

DNA DAISY Nurse Leader Award Criteria

Purpose: *The DNA DAISY Nurse Leader Award is a recognition to celebrate and recognize nurses that promotes and enhances the image of nursing within the organization, the community, and the profession. It is a way to thank nurses for the care and kindness they provide.*

Award Timeline:

- Nominations are accepted on a rolling basis
- Nominations Close on October 1st each year (to stay aligned with DNA Hall of Fame Nominations)
- Honoree Notified & Award Presented at the DNA Annual Conventions

Nominations should reflect:

- Promotes a shared vision and enthusiasm to achieve better patient outcomes through exemplary dermatology nursing practice.
- Promotes continuous professional development.
- Acts as a role model for attributes of trust, mutual respect, and ethical behavior.
- Personifies compassionate nursing/patient care, empathy, and caring in action.
- Promotes and enhances the image of nursing within the organization, the community, and the profession.
- Recognized as a mentor to DNA staff and/or volunteers.
- Accessible, available, and responsive to the needs of DNA staff, volunteers, and those we serve.
- Encourages critical thinking and problem-solving for individuals and teams to promote DNA vision.

Nominee Requirements:

- Nominee must be in dermatology field for more than 5 years
- Nominee must have greater than 2 years of membership in DNA
- Nominee must be a current member of the DNA

The DNA DAISY Nurse Leader Award is sponsored by CeraVe. The award recipient, in addition to being presented the award, will also receive an honorarium to assist them in covering their travel expenses and registration fee to the Main Convention sessions.