



2023 Children's Healthcare Canada Award for Leadership in Family and Person-Centered Care **Call for Nominations**

Award Description

The Children's Healthcare Canada **Award for Family and Person-Centered Care** was created to honour teams or programs who have set in place innovations that improve the human experience in healthcare. This award will highlight and recognize innovations that include the four (4) concepts of family-centered care:

1. **Dignity and Respect:** Healthcare practitioners listen to and honor individual and family perspectives & choices, and incorporate individual and family knowledge, values, beliefs and cultural backgrounds into planning and delivery of care.
2. **Information Sharing:** Healthcare practitioners communicate and share complete and unbiased information with individuals and families in ways that are affirming and useful. Timely, complete, and accurate information is shared with families to support effective participation in care and decision-making.
3. **Participation:** Individuals and families are encouraged and supported in participating in care and decision-making at the level they choose.
4. **Collaboration:** Individuals, families, health care practitioners, and healthcare leaders collaborate in policy and program development, implementation, and evaluation; in facility design; in professional education; and in research; as well as in the delivery of care and have made a change to how patients, residents, clients, their families, and communities experience healthcare services.

Programs and services must demonstrate success through patient experience, staff training & development, and satisfaction & engagement of staff & clinicians.





Nomination Terms

- The nomination must be submitted through the online nomination form **no later than July 16, 2023**.
 - The nominated team must be part of a Children's Healthcare Canada member organization.
 - A representative of the nominated team must consent to the nomination.
 - The Children's Healthcare Canada Family Network shall adjudicate the list of nominees and make a recommendation to the Children's Healthcare Canada Awards Selection Committee for final approval, and the awardee will be notified, via email, in September.
 - The recipient of this award will receive one complimentary registration to the Children's Healthcare Canada's 2023 Annual Conference.
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Additional Information

- The awardee is expected to attend the Annual Children's Healthcare Canada Awards Ceremony on December 4, 2023 in Vancouver, British Columbia to accept this award.
- The award recipient is expected to record a 2-minute video that will be published to the Children's Healthcare Canada website following the Awards Ceremony on December 4, 2023.
- The recipient will be featured on the Children's Healthcare Canada Twitter Feed and Conversations Blog.
- Re-submissions are encouraged annually for consideration at future conferences; please update the letter and nomination form to reflect updated nomination requirements.

