



## THE RGP TEAM AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

### CALL FOR NOMINATIONS!

**THE REGIONAL GERIATRIC PROGRAM OF TORONTO IS INVITING NOMINATIONS FOR THE RGP TEAM AWARD OF EXCELLENCE, RECOGNIZING THE EXCEPTIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS OF A TEAM IN THE RGP OF TORONTO NETWORK.**

#### **Purpose**

The RGP Award of Excellence recognizes teams and partnerships contributing to improved health outcomes for frail seniors.

#### **Eligibility**

Nominees must be teams – comprised of two (2) or more people – within the RGP of Toronto network organizations.

#### **Award Criteria**

The winning team must demonstrate:

- Achievements in service, education, research, and/or advocacy in a way that significantly contributes to better health outcomes for seniors.
- Innovation and an enduring contribution to enhanced care for older adults.
- Teamwork and partnerships that advance interprofessional and /or inter-organizational practice, teamwork, and effective partnerships in the care of frail seniors.

*Examples of achievements that would be considered include:*

- *Rallying interprofessional teams and volunteers for early mobilization initiatives with hospitalized seniors.*
- *Programs that look beyond traditional boundaries to build capacity among health system partners and advance continuity of care, such as nurse led LTC outreach initiatives.*

Nominations will be reviewed by a panel that includes a member of the RGP Awards Committee, an RGP Board Member, and an affiliate Clinician or Academic.

#### **Submitting Nominations**

To nominate a team, please submit the completed nomination form (attached) and supporting documents to:

Awards Committee  
Regional Geriatric Program of Toronto  
2075 Bayview Avenue, H478  
Toronto, Ontario  
M4N 3M5

Nominations can also be emailed to [laurie.kent@sunnybrook.ca](mailto:laurie.kent@sunnybrook.ca)

**The deadline for nominations is September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2011.**

## THE RGP TEAM AWARD OF EXCELLENCE NOMINATION FORM

### NOMINEE INFORMATION

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Team Name

Team Members:

Name:	Discipline:	Name:	Discipline:
1. _____	_____	5. _____	_____
2. _____	_____	6. _____	_____
3. _____	_____	7. _____	_____
4. _____	_____	8. _____	_____

*\*Please ensure that the Team Name and names of Team Members are spelled correctly. This is how the names will appear in all written materials and on the plaque presented at the awards ceremony. Additional names may be provided on a separate sheet.*

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Organization Name

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Mailing Address	City	Postal Code
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Telephone Ext.

*\*Please use nominee's institutional mailing address and contact information*

**NOMINATOR INFORMATION**

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First Name	Last Name	Title/Position
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Organization Name

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Mailing Address	City	Postal Code
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Telephone Ext.	Email address
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**1. Describe the nominated team's experience and achievements in detail, including examples. This description should demonstrate team leadership in service, education, research, and/or advocacy that significantly contributes to better health outcomes for seniors.**

2. How is the team's initiative unique and innovative? How does their work make an enduring contribution to the advancement of inter-professional and/or inter-organizational practice, teamwork, and effective partnerships in the care of frail seniors?

*\*If more space is needed, please attach extra pages. NOTE: extra page limit is two (2).  
PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE.*

### 3. Letters of Support

Nominations must include at least two (2) letters of support from persons other than the nominator who can attest to the value and impact of the achievements of the nominated team.

### 4. Additional Supporting Material (maximum of three)

- Photographs
- Additional letters
- Publications or Posters
- Media stories

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

- **Please do not send** original documents as they will not be returned.
- **Winning team(s) will be recognized** at the RGP Annual General Meeting on November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2011.

**DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS: SEPTEMBER 30<sup>th</sup>, 2011.**

*For more information, contact [laurie.kent@sunnybrook.ca](mailto:laurie.kent@sunnybrook.ca)*