

Nurse of the Year for
FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE
Nomination Ballot Template

Please provide all specific requirement content below on a separate type-written document. If examples below in each category are not listed within the narrative, the ballot will be disqualified.

❖ Nurse's name and credentials: _____

❖ Unit and campus Nurse is currently working: _____

❖ Years of Nursing at Deaconess: _____ Years outside of Deaconess: _____

Nurse must have served 5 years or more as an RN at Deaconess Hospital to be eligible.

❖ Information if this Nurse has ever received a Nurse of the Year award before; if yes, what category: _____

1. Describe and give specific examples how this Nurse is someone who demonstrates all the characteristics of an exceptional Nurse and role model in each of the five (5) categories below. How this Nurse goes above and beyond all other nurse professionals and exhibits outstanding contributions to the professional image of nursing.
2. Describe and give specific examples how this Nurse **Mentors** staff or new employees by sharing knowledge and critical thinking skills in a calm, compassionate and easily approachable manner.
3. Describe and give specific examples how this Nurse volunteers his/her time advocating health, safety and education to patients and their families in the **Community**.
4. Describe and give specific examples of how this Nurse demonstrates excellent nursing **Leadership** inspiring others to take initiative and implementing ideas to enhance patient care.
5. Describe and give specific examples how this Nurse exhibits personal growth in their **Professional Development** and exhibits a "role model" attitude and encouragement to compel others to strive to make themselves the best they can be.
6. Describe and give specific examples how this Nurse provides compassionate care for their patients at the bedside and frequently seeks opportunities to enhance their **Clinical Practice**, knowledge, and skills to meet the ever-changing needs of the nursing profession.

❖ Name and credentials of person submitting: _____

❖ Unit and campus: _____

❖ Date of submission: _____

- * ● Submit this template with a **type-written** narrative prior to the deadline set via in-house mail to Brian Wilson, Room 3913, Deaconess main campus.