



Intensive

Care

Society

Awards

2023

Nominations Guide



About the Awards

The Intensive Care Society is the largest multi-professional intensive care membership organisation in the United Kingdom.

Our vision is a world where every member of the multi-professional intensive care team is able to deliver the best quality care for those who need it, when they need it.

The #ICS Awards23 will recognise and celebrate the exceptional achievements of individuals and teams involved in this effort.

It will bring recognition to just some of the incredible work that has gone on to support colleagues, patients, loved ones and the public. More than that though, the #ICS Awards23 are about providing inspiration, so that our teams can continue to find the strength to meet the significant psychological demand it takes to bring world class care to patients when they need it most.

Key dates

17 July – Nominations open

6 October – Nominations close

3 November – Shortlist announced

December – 2023 Intensive Care Society Awards ceremony

Find out more at www.ics.ac.uk/awards



Our Award Categories

Intensive Care People Awards

Person of the Year

Recognises a healthcare professional who has overcome personal or organisational difficulty to embody the Society's values or the values of their Trust.

Categories open are:

- Consultant of the Year
- Doctor in Training of the Year
- Specialty Doctor/SAS of the Year
- Nurse of the Year
- Pharmacist of the Year
- Physiotherapist of the Year
- Occupational Therapist of the Year
- Dietitian of the Year
- Speech and Language Therapist of the Year
- Advanced Critical Care Practitioner/Advanced Practitioner in Critical Care of the Year
- Other ICU clinician of the Year

Outstanding Leadership

Recognises an individual at any level who has shown outstanding leadership in an intensive care unit, hospital or organisation.

Going the Extra Mile

Recognises someone who is not a clinician and has gone above and beyond to support intensive care staff and patients in the past 12 months.



Our Award Categories

Intensive Care Organisational Awards

Team of the Year

Recognises a team within ICU who have navigated a problem or pressure to provide outstanding patient care.

Association of the Year

Recognises an association or organisation who provided outstanding support to intensive care staff.

Unit of the Year

Recognises an intensive care unit who have navigated a problem or pressure to provide outstanding patient care.

EDI Project of the Year

Recognises an individual, unit, hospital, Trust or organisation who have implemented a meaningful programme of change to further a culture of inclusivity in the workplace.

Towards Net Zero

Recognises a unit or team who have implemented a meaningful initiative aimed at improving planetary health and moving intensive care towards net zero.

Collaboration Project of the Year

Recognises a unit, hospital, or organisation who embarked on a collaborative project at a regional, national or international level to improve the experience of intensive care staff or patients.

Team Support

Recognises an individual, team or unit, who have developed a programme or other tools to support their intensive care staff.



Our Award Categories

Intensive Care Education Awards

Best New Education Programme

Recognises an organisation, unit, or hospital who have developed a new educational programme for intensive care staff.

Best Professional Development Support

Recognises an organisation, unit, or hospital who have developed resources or networks to assist ICU staff of any profession with their career development.

Best Educational Event on a Small Budget

Recognises an organisation, unit, or hospital who have organised an educational event for ICU staff utilising a small budget.

Future of Intensive Care Awards

Research

Recognises a research team whose work has had a major impact on critical care service provision.

Most Innovative Industry Partner

Recognises an organisation whose research or product development has made important changes to the provision of care to ICU patients.

Retention Campaign

Recognises a unit or hospital who have run a successful campaign to retain intensive care staff.



Our Award Categories

Supporters of Intensive Care Awards

Best Patient Resources

Recognises an individual or organisation who have developed informational resources for ICU patients and/or their loved ones.

Advocacy

Recognises an individual or group, not working in healthcare, who have contributed their time and energy to publicly advocating for intensive care patients and staff.

Volunteer

An individual or group who have volunteered their time to improve the experience of intensive care patients.



How to nominate

You can nominate yourself, your team, your hospital, or someone you know in any of the above categories.

How to complete your submission:

1. Find out which category your nomination belongs to by reading the list above or visiting www.ics.ac.uk/awards.
2. Complete the 2023 Intensive Care Society Awards form at bit.ly/ICSAwardsForm23 or via our awards webpage. You will need to have the following information available about the person you are nominating:
 - Full name
 - Hospital
 - Email address
 - Job title
 - Details of the project, campaign, programme, or innovation you wish to nominate
 - Details about how it embodies our Society's values of Collaboration, Freedom of Expression, Accept and Respect and Quality
3. We'll be in touch with you with details about next steps!

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