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# CIPHI Ontario Branch Award of Merit for Outstanding Achievement in Public Health in Ontario

# **Application Criteria**

This award recognizes the outstanding achievements of a CIPHI Ontario Branch public health professional for their outstanding achievements in the field of public health.

Achievement in the following areas will be considered but not limited to:

- Environmental Health Protection
- Health Promotion
- Infection, Prevention and Control
- Quality Client Service
- Innovation
- Leadership
- Mentorship
- Career, professional and/or lifetime achievement.

Eligible recipients are reviewed and selected by the Membership Committee and Ontario Branch Membership Support and Engagement councillor who will then forward applicants to Ontario Branch Executive Council for final approval of selected candidates.

Note: A group of individuals may be eligible.

#### Criteria:

- a) Applicant must be a member in good standing for the two consecutive years prior to their application.
- b) Applicant must have made a significant contribution to the environmental and public health profession through their course of work, participation in local and or provincial/federal committee involvement or impact on the profession of public health inspection.

### Application Process:

- a) The nominator must complete the attached application and submit it to the Ontario Branch Membership Support and Engagement Councillor via email, fax or mail.
- b) The significant contribution must have occurred within the two years prior to award application.
- c) The nominator must provide supplemental information to evidence significant contribution to the profession or environmental health through an achievement or milestone event and through the applicant's professional profile in the field of public health.
- **d)** Letters of support from the broader public health community, external agency or community group (if applicable) supporting the impact of the achievement are encouraged.
- e) Describe the achievement and explain, why the achievement was above and beyond the nominee's regular work.
- f) The CIPHI Ontario Branch Membership Committee will look for original, innovative initiatives or accomplishments with high impact. Eligible recipients will be reviewed and selected by the Membership Committee and Ontario Branch Membership Support and Engagement councillor, who will then forward applicants to Ontario Branch Executive Council (OBEC) for final approval.
- g) Nominee(s)/Nominator(s) will be contacted following decision by the OBEC.

#### Remittance of Award:

a) The award letter and plaque will be awarded at the AGM and presented at the Awards luncheon during the provincial annual educational conference.



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## **Nomination Form**

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### Supplemental Information (To be completed by Nominator):

In no more than 1000 words, please state the nominee's contributions to environmental public health which qualifies them for the *Award of Merit for Outstanding Achievement in Public Health in Ontario*. Please provide details demonstrating how the nominee has contributed to the improvement of public health profession through an achievement or milestone event (e.g. Work in a Master's program, significant contribution to a public health unit impacting the greater community) that is "above and beyond" the normal course of their work. You may provide testimonials or references in addition to your written contribution. Please attach documentation to nomination form.

**Note:** For group nominations please detail each member's contribution to the project or relevant initiative. (If you require more space, please attach to application. Please do not attach brochures, videos or miscellaneous items).

Please forward application to Lori Collins, Membership Support and Engagement Councillor via email at membership@ciphi.on.ca