

Call for Nominations

2025 Practitioner of the Year Award

Each year the Dermatology Foundation pays tribute to the specialty's leaders and role models through its honorary awards. Members of the dermatologic community are invited to nominate their peers for the following awards to recognize their career accomplishments and contributions to the specialty. The Award was established by the Dermatology Foundation in 1976 and is given each year to a member of the specialty who demonstrates exemplary service as a practitioner, teacher and/or researcher, and is active in other professional organizations, especially dermatologic organizations.

Award Qualifications

1. Quality of dermatologic practice as measured by the duration of practice, receipt of continuing education awards, citation of any recognition by hospitals or patients.
2. Participation in medical teaching at any level (undergraduate, medical, nursing, graduate, postgraduate).
3. Participation in research.
4. Participation in other professional societies, especially dermatologic organizations.
5. Publications.
6. The major criteria for selection would be consideration of the contributions made by the individuals as a clinical practitioner.
7. Individuals who have spent a considerable amount of time in full-time academic dermatology are not eligible for this award.

Recent past awardees:

Robert T. Brodell, MD
Michael T. Goldfarb, MD
William S. Sawchuk, MD
Tina S. Alster, MD
Lisa Garner, MD
Mark J. Holzberg, MD

Please submit a letters of nomination and support by [August 31, 2024](#) to:

Your letter of nomination should include any necessary background information that qualifies the nominee for the award and their curriculum vitae. All letters must be **received** by the deadline. Awards will be presented **March 2025 in Orlando, FL** at the margins of the AAD Annual Meeting.

For a complete recipient list please visit the past nominees link on our website, www.dermatologyfoundation.org/HAWD.