

The DAISY Nurse Leader Award Nomination Criteria

At Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center and Clinics, The DAISY Nurse Leader Award is used to recognize nurse managers, directors, assistant managers, charge nurses, educators, chief nursing officers, preceptors, informatics nurses, patient flow nurses and others.

Please reference our award criteria in your nomination letter.

Teamwork & Collaboration

- ✓ Creates an environment that is trusting, compassionate, professional and respectful
- ✓ Is a mentor to staff
- ✓ Builds and manages relationships
- ✓ Shows confidence in team's abilities
- ✓ Works together to achieve the team's goals
- ✓ Advocates for team's needs and is approachable

Commitment & Patient Safety

- ✓ Promotes the shared goals and strategies of Dartmouth Health
- ✓ Creates a culture of safety for patients and employees
- ✓ Dedicated to quality patient care

Communication

- ✓ Effective communicator between staff members and departments
- ✓ Strong listening skills – attentive
- ✓ Engages in conversation and is responsive

Expertise

- ✓ Role model for compassion and exemplary practice
- ✓ Clinical expertise or expertise in their subject matter
- ✓ Organizational skills
- ✓ Thorough understanding of the intricacies of the healthcare system

Self-Awareness & Emotional Intelligence

- ✓ Empathy and compassion
- ✓ Motivation
- ✓ Self-regulation
- ✓ Personal integrity and trustworthiness