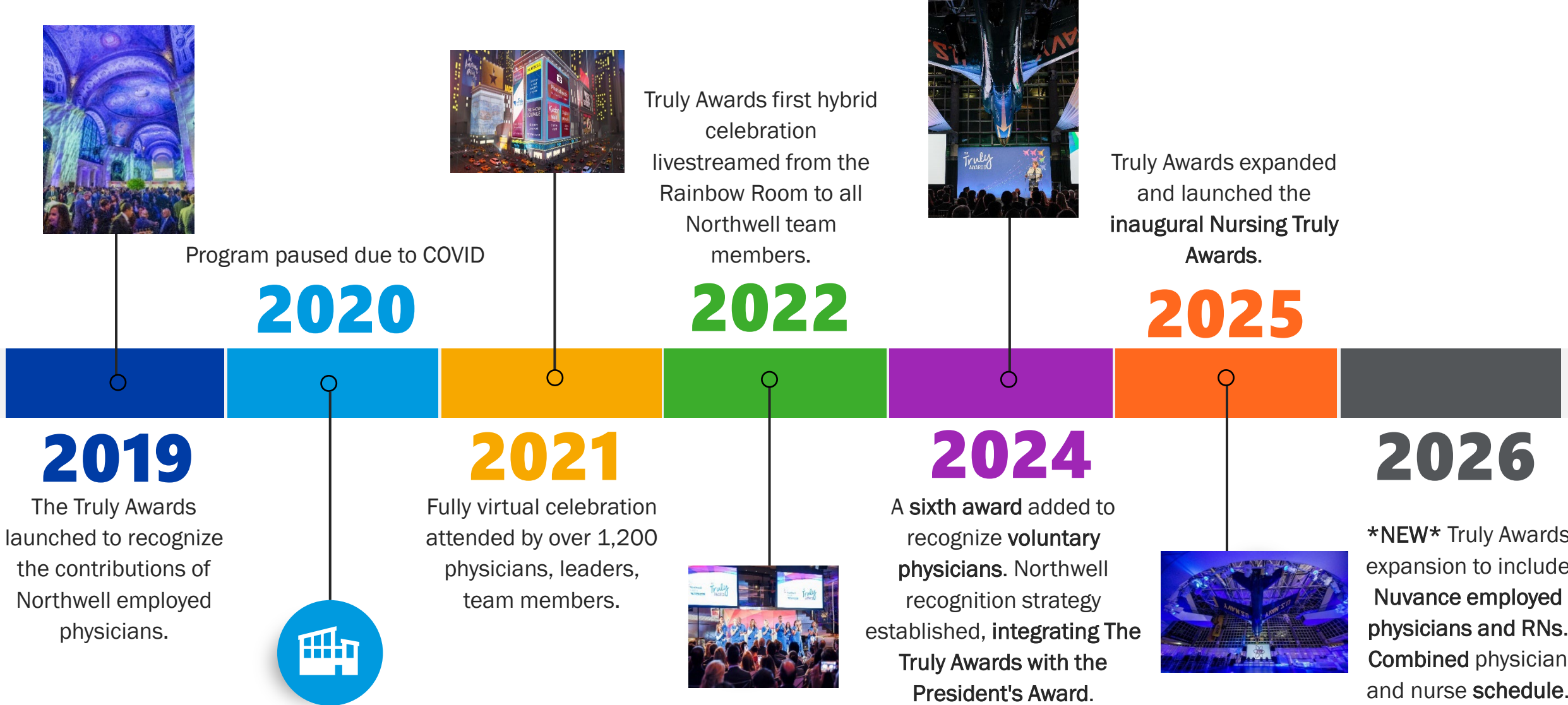


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The physicians and nurses of Northwell Health work every day to improve the lives of the people who need us. The Truly Awards — which represent Northwell’s values — celebrate their profound impact on those lives.

With The Truly Awards, we’ll celebrate Northwell doctors and nurses for their compassion and teamwork, and for always pushing what’s possible.

This is your opportunity to nominate and vote for the physicians and nurses you believe deserve a Truly Award.



THE TRULY AWARDS PHYSICIAN AND NURSE AWARD CATEGORIES

Physician Truly Awards

Truly Caring Touch
Truly Rising Star Award
Truly Leadership Award
Truly Mentorship Award
Truly Inclusive Award
Truly Outstanding Contribution Award*

*Only Northwell Health voluntary physicians are eligible for the Truly Outstanding Contribution Award.

Nurse Truly Awards

Truly Caring Touch Award
Truly Rising Star Award
Truly Leadership Award**
Truly Innovative Award
Truly Inclusive Award
Truly Collaborative Award

**Two separate awards for a clinical leader and a senior leader will recognize outstanding nurse leadership.

WHAT TO KNOW ABOUT TRULY AWARDS NOMINATIONS

All Northwell and Nuvance* physicians, dentists and nurses are eligible



You can nominate a physician or nurse for more than one award



You can nominate any physician or nurse who was honored in prior years

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Nominations
Open Sept. 25-
Oct 24



The nomination form has 2 questions. You may upload supporting documents



Tell a story, share experiences, heartfelt details



Your nomination story is shared with the nominated physician or nurse

*Only Nuvance employed physicians are eligible. Nuvance voluntary physicians are not eligible to be nominated at this time.



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Truly Caring Touch Award	Truly Rising Star Award	Truly Leadership Award	Truly Mentorship Award	Truly Inclusive Award	Truly Outstanding Contribution Award
Description: This employed physician embodies compassion and kindness and has exceptional bedside manner, reflecting the deep caring that is the essence of doctoring. Attributes: How the physician... 1. Builds extraordinary connections with patients. 2. Embodies compassion and shows great care and respect for patients, team members, caregivers and communities. 3. Excels in the art of medicine and prioritizes the well-being and care of patients.	Description: This employed physician, while relatively new to medicine, demonstrates a growth mindset and has made advancements in education, research or healthcare delivery. Attributes: How the physician... 1. Is an innovative solution seeker and embraces additional responsibilities and growth. 2. Has an open mind and demonstrates great promise in advancing healthcare. 3. Significantly contributes to education, research or 4. healthcare delivery by always looking for new ways to improve the field of medicine.	Description: This employed physician has the desire and ability to embrace change, push boundaries and inspire colleagues and teams to make healthcare better. Attributes: How the physician... 1. Has demonstrated meaningful accomplishments leading others formally or informally to support Northwell's growth and advance its mission. 2. Sees the big picture, is visionary and inspirational, empowering colleagues to realize their strengths to contribute to the advancement of healthcare. 3. Creates and effectively communicates a vision for improvements in medicine and how it can be provided to patients and the community.	Description: This employed physician selflessly gives time, energy and support to help colleagues and others recognize their potential and work together to achieve greatness. Attributes: How the physician... 1. Understands the power of togetherness and proactively offers time, energy and support to lift colleagues and others to their full potential. 2. Builds trusting teams, unity and connection, while coaching colleagues and others in a caring manner without any expectation of recognition. 3. Constructively guides colleagues and others through their work challenges towards one collective mission.	Description: This employed physician is a passionate advocate for fostering an inclusive environment, actively advancing high-quality care by addressing the unique needs of each individual patient. Attributes: How the physician... 1. Fosters a culture of inclusion, values everyone's backgrounds, experiences, and perspectives and supports the growth of colleagues, team members and trainees. 2. Demonstrates exceptional commitment to address the unique and individual needs of their patients. 3. Seeks innovative approaches to enhance healthcare for all and actively support community-based health programs.	Description: This voluntary physician has made an outstanding contribution to Northwell and the communities we serve. Attributes: How the physician... 1. Promotes a compassionate patient experience and demonstrates collaboration working alongside fellow Northwell clinicians and team members. 2. Embodies and is committed to our values. 3. Makes an outstanding contribution to the communities we serve through the advancement of education, effective leadership and exemplary service This award recognizes non-employed physicians within the Northwell Health medical staff across all hospitals.

2025 – 2026 PHYSICIAN ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

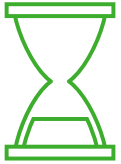
EMPLOYED PHYSICIANS

All employed physicians of Northwell Health and Nuvance Health	✓
MD, DO, MBBS, DMD, DDS, DPM only	✓
Employed by Northwell and Nuvance prior to July 1, 2025	✓
Rising Star Award: Less than 10 years of tenure as defined by the NYS or CT license issue date (on or after July 1, 2015)	✓
No active exclusions, free of disciplinary action and in good standing	✓
NP, PA, residents and fellows are not included	✗
Leadership exclusions (Chief, SVP, Medical School Chair, Executive Director)	✗
Not eligible for Outstanding Contribution Award	✗

VOLUNTARY PHYSICIANS

All credentialed voluntary physicians of Northwell Health	✓
MD, DO, MBBS, DMD, DDS, DPM only	✓
Credentialed by Northwell prior to July 1, 2025	✓
Only eligible for Outstanding Contribution award	✓
No active exclusions and in good standing	✓
NP, PA, residents and fellows are not included	✗
Remove if credentialed status becomes inactive during selection period	✗
Nuvance voluntary physicians are not eligible	✗

WRITING A WINNING NOMINATION



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- You can save your nomination anytime and return before submitting.



- All submissions must be submitted by **October 24 at 11:59 p.m.**



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Click the link to begin your nomination

Select award category

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Nominate a physician of Northwell Health for one of the six Truly Awards. To get started, click on a link below. Submit your nominations by Friday, Oct. 11, 11:59 PM ET.

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This employed physician embodies compassion and has an exceptional caring touch and bedside manner, reflecting the deep caring that is the essence of doctoring.

Nominate for The Truly Caring Touch Award

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Truly Leadership Award

This employed physician has the desire and ability to create a vision that pushes boundaries, unlocks potential and inspires colleagues and teams to seize opportunities to make healthcare better.

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Truly Mentorship Award

This employed physician selflessly gives time, energy and support to help colleagues and others recognize their potential and achieve greatness.

Nominate for The Truly Mentorship Award

Truly Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Award

This employed physician promotes belonging, values diversity, and advances inclusion and the equity of care for all.

Nominate for The Truly Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Award

Truly Outstanding Contribution Award

This voluntary physician has made an outstanding contribution to Northwell and the communities we serve.

Nominate for the Truly Outstanding Contribution Award

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Nomination tips

Writing a Winning Award Nomination

Before you start writing, review these tips from our scoring panel:

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Note: All fields denoted with a red asterisk (*) are required.

You can save your nomination any time before submitting. Use the save button at the bottom of this form.

Begin with reviewing
tips for how to write a
winning nomination.

Select a physician

Search for the physician you wish to nominate. If the physician is eligible to be nominated for any Truly award, they will appear in this list. Then, select an award from the list to begin your nomination application.

Note that not all physicians eligible to be nominated to a Truly award will be eligible for nomination in every category; you will receive an alert if the physician is not eligible for the award you have selected.

For complete details on eligibility for each award, review the [FAQ page](#).

Name of Nominee *

First Name

Last Name

Nominee First Name

Nominee Last Name

Nominee Middle Initial

Nominee Suffix

Nominee Degree *

Nominee Primary Specialty *

Nominee Email Address

Nominee Region

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Use this search box to select physician. Type first **OR** last name to begin search, physician names will appear. Select the physician you wish to nominate

All gray fields will auto-populate with selected physician information.

Nomination form

For which category are you nominating a physician? *

Truly Caring Touch Award ▼

This physician embodies compassion and has an exceptional caring touch and bedside manner, reflecting the deep caring that is the essence of doctoring.

This physician:

- Builds extraordinary connections with patients.
- Embodies compassion and shows great care and respect for patients, team members, caregivers and communities.
- Excels in the art of medicine and prioritizes the well-being and care of patients.

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Select award from drop down and review award description and attributes. Only eligible awards will be available in the drop down list.

Important Notice: Once you have started a nomination, do not go back and select a new award, your entry will reset and erase (questions are different for each award). Instead, save your nomination to keep entry, then go back and start a new nomination.

Nomination information

Question 1 *

Tell us the story about this physician including specific examples of situations, actions and outcomes. Please include how the physician (1) builds extraordinary connections with patients, (2) embodies compassion and shows great care and respect for patients, team members, caregivers and communities, (3) excels in the art of medicine and prioritizes the well-being and care of patients.

Word count maximum is 500 words.

Question 2 *

Imagine you are being interviewed, provide a brief quote on why your team members should vote for this physician.

Word count maximum is 50 words.

Word count: 0 / 50

Supporting Documents

Upload up to 5 documents or photos to demonstrate how this physician: 1) has an extraordinary connection to patients; 2) provides exceptional care; 3) excels in the art of medicine. Note: Videos longer than 5 minutes will not be considered. Any documents and/or photos submitted with this nomination will only be used by The Truly Awards Review Committee for the sole purpose of evaluating this nomination.

Would you like to provide supporting materials? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

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Complete the questions, then select save or submit.

Q1. 500 max word limit

Q2. 50 word limit

Q3. Supporting Documents
(optional but recommended)

Question 1-2 will vary for each award category, They are personalized against the respective award attributes.

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EXAMPLE OF A FINALIST NOMINATION STORY

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Dr. Veena John is an exceptional physician who conveys compassion and empathy in every interaction she has with her patients at a vulnerable time in their lives. She works with GYN Oncology patients who are often anxious during appointments as they consider the status of their mortality. Her easy manner, gentle touch, and calm voice seem to facilitate an immediate comforting response from the patients and their family members. She is sensitive to their physical and emotional needs while encouraging them to express what is on their minds in a non-judgmental environment. Her undivided attention, steady eye contact, and patience as she explains complex terminologies, treatments, and test results to her patients are essential qualities of the doctor-patient communication which she embodies.

She also makes a point of putting patients at ease while getting to know what is important to them as a person, beyond their illness. She ends every visit with the question: "Is there anything else I can do for you?" I can recall many instances of Dr. John changing her own schedule to accommodate those of her patients, or altering a treatment schedule or procedure to make sure that a significant event or trip is not missed. She recognizes that these occasions are usually long planned and anticipated as a way gaining some control over their life and forgetting about their cancer, if only for a limited amount of time.

One example is a patient who was grateful for the extra steps taken to make sure she could visit her 94-year-old mother in London, because Dr. John understood the significance of this trip to her physical and mental well-being. She subsequently returned from this trip with a glow of happiness as she recounted the details of her experience that had allowed her to put her disease aside for a few weeks and make some happy memories. Additionally, Dr. John never says "no" when one of her patients requests a last-minute visit related to new or worsening complaints. She will ALWAYS find a place for them on her schedule.

Dr. John is also an excellent clinical research investigator. This sometimes involves her thinking "outside the box" to ensure her patients get the best care and treatment in a timely manner. There is a particular skillset necessary to be an effective clinical investigator. Not only does one need to know how to approach a potential patient with a clinical trial, but they also need to know how to work with the research staff. Dr. John fosters trust and professionalism within her research team, which is a direct result of the respectful and caring manner she displays during interactions with her peers. She is very involved in research because she wants the ability to offer her patients access to the newest therapies. She is also an active member of several committees which facilitate the approval and use of these novel therapies.

The Northwell Cancer Institute is fortunate to have a physician with her combination of attributes.

Imagine you are being interviewed, provide a brief quote on why your team members should vote for this physician.

I have had the pleasure of working with Dr. Veena John for 26+ years, dating back to the days of her fellowship. I can truthfully say that she is one of the most knowledgeable and empathetic physicians in the field of GYN oncology that I have ever worked with.



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Truly Caring Touch Award	Truly Innovative Award	Truly Rising Star Award	Truly Collaborative Award	Truly Inclusive Award	Truly Leadership Award
Description: This registered nurse embodies compassionate care, going above and beyond to make a lasting impact on patients and colleagues alike. This award celebrates a nurse who... 1. Connects with patients on a human level, delivering empathetic, holistic, respectful, and individualized care. This nurse ensures patients feel seen, heard, and valued. 2. Fosters a safe, trusting, and supportive environment for the entire healthcare team. This nurse prioritizes open communication, mutual respect, and collaborative efforts. 3. Exemplifies compassion in action, prioritizing the emotional, psychological, and physical well-being of each patient while contributing to a positive and supportive workplace.	Description: This registered nurse embodies the spirit of innovation, leadership, and unwavering dedication to advancing the nursing profession and improving healthcare delivery. This award celebrates a nurse who... 1. Is a lifelong learner, dedicated to evidence-based practice and improving healthcare delivery. 2. Actively seeks opportunities to expand their knowledge and elevate the standards of care and make a lasting impact on patients, colleagues, and the community. 3. Champions innovative solutions, and advocate for better patient care both within the hospital and in the community. 4. Is a true change agent, passionate about raising the bar for nursing care and making a lasting impact on the profession.	Description: This registered nurse who, though new to the profession (within their first 5 years of practice), consistently goes above and beyond to provide exceptional patient-centered care. This award celebrates a nurse who... 1. Embodies the true spirit of caring, demonstrating a bright future as a leader in nursing. Possess genuine empathy, prioritizing their patients' physical, emotional, and psychological comfort. 2. Possesses the drive and foresight to shape the future of nursing, inspiring colleagues to strive for excellence in patient care. 3. Excels at communication, mentorship, and fostering a supportive environment. 4. Seeks opportunities to implement best practices, drive innovation, and champion initiatives that positively impact patient outcomes and the nursing profession as a whole.	Description: This registered nurse fosters a positive work environment, empowers colleagues, and elevates patient care nurse through collaboration and a commitment to shared goals. This award celebrates a nurse who: 1. Empowers each other to contribute their unique skills and perspectives, creating a safe and encouraging environment for professional growth. 2. Champions continuous learning by sharing knowledge, skills, and best practices, fostering a culture of professional development. 3. Cultivates a positive and inclusive work environment built on open communication, mutual respect. 4. Develops and implements programs and processes focused on customer experience, thus strengthening the team and enhancing patient care.	Description: This registered nurse exemplifies a commitment to advancing health outcomes for all, demonstrating an understanding of the importance of being responsive to the unique and individual needs of every patient and the family they serve. This award celebrates a nurse who... 1. Provides care that shows respect and understanding of the unique and individual needs of every patient and family they serve. 2. Pursues opportunities to learn from others and fosters a culture where everyone feels respected, their voice is heard, and they are a valued member of the team. 3. Demonstrates a commitment to community health through active engagement, advocacy for vulnerable populations, and serving as a role model for civic responsibility.	Description: (Two separate awards will recognize outstanding leadership) A clinical leader* (ANM to Assistant Director) who inspires and empowers teams to deliver exceptional patient care. & A senior leader (Director and above) who is a visionary leader who empowers teams to achieve results and cultivates a culture of excellence. This award celebrates a nurse leader who... 1. Seeks opportunities to implement evidence-based practices, drive innovation to elevate the standards of nursing care. 2. Advances nursing practice through strategic initiatives to promote a culture of excellence and actively contribute to improving patient outcomes. 3. Engages in professional organizations and contribute to decision-making processes that shape the future of healthcare. 4. Champions professional growth and development, mentoring others to assume leadership roles.

* For a more comprehensive list of Clinical Nurse Leadership titles please check the eligibility requirements on the nomination site.

2025-26 NURSE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

The HR review phase led by the Ambulatory HR department evaluates each nomination against the following eligibility requirements:

Nurses

Eligibility

- All employed registered nurses (RNs) across all settings within Northwell Health and Nuvance Health
- Flex staff, per diem employees, and ACPs (NPs, CRNAs, Nurse Midwives) not eligible
- Leadership exclusions (EVP, SVP)
- RNs must have 2+ years employment by Aug 1, 2025 (hired by Aug 1, 2023)
- Rising Star Award: Hired at Northwell/Nuvance between Aug 1, 2020 and Aug 1, 2023, and in first 5 years of nursing practice (as of Aug 1, 2025)
- Two leadership awards will be presented, with the following eligibility criteria:
 - *Clinical Nurse Leadership Award: Assistant Nurse Manager, Clinical Professional Development Educator, Nurse Manager, Senior Nurse Manager, and Assistant Directors
 - Senior Nurse Leadership Award: Directors and above
- * Clinical Nurse Leadership titles include:
 - Supervisor (assistant manager, assistant nurse manager, assist head nurse, nurse supervisor, supervisor)
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Join us in celebrating our physicians and nurses

Nominate now

Nominate a registered nurse (RN) of Northwell Health for one of the six Nursing Truly Awards. To get started, click on a link below. Submit your nominations between Monday, Sept. 25 through Friday, Oct. 24, 11:59 PM ET.

This employed registered nurse (RN) embodies compassionate care, going above and beyond to make a lasting impact on patients and colleagues alike.

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This RN embodies the spirit of innovation, leadership, and unwavering dedication to advancing the nursing profession and improving healthcare delivery.

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This RN who, though new to the profession (within their first 5 years of practice), consistently goes above and beyond to provide exceptional patient centered care.

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This RN exemplifies the true spirit of togetherness, demonstrating a commitment to nurturing the professional growth of their colleagues.

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This RN demonstrates a commitment to fostering a diverse, equitable, and inclusive healthcare environment for all. This nurse is a champion for health equity.

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This RN is a nurse leader (Director & above) who demonstrates exceptional leadership, inspiring and empowering others to achieve excellence in patient care.

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Done with your nurse nominations? Nominate physicians [here](#).

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Nomination tips

Writing a Winning Award Nomination

Before you start writing, review these tips from our scoring panel:

- **Start early:** Ensure you have enough time to gather supporting documents, write your nomination and proofread your submission.
- **Be specific but protect the patient:** Provide examples of how the nominee meets the award criteria. However, do not include any personal identifiable information (PII) or personal health information (PHI).
- **Speak from the heart:** Communicate with sincerity to share why this physician deserves to be recognized.

Note: All fields denoted with a red asterisk (*) are required.

You can save your nomination any time before submitting. Use the save button at the bottom of this form.

Begin with reviewing tips for how to write a winning nomination.

Nominated Nurse

Select a nurse

Search for the nurse you wish to nominate by entering the first name OR last name in the search box below. If the nurse is eligible to be nominated for any Nursing Truly award, they will appear in the results list. Note that not all nurses are eligible to be nominated in every award category. If a nurse is not eligible in a specific category, you will be unable to select that category from the list.

For complete details on eligibility for each award, review the [FAQ page](#).

Search for a nurse here, by typing the first few letters of the first name OR last name

Name of Nominee *

First Name

Last Name

Nominee Email Address

Nominee Region

Nursing Leadership

Award Category

For which Award are you nominating this nurse? *

(select) ▼

If you decide to change the award category, please save your work first.

Save

Save and Submit

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Use this search box to select nurse. Type first OR last name to begin search, nurse names will appear. Select the nurse you wish to nominate

All gray fields will auto-populate with selected nurse information.

Award Category

For which Award are you nominating this nurse? *

Truly Caring Touch Award



This employed registered nurse (RN) embodies compassionate care, going above and beyond to make a lasting impact on patients and colleagues alike.

This award celebrates a nurse who...

- Connects with patients on a human level, delivering empathetic, holistic, respectful, and individualized care. This nurse ensures patients feel seen, heard, and valued.
- Fosters a safe, trusting, and supportive environment for the entire healthcare team. This nurse prioritizes open communication, mutual respect, and collaborative efforts.
- Exemplifies compassion in action, prioritizing the emotional, psychological, and physical wellbeing of each patient while contributing to a positive and supportive workplace.

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Select award from drop down and review award description and attributes. Only eligible awards will be available in the drop down list.

Important Notice: Once you have started a nomination, do not go back and select a new award, your entry will reset and erase (questions are different for each award). Instead, save your nomination to keep entry, then go back and start a new nomination.

Nomination information

Question 1

Tell us the story about this nurse including specific examples of situations, actions and outcomes. Please include how the nurse (1) Connects with patients on a human level, delivering empathetic, holistic, respectful, and individualized care to ensures patients feel seen, heard, and valued. (2) Fosters a safe, trusting, and supportive environment for the entire healthcare team. Prioritizes open communication, mutual respect, and collaborative efforts. (3) Exemplifies compassion in action, prioritizing the emotional, psychological, and physical well-being of each patient while contributing to a positive and supportive workplace.

Word count maximum is 500 words.

Word count: 0 / 500

Question 2

Imagine you are being interviewed, provide a brief quote on why your team members should vote for this nurse.

Word count maximum is 50 words.

Word count: 0 / 50

Save

Save and Submit

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Complete the questions, then select save or submit.

Q1. 500 max word limit

Q2. 50 word limit

Q3. Supporting Documents
(optional but recommended)

Question 1-2 will vary for each award category, They are personalized against the respective award attributes.

SAVED AND IN PROGRESS NOMINATIONS



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Use the links below to view the status of your submissions. Please complete your “in progress” submissions before nominations close on Friday, Oct. 24, 11:59 p.m. ET.

[Click here to review your nominations you have not yet finished/submitted](#)

[Click here to begin a new nomination](#)

Saved/in progress nominations can be accessed under ‘My Account’

EXAMPLE OF A FINALIST NOMINATION STORY

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

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FAQs: Frequently asked questions

Click on the topic categories below to quickly find answers to frequently asked questions.

Topics

- General overview
- Nomination criteria
- Voting
- Final selection
- Questions and technical issues

General overview

What is Northwell Health Physician Partners?

Who is eligible for The Truly Awards?

Why was The Truly Awards program created?

Why does this award program have six separate awards?

How does The Truly Awards program work?

FAQ Question Categories anchored at the top of the page

Click a question to expand the text

Save this Direct link to FAQ: [Northwell Health - The Truly Awards](#)

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AMBASSADOR ROLE AND RESOURCES



YOUR ROLE AS A TRULY AWARDS AMBASSADOR



Communication

- Promote engagement and awareness of The Truly Awards with your local team members.
- Facilitate conversations with team members to address questions about nominations and voting.
- Utilize the most impactful channels to deliver timely updates, criteria and deadlines.



Engagement

- Encourage team members to collaborate on generating nominations.
- Help generate nominations and promote storytelling.
- Inspire team members to participate.
- Network and share ideas with fellow ambassadors.



Recognition

- Proactively acknowledge and celebrate nominees, finalists and winners.
- Develop, activate and promote local recognition activities in collaboration with your leader, HR and Culture Leaders utilizing the provided toolkit.



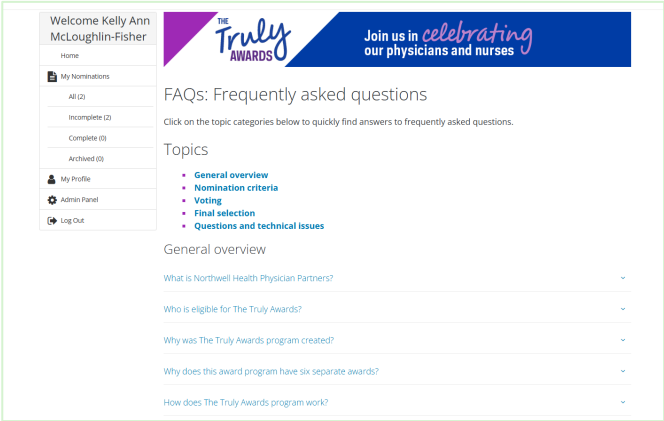
AMBASSADOR TOOLKIT

MAILING

- Welcome/introduction postcard, how to promote and access the ambassador digital tools
- The Truly Awards flyer with QR code driving to Trulyawards.northwell.edu website
- “I nominated” social media signs
- ***NEW*** Truly Ambassador Badge Buddies

DIGITAL RESOURCES SHAREPOINT SITE EXCLUSIVE FOR AMBASSADORS

- Truly Awards Flyer
- Truly Award Timeline Poster w/ QR code
- FAQs
- Messaging Guidelines
- Social Media for Ambassadors
- Ambassador webinar recordings
- Flyers and posters: nominee roster, finalist at a glance
- Vote and tabling resources
- Local recognition activation plan + Toolkit
- All weekly emails/reminder communications throughout the phases will reference link to access Digital Resource sharepoint site for cascade communications, videos, and any other relevant content to assist Ambassadors in promoting the Awards.



Ambassador resources will be available on Truly Awards website in FAQs section.



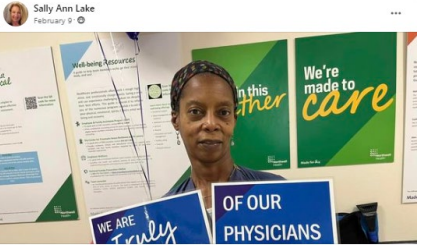
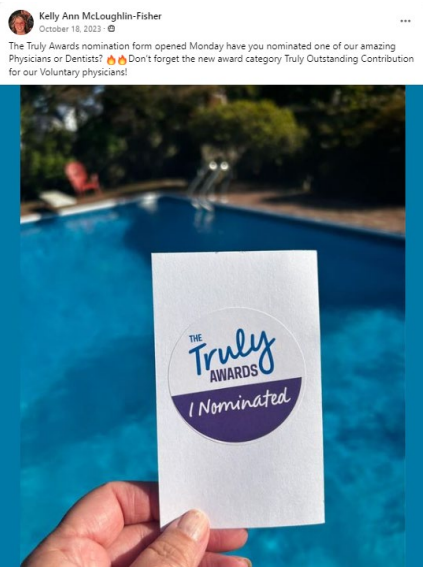
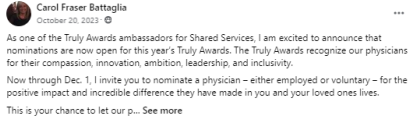
AMBASSADOR SOCIAL COMMUNITY GROUP

Continue the Ambassador Viva Engage Group to extend conversation with network of Ambassadors

- Channel to distribute updates
- Distribute and store Ambassador Digital Toolkit / ambassador resources
- Network and share ideas with fellow ambassadors
- 2x week posts during nominate, recognize and vote phases

The screenshot displays the 'Truly Awards Ambassador Network' community page on Viva Engage. At the top, a banner image shows a group of award winners standing on a stage. Below the banner, the community name 'Truly Awards Ambassador Network' is displayed, followed by a description: 'A network for Truly Award ambassadors who ignite engagement and participation in recognizing our physicians at Northwell Health.' Navigation tabs for 'Conversations', 'About', 'Files', and 'Events' are visible. A post input area allows members to 'Share thoughts, ideas, or updates' with options for Discussion, Question, Praise, and Poll. Below this, a post by 'McLoughlin-Fisher, Kelly Ann' dated 'Aug 29' is shown, announcing the start of the 'The Truly Awards 2025-2026' season. To the right, a sidebar provides community statistics: 601 members, 179 people reached, 3 people engaged, and 1 total post. It also includes a 'Community experts' section with an 'Assign' button and a 'Community summary' section for the period of Aug 8, 2025 - Sep 5, 2025.

GET SOCIAL



YOUR CALL TO ACTION, IMMEDIATE NEXT STEPS...



- ✓ Schedule a presentation of The Truly Awards during a team meeting.



- ✓ Download your ambassador digital toolkit, distributed after today's webinar.



- ✓ Begin promotion planning
- ✓ Map out local communications channels and how you will promote the awards.



- ✓ Set personal goal to generate 5+ quality nominations.
- ✓ Text 10 colleagues about The Truly Awards.

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