



# Would you like to celebrate your Nurse Leader? Share Your Story!

The DAISY (Diseases Attacking the Immune SYstem) Award is an international recognition program that honors and celebrates the skillful, compassionate care nurses provide every day. The DAISY Foundation was established by the family of J. Patrick Barnes after he died from complications of the auto-immune disease ITP in 1999. During his hospitalization, they deeply appreciated the care and compassion shown to Patrick and his entire family. When he died, they felt compelled to say “thank you” to nurses in a very public way. The DAISY Nurse Leader Award recognizes nurses who are extraordinary in the impact they have on compassionate patient care. Honorees can be any nurse leader who impacts patient care directly including supervisors, managers, educators, or nurses who specialize in case management, informatics, or patient flow.

This Nurse Leader impacts staff and/or the patient care they manage by:

- Role modeling extraordinary behavior
- Creating an environment where attributes of trust, compassion, mutual respect, continued professional development and ethical behavior are modeled and supported
- Motivating staff with a shared vision and enthusiasm to achieve better outcomes for themselves and for their patients
- Promoting and enhancing the image of nursing within the organization, the community, and the profession

Please describe in detail this Nurse Leader, their story, and the outcomes:

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Thank you for taking the time to nominate an extraordinary nursing leader for this award.

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of nomination \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please contact me if the nurse leader I have nominated is chosen as a DAISY Nurse Leader Award Honoree so that I may attend the celebration if available.

I am (please check one):

Patient       Visitor       RN       MD       Staff       Volunteer

**Please submit your nomination form to:**  
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