



## Asia-Pacific Action Alliance on Human Resources for Health

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### Call for AAAH Awards 2020

#### AAAH Award Purpose

The Asia Pacific Action Alliance on Human Resources for Health (AAAH) is a regional partnership mechanism established in response to international recognition of the need for regional and global actions to strengthen country capacity for Human Resources for Health (HRH) planning and management.

The AAAH award was established since 2010 to recognize the outstanding performances and contributions of health professionals in the HRH field. The 11<sup>th</sup> AAAH conference will be held in Myanmar during 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> August 2020 focused on achievement of 2020 and 2030 milestones of Global Strategy on HRH. There will, additionally, celebrate “The International Year of the Nurse and Midwife”. In this regard, the AAAH is accepting nominations for 2020 AAAH award. The “three” awardees will be invited to join the 11<sup>th</sup> AAAH conference in Myanmar and give a keynote speech around 10 minutes each at the opening ceremony on 10<sup>th</sup> August 2020.

#### Criteria

Nominees may be medical doctors (MDs), nurses, or midwives of AAAH member countries and are qualified with the following criteria:

1. Having worked in the HRH field for at least 5 years.
2. Being recognized as a change agent or an outstanding driver of HRH in the community or the nation.
3. Implementing or having potential to apply his/her work into policy at the national level.
4. Engaging other professions or people in wider range into their works.
5. Explicitly show innovative skills and leadership in his/her work.

#### Nomination Application Requirements

1. Nominee's resume - describing his/her background and contributions on HRH.
2. Award criteria Narrative - no more than three typed pages, provide specific, concrete examples of his/her achieved professional excellence in HRH.

#### Award Selection Committee

An award selection committee comprises HRH experts from external committees from non-AAAH member countries.

#### Nomination deadline

Each AAAH country member may nominate several nominees including MD, nurse, and midwife for the 2020 AAAH awards. The nomination and required document shall be submitted to AAAH Secretariat at email address: [aaahsecretariat@ihpp.thaigov.net](mailto:aaahsecretariat@ihpp.thaigov.net)<sup>1</sup> and cc: [secretariat@aaahrh.net](mailto:secretariat@aaahrh.net) by 31<sup>th</sup> March 2020.

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<sup>1</sup> This is a **group mail** where your email will run to all individual AAAH Secretariat's email. Please do not expect to receive the reply from this email.



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### AAAH Award Selection Committee

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