstain from voting except in the event of a tie in which case the Chair will have the final decision of the award recipient.**

The award, under the auspices of the ABA Burn Prevention Committee, includes an honorarium of $1,500. The winner will be notified prior to the annual meeting and is required to attend to receive the award. The award will be presented at the 2015 American Burn Association’s Annual Meeting Presidential Address on Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at the Chicago Hilton Hotel in Chicago, IL.

Please confirm prior to nominating an individual that he/she is a current ABA member. Nominations may be made by completing this form. Nomination form(s) must be received no later than December 31, 2014. Nomination forms must be complete for nominee to be considered. Please send completed nomination form(s) to Kelsey Hartman-Viega at khartman@shrinenet.org or fax to: 916-453-2373 or mailed to:

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Should you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to call 916-453-2050.
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To the ABA Burn Prevention Committee - It is a pleasure to submit the following for consideration for the ABA Burn Prevention Award.

1. Provide brief biography/background of nominee:

2. List nominee’s accomplishments and contributions in the past year to the burn prevention field. (Include a description of the types of burn prevention activities, the continuity of the activities (i.e. is this a one-time activity or ongoing), number of populations reached, materials developed, research, publications, innovations, outcomes, collaborations, and impact on the community – local, regional and national):

3. List of nominee’s other accomplishments and contributions over their lifetime in the burn prevention field. (Can include their development and implementation of burn prevention programs/services, a description of their contributions to burn prevention advocacy, collaboration, research, publications, professional development, number of populations reached, and service on boards, task forces, committees, or coalitions):

4. Provide a summary statement of why this person should receive the award.

5. Nominee’s approximate length of time in burn prevention field: ___________ years.

6. Will the nominee be present on Wednesday, April 22, 2015 to receive this award? □ Yes □ No

Your Name: .................................................................

submitted by: ..............................................................

Your Phone #: ............................................................. Email: .................................................................