

Nomination Form
**2016 Bernice Owen Award for Research in
Safe Patient Handling**

Please use the following form to nominate an individual for consideration as the 2016 recipient of the *Bernice Owen Award for Research in Safe Patient Handling*.

Nominations must be received by March 1, 2016:

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Nominee Information:

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Title

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Address

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(Area Code) Phone Number

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Nomination Submitted By:

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Please answer the following questions, as appropriate, and be as specific as possible. Include additional pages as necessary.

1. What *specifically* has the nominee done to achieve excellence in safe patient handling research?
2. Give examples of the methods used and specific outcomes achieved.
3. How has the nominee shared their success with the healthcare community?
4. Please include anything else you would like us to know about this candidate.

Previous Winners of the Bernice Owen Award for Research in Safe Patient Handling

2002: Bernice D. Owen, PhD, RN
2003: Arun Garg, PhD, CPE
2004: William Marras, PhD, CPE
2005: Audrey Nelson, PhD, RN, FAAN
2006: Bradley Evanoff, MD, MPH
2007: Barbara Silverstein, MSN, PhD
2008: Sue Hignett, PhD, MSc, MCSP, MErgS
2009: Thomas Waters, PhD, CPE
2010: Hanneke Knibbe, MSc, RPT
2011: James Collins, PhD
2012: Amy Darragh, PhD, OTR and Marc Campo, PT, PhD