



EXCELLENCE IN PROFESSIONALISM AWARD

INTRODUCTION:

The American Board of Certification for Gastroenterology Nurses is dedicated to professional development of gastroenterology nurses. Through awards this organization seeks to recognize those nurses and facilities who have demonstrated commitment to excellence by validation of qualifications through certification.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Eligible nurses are certified in gastroenterology by February of the year in which they are nominated.
- Facility is a hospital based endoscopy unit, ambulatory care center, outpatient surgical center, gastroenterology office
- 50% or greater of the nurses are certified in gastroenterology

NOMINATION PROCESS:

A nomination form must be submitted to the ABCGN Awards Committee by **February 15**. The manager/charge nurse of the facility must have the nomination form validated by his/her supervisor attesting to the number of employees working in the facility.

Facilities with 50% or greater certified nurses will be recognized at the Annual ABCGN Awards Gala. Public recognition and a framed certificate of accomplishment will be awarded to the facility.



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NOMINATION FORM

Name of Facility _____

Address _____

SGNA Regional _____

Number of nurses ineligible for certification _____ Number of Certified Nurses _____
(Less than 2 years full time experience by August of the previous year)

Number SGNA members _____

Manager/Charge Nurse _____

Validating Supervisor _____

Hospital Endoscopy Unit

Ambulatory Care Center

Office/Endoscopy

Office

Surgical Care Center

Please complete this form submit by **February 15** to:

ABCGN Headquarters
Awards Committee
401 N. Michigan Avenue
Chicago, IL 60611

Phone: 800-245-SGNA (7462) Option #3

Fax: 312-673-6723