



**2023 AHS Award of Merit Program  
Nomination Form**

To recognize and honor excellence in service for the College of Applied Health Sciences (AHS) Civil Service and Academic Professional employees, the Staff Council has developed the AHS Award of Merit program. The winner will receive a cash award in the amount of \$750. The winner is nominated for the campus wide UIC Award of Merit program, which comes with a \$2,500 cash award.

**Eligibility for the AHS Award of Merit**

Nominees must be Civil Service or Academic Professionals, employed in AHS for at least four consecutive years at full time or six consecutive years at 50% time status (or higher).

**Criteria for the Award may include, but are not limited to:**

1. Demonstration of overall excellence in work performance through a consistently responsive service orientation;
2. Creativity in problem-solving, initiative, commitment to individual development and fostering growth, leadership, teamwork and enhancing the work environment; and
3. Demonstrate sensitivity to diversity and affirmative-action accomplishments.

Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_ Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of nominator: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

**Documents Required**

1. Nomination Form
2. Letters of Support: A minimum of two letters of support (maximum of five) should be attached to this form (two letters may include letter from Nominator). Letters must address Award of Merit recipient criteria discussed above.

**For any questions, please contact your department’s Staff Council representative:**

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**Application Deadline: Monday, May 1, 2023**