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The Voice of Nursing Leadership™

NOMINATE A NURSE FOR A DAISY AWARD

Cancer Treatment Centers of America® at Midwestern Regional Medical Center is proud to partner with the DAISY Foundation to honor the skills and compassionate care of our extraordinary nurses

What is the DAISY Award?

The **DAISY Award** is a nationwide program that rewards and celebrates the extraordinary clinical skill and compassionate care provided by nurses everyday. Cancer Treatment Centers of America® (CTCA) at Midwestern Regional Medical Center (Midwestern) is proud to be a *DAISY Award* Hospital Partner, recognizing one of our nurses with this special honor every quarter. Simply tell us a story that exemplifies one specific instance of extraordinary caring between a nurse and a patient, caregiver, physician or other CTCA at Midwestern stakeholder, and the impact of that connection.

Who can be nominated for the DAISY Award?

All nurses at CTCA at Midwestern.

What will a nurse selected for a DAISY Award receive?

- A certificate held in a leather holder, proclaiming the recipient an "Extraordinary Nurse"
- A **DAISY Award** pin
- A unique, hand-carved serpentine stone sculpture from Zimbabwe, entitled "A Healer's Touch"
- A Spotlight page on the **DAISY Award** website featuring a photo and telling the story of why the nurse was honored

How to nominate an extraordinary nurse for the DAISY Award

Any patient, caregiver, visitor, staff or physician may nominate a deserving CTCA at Midwestern nurse by filling out the nomination form located on the back of this document. Submit nominations by dropping them in DAISY drop boxes located throughout the hospital, emailing them to Laura.McNutt@ctca-hope.com, or mailing to **DAISY Award**, CTCA at Midwestern, 2520 Elisha Avenue, Zion, IL 60099, Attention Laura McNutt.

To learn more about the **DAISY Award** and its growing list of hospital partners, visit www.DAISYfoundation.org.





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NOMINATION FORM

I would like to nominate _____ from the _____ unit/department as a deserving recipient of the **DAISY Award**. This nurse's clinical skill and compassionate care exemplify the kind of nurse that our patients, their caregivers, and our staff recognize as an outstanding role model. _____ Consistently meets all of the following criteria:

- Works collaboratively with others
- Serves as a role model for the nursing profession
- Communicates clearly and effectively with all co-workers and patients
- Made a special connection with a patient/caregiver
- Significantly "made a difference" in the life of a patient

Please describe a situation involving the nurse you are nominating that clearly demonstrates that the nurse meets criteria for the **DAISY Award**:

Thank you for taking the time to nominate an extraordinary nurse for this award. Please tell us about yourself so that we may include you in the celebration of this award should the nurse you nominated be chosen.

Your Name _____ Phone _____

Home Address or CTCA Unit _____

Email _____

I am (please check one): RN Patient Family/Caregiver/Visitor MD CTCA Stakeholder

Date of nomination _____ **DAISY Award** is awarded quarterly.

