

PHARMACIST OF THE YEAR PROUDLY SUPPORTED BY CAMBRIAN ALLIANCE

Pharmacy in Focus Awards 2021/2022

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Entry is FREE
- **Entry deadline is Monday 1st November 2021**

WHY ENTER?

The Pharmacist of the Year Award recognises a community pharmacist who not only demonstrates a significant contribution to their local community, but also to the pharmacy industry in general. This award not only raises the profile of the winning pharmacist but raises the profile of their pharmacy in particular and of the profession itself.

The award is designed to highlight the enhanced role of community pharmacy in meeting the needs of 21st-century patients in their own communities.

WHO CAN ENTER?

This category is open to all contractor or employee pharmacists working in either independent or group pharmacies, who can demonstrate a clear record of innovative and progressive initiatives, which are designed to highlight and enhance the vital role played in healthcare by community pharmacy.

Nominations for the category can be made through self-nomination, by colleagues or pharmacy business owners, or by personal application.

All entries will be judged by an independent panel of experts.

CATEGORY CRITERIA

- Enthusiasm and commitment to the enhancement of community pharmacy in Northern Ireland.
- Exceptional quality above and beyond what is expected.
- An ability to overcome challenges in pursuit of goals.
- Evidence of how performance was measured and benchmarked in addition to proof of project success/improved patient outcomes.

JUDGES WILL BE LOOKING FOR:

- A pharmacist who can provide clearly defined objectives for both themselves and their pharmacy team within the local community.
- Evidence of how these objectives were put into practice, with proof of both benchmarking and measurement of success in patient outcomes.
- Evidence of how these initiatives/projects have enhanced both the reputation of the pharmacy and of NI community pharmacy in general.
- An indication of how this work will be built upon in the future.

If you have questions, or wish to speak with one of the Pharmacy in Focus Awards team, please call the main office on 028 90 332 499 or email shari@profilepublishing.com

If you are applying online, please complete the form below and ensure you click the 'submit' button for your application.

If you are submitting your application via email, please email the application to, shari@profilepublishing.com

Full Name *

First Name Last Name

Name of proposed nominee if different from the information above

Pharmacy Name *

Title/Position *

Address *

Street Address

Street Address Line 2

Phone Number *

Area Code

Phone Number

E-mail *

example@example.com

PLEASE ANSWER ALL 4 QUESTIONS BELOW

1. Please detail how you/the pharmacist identified patient needs in the local area and the steps that they put in place to address them (300-500 words). *

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2. Please provide examples of innovative work or initiatives that you/the pharmacist has put into place to improve patient outcomes in the community to meet patient needs (as detailed above) (300-500 words). *

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3. Please provide evidence of specific projects that have been carried out in collaboration with pharmacy colleagues and other healthcare professionals. Where possible, provide physical evidence of projects, such as advertising materials or posters (300-500 words). *

(300-500 words)

4. Please outline why you/the pharmacist deserves the title of Pharmacist of the Year. Include examples of how you/the pharmacist has driven forward standards in pharmacy care and how you/the pharmacist intend to maintain a consistent, high-quality pharmacy service in the future (1000 words). *

No more than 1000 words

Where did you hear about the Pharmacy in Focus Awards? *

Pharmacy in Focus magazine

Newspaper advert

Twitter / Facebook / LinkedIn

Attended the PIF Awards in a previous year