

NAPCRG Awards Scoring Rubric

Distinguished Mentor Award

Eligibility Criteria to be nominated:

- Both the nominee and the nominator must be current NAPCRG members.
- The nominee must be at least 10 years into their research and/or academic career.
- An individual may only win the Distinguished Mentor Award once.

The Distinguished Mentor Award is intended to acknowledge outstanding mentorship of a NAPCRG member over the course of their career. The distinguished mentor will epitomize mentorship. They will demonstrate support, guidance and promotion of their mentee(s) which occurs beyond their job description. Retired candidates may be considered if they have continued to work with mentees.

- 1. An outstanding research career or teaching career where they have helped foster the careers of others
- 2. Demonstrated through a track record of serving as a mentor to many researchers through:
 - a. Number of publications when acting as a mentor (last author)
 - b. Funding where there is a diverse group are collaborators
 - c. Diversity in collaborators
 - d. Acknowledgment of number of mentees to date

Personal	Scoring Range/Definitions	Score	Comments
Achievements	(1 is the lowest score and 5 is top score)		
Did they meet the	Yes or No		
eligibility criteria?	(If no, this is a disqualification)		
Did they follow	0-2		
instructions and	0 – Did not follow instructions		
submit the correct	1 – One lapse (eg: CV too long)		
materials?	2 – Followed all instructions		
Mentorship	1-5		
statement: Does it	1- Limited Examples		
accurately	2 – Limited mentorship outside of direct job		
describe	requirements		
philosophy and	3 – Insight into philosophy of mentorship		
career?	 Insight to philosophy, specific examples. 		
	5- Descriptive of how the individual engaged mentees,		
	breadth of trainees mentored.		
Contribution to	1-3		
and participation	1 – Little to no mentorship in NAPCRG activities		
in NAPCRG	2 – One activity of engagement		
	3 – More than one NAPCRG activity		
Nominators	1-3		
(Nomination letter	1 - Vague description of mentorship. Only includes		
and LOS)	coaching.		
description of the	2- Discusses support in limited extent		
mentors quality	3 - Mentorship philosophy clearly articulated, concise,		
	and written by mentees		
Rate the nominee	1-3		
based on their			



submission	1 – Moderate strength applicant that has provided	
packet.	some mentorship to a specific group; limited NAPCRG	
	involvement	
	2 – Strong applicant that has diverse mentees, aligns	
	with values of primary care research and NAPCRG	
	3 – Best possible applicant with wide breadth of	
	meaningful mentorship relationships (quality over	
	quantity), robust production by mentees and	
	involvement in NACPRG and/or other endeavors.	
	Total Overall Score	/ 16