

What is patient- and family-centered care?

At the very heart of patient- and family-centered care is the recognition that family is the constant in a child's life. With this, Children's staff understand that each family has an important place on their child's health care team.

Patient- and family-centered care is more than treating a child's family well. Children's goes further to respect and recognize that both staff and family bring knowledge, skills and experience to caring for a child.

The core concepts of patient- and family-centered care are:

- Dignity and Respect
- Participation
- Information Sharing
- Collaboration



Who can be nominated for this award?

Any employee, professional staff member, or care team can be nominated. The nominee must meet all of the following criteria:

- Performance that demonstrates outstanding commitment to patient- and family-centered care.
- The care or experience must have occurred within the previous 12 months.

How to submit a nomination

Please complete this nomination form (submit additional paper as needed). Email a copy of the nomination form to familyadvisorycouncil@childrensmn.org or mail it to the Family Advisory Council, Children's Hospitals and Clinics of Minnesota, 2525 Chicago Avenue South, Mail Stop 70-503, Minneapolis, MN 55404.

Awards are presented two times a year, in May and October. Nominations can be submitted anytime throughout the year.

Information

For more information about the Patient- and Family-Centered Care Award or for inquiries about becoming a member on the Family Advisory Council please contact the Council at familyadvisorycouncil@childrensmn.org or call 612-813-7407. Nomination forms also are available on Children's website, childrensmn.org/servicesfamilyadvisorycouncil

Nomination Form

Excellence in Patient- and Family-Centered Care Award

Sponsored by the Family Advisory Council to recognize care providers for outstanding commitment to patient- and family-centered care.

Date _____

Please consider the following care provider or care provider team for an Excellence in Patient- and Family-Centered Care Award:

Name(s) _____

Employee
Professional staff member
Care team

Department/Unit _____

Title/Position _____

Children's campus

- Children's – Minneapolis
- Children's – St. Paul
- Children's Clinics – Woodwinds
- Children's – Roseville
- Children's – Minnetonka
- Children's Physician's Network
- Children's – Maple Grove

Phone (if known) _____

Family's Information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Excellence in Patient- and Family-Centered Care Award



We want to honor Children's staff for their outstanding commitment to patient- and family-centered care.



The Excellence in Patient- and Family-Centered Care Award gives families an opportunity to recognize and honor care providers who demonstrate an outstanding commitment to patient- and family-centered care.



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