The National Respiratory Patient Advocacy Award

NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN

The National Respiratory Patient Advocacy Award is a collaboration of the American Association of Respiratory Care (AARC) and The FACES Foundation (Family & Caregiver Education & Support). The award commemorates a vital member of the health care team: the respiratory therapist. This excellent professional appreciates the “individual” instead of the “patient” and is dedicated to the principle that every breath matters. Nominations come from facilities where registered respiratory therapists are actively engaged as a champion of patient family centered care.

Award finalists are chosen by a national review committee, with representatives selected by AARC and The FACES Foundation. Each year, the award recipient and finalists are honored before their peers at the AARC Congress. Finalists are also recognized in other AARC publications and on The FACES Foundation website and social media.

Nominations will be accepted through July 31, 2021.

AWARD FOCUS:
- Patient and family-centered care
- Quality and safety
- Work that stretches across continuums and disciplines
- Work that exemplifies evidence-based best practices

BENEFITS:
- Award recipient will receive complimentary travel with 2 nights hotel accommodations, complimentary registration to attend the AARC Congress, and a unique artwork sculpture
- Award finalists receive a one-year extension to their AARC membership
- All winners will receive recognition across AARC and FACES communications

Nominate a distinguished registered respiratory therapist at: http://c.aarc.org/go/natp-award