



NURSES SPECIALIZED IN  
WOUND, OSTOMY AND CONTINENCE  
CANADA  
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CANADA

## The Vancouver United Ostomy Association Award

### **Description of Award**

The Vancouver United Ostomy Association Chapter Nurses Specialized in Wound Ostomy and Continence Canada (NSWOCC) NSWOC Program award of \$1000.00 shall be awarded annually (pending funding availability) to recognize a BC NSWOC who has demonstrated a high degree of volunteerism with, and support of, people in the Vancouver, lower mainland or province of BC area living with an ostomy.

### **Objective**

To recognize volunteerism by an NSWOC that “gives back” to the ostomy community in the Vancouver, lower mainland, or province of BC area.

### **Criteria**

The recipient of this award must:

- Be a resident of British Columbia
- Be a Member of the NSWOCC in good standing (Provide evidence of current membership registration)
- Have graduated from the NSWOC Program within the past 5 years (must provide evidence of date of graduation)
- Provide Social Insurance number
- Provide a photo and a short story of their nursing background and their reason for taking the NSWOC Program and give permission for these to be published in the NSWOC Advance
- Answer 2 questions, max 500 words per question, which would be reviewed and scored by the NSWOC Program Awards committee.

#### **Questions:**

1. Describe how you have or plan to make a positive impact on the ostomy community (volunteerism, program development, fund raising etc.)
  2. What aspects of WOC nursing are you passionate about?
- All applications must be submitted by email to: [programmanager@wocinstitute.ca](mailto:programmanager@wocinstitute.ca) and MUST have “Vancouver Ostomy Chapter Award” in the subject line
  - All applications must be submitted by April 15 each year. Late applications will not be accepted
  - Self-nomination or peer nomination is encouraged
  - Incomplete applications will not be reviewed, ensure you have completed the application form below
  - Only award winners will be contacted,
  - Awards will be presented annually at the NSWOCC National Conference (May of each year)
  - For more information contact: [programmanager@wocinstitute.ca](mailto:programmanager@wocinstitute.ca)

#### **Sponsor**

Vancouver Ostomy Chapter

#### **Sponsor Contact Information**

Deb Rooney, President of Vancouver Ostomy Chapter: [autodraw@shaw.ca](mailto:autodraw@shaw.ca)



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## The Vancouver United Ostomy Association Award Application Form

Name

Address

City/Town

Province

Postal Code

Phone number

Email

Social Insurance Number

Are you a Canadian citizen?

Yes

No

Did you self-nominate for this award?

Yes

No

If peer nominated, is the person aware of this application?

Yes

No

Did you attach evidence that you are a member of NSWOCC?

Yes

No

Did you answer the two (2) questions?

Yes

No

Did you attach a photo and short background story?

Yes

No

Did you put "Vancouver Ostomy Chapter Award" in the  
email subject line?

Yes

No

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