

The Alpha Omega Alpha VOLUNTEER CLINICAL FACULTY AWARD

Volunteer clinical faculty members are often inadequately appreciated and rarely recognized. Alpha Omega Alpha's Volunteer Clinical Faculty Award is presented annually to recognize a community physician who contributes with distinction to the education and training of clinical students.

The national office of AΩA provides a permanent plaque for the Dean's office; a plate with the name of each year's awardee may be added each spring. The awardee receives a framed certificate from Alpha Omega Alpha. Recipients of the award are not eligible to receive it more than once. **Nominees need not be members of AWA, nor does the award confer AWA membership.** (Chapters should note that they are currently allowed to elect two faculty members to AΩA each year, and that one of these slots may be given to the Volunteer Clinical Faculty Award recipient if the chapter so decides.)

Nominations for the Volunteer Clinical Faculty Award may be made by all clinical students, with the recipient chosen by student members of the AΩA chapter. The AΩA councilor at each school is responsible for implementation of the process for nomination and election.

Please notify the national office as soon as election is made. Allow 2 to 3 weeks to receive the plaque and certificate.

Clinical Students: Please nominate a community physician, not on the full-time or part-time faculty, who effectively and generously donates his or her time, skill, and experience to teach you clinical skills.

Send your nominations to:

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