

2023 OADN Foundation Bobbie Anderson Leadership Award
Application Instructions

All 2023 OADN Foundation Award, Scholarship & Grant online applications are powered by Survey Monkey Apply. Applicants are strongly encouraged to gather all required materials, as clearly outlined in the instructions section, **BEFORE** completing the online application form. Having all components of your application proofread, finalized and ready for file upload will help to ensure successful submission. You will be asked to provide your OADN membership number (for program members, this may be secured from your Nursing Dean's or Director's Office) as active OADN membership is a requirement for applying. Please read all instructions thoroughly on the online application and/or nomination form.

Applications must be submitted on or before the deadline of 8PM Eastern on June 15, 2023. Incomplete applications will not be considered. If you have any questions, contact Amy Owens, OADN Director of Advocacy & Engagement amy.owens@oadn.org

Description: Named for OADN's first president, the Bobbie Anderson Leadership Award is given annually to an educator or nursing program administrator who has demonstrated exceptional leadership within his or her institution, community, and at the state and national levels. Mrs. Anderson joined with other state leaders in nursing to organize the Organization for Associate Degree Nursing. Mrs. Anderson helped ensure quality health care through her dedication and tireless efforts in promoting associate degree nursing education and practice. The Bobbie Anderson Leadership Award amount is \$1,000.

The recipient will be recognized, and the award will be presented at the 2023 OADN Annual Convention, *Turning the Tide of Nursing Education*, at the Manchester Grand Hyatt in San Diego, CA this November 15-18, 2023.

Requirements: The nominee must meet the following requirements: hold a current membership in OADN as an individual, retiree, or through a school program.

Instructions: To nominate an educator or nursing program administrator, please complete the online application and submit the following materials requested by file upload on or before the application deadline of June 15, 2023:

- **Letter of Nomination:** A letter of nomination of no more than 500 words attesting to how the nominee's leadership and service has advanced health care, education, and associate degree nursing.
- **Supporting Materials:** Any additional materials that support this nomination will be accepted and considered. Please limit to (3) three supporting documents. Please indicate criterion addressed on these materials when uploading files on the online application (e.g., student recommendations, colleague recommendations, awards, recognition, etc.)
- **Nominee Headshot:** A current headshot photo for marketing and/or ceremonial use only. *OADN Foundation blinds the candidate headshot information to eliminate possible unconscious bias in the review process. In drafting your candidate statements, please note that your headshot will not be shared with reviewers.*

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