

CSHA Outstanding Leadership

This award, which may be presented to one deserving individual per year in each CSHA district, provides recognition to a CSHA member for making a contribution to their settings, patients and/ or community in their district. The recipient of this award must be a current CSHA member (in any category) for at least two continuous years or three total years. This award may be received only once.

Criteria

This award recognizes demonstrated leadership contributions in the recipient's CSHA district. While this may be challenging to quantify, it is not demonstrated by the number of activities in which the nominee participated. Rather, it seeks to highlight meaningful contributions to the district, its members and the profession. Nominees may be recognized for:

- Demonstrating leadership skills, regardless of whether they are in a leadership position.
- Serving as an excellent role model.
- Inspiring others to work collaboratively and creatively.
- Inspiring and encouraging personal and professional development in others.
- Building strong relationships that support a high level of trust and credibility.
- Adapting readily to new situations, circumstances and opportunities.
- Mentors and cultivates colleagues, creating a culture of respect that fosters an atmosphere conducive to achievement.
- Contributes to the success of a CSHA initiative that benefits those in their district and beyond.

Nominations and deadline

Any CSHA member may nominate another CSHA member for the District Outstanding Leadership Award.

The nomination must include:

- Nominee's name, address, email address, telephone number, CSHA membership status, number of continuous years as a CSHA member, awards received, and roles and offices held in CSHA.
- Signature of nominator and date of nomination.
- A written narrative, not to exceed 300 words, which makes a cogent, substantive argument for the nominee based on the criteria.
- Two letters of support from CSHA members.
- Nominee's current CV or resume.

Complete nomination packets must be emailed to honors@csha.org by **December 15th at 11:59 p.m.** Nominations that don't meet submission requirements, or arrive after the posted deadline, will not be considered out of fairness to others.