

## Hampshire & Isle of Wight LPC Awards 2017

**The LPC is pleased to announce a new initiative for 2017 to celebrate the fantastic work that community pharmacy contractors and their teams do to improve the health and wellness of the people of Hampshire.**

The purpose of this event is to provide an opportunity for contractors and their teams to showcase examples of outstanding professional performance from those working in, and with, community pharmacy across Southampton, Hampshire, Isle of Wight and Portsmouth.

The Committee is eager to formally recognise and celebrate the very positive contribution that community pharmacy makes to improve the health and wellness of patients and customers at a time when the NHS and social care is under increasing pressure and pharmacy takes on a higher profile position as a member of the primary healthcare team.

### **What and When:**

An evening of celebration with hot food and drinks will be held on **Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July** at the Hilton Doubletree Hotel, Chilworth **commencing at 7pm.**

Award nominees and their guests, plus an invited audience of influential local stakeholders will be in attendance to hear of the great work being done and to celebrate the winning entries that will have been judged by a select panel.

There will also be a Key Note Address speaker details to be confirmed closer to the event.

Nominations are invited from those working in community pharmacy across Southampton, Hampshire, Isle of Wight and Portsmouth in one or more of the following five categories;

## Award Categories 2017

### **Community Pharmacist of the Year**

An individual who not only provides fantastic pharmaceutical care in their daily practice, but someone who is an active member of the local professional community and goes out of their way to contribute to the health and wellbeing of the community they serve.

### **Community Pharmacy of the Year**

A Pharmacy that evidences its contribution to improving the health and wellbeing of its customers, and actively, and regularly, reaches out into its local community to do so.

### **Community Pharmacy Team Member of the Year**

Recognised as being an effective member of the team who contributes to the commercial and professional success of their pharmacy. This team member stands out from others as being recognised by their patients, other healthcare professionals, and commissioners as providing a consistently excellent service.

### **Multidisciplinary Working Award**

Either an individual or team working in, or with, community pharmacy and facilitating the collaboration of healthcare professionals from primary and/or secondary care to deliver safe and effective outcomes in service pathways and patient care.

### **Pharmacy Service of The Year**

We are seeking examples of innovation and looking to recognise efforts to develop sustainable pharmacy services that deliver positive patient outcomes at the same time as rewarding community pharmacy for its professional input.

**[Note:** Only the entry form relevant to the award category must be used (attached).

**Each entry is limited to a maximum of 250 WORDS]. Any supporting documentation should be scanned and emailed along with the completed entry form.**

**Completed nomination forms should be returned to the LPC Office via email ([admin@hampshirelpc.org.uk](mailto:admin@hampshirelpc.org.uk)) no later than 16<sup>th</sup> June**

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In addition, there will be a **Special Recognition Award** made by the LPC to a person who, in the view of the Committee, has made an outstanding contribution in the field of community pharmacy professional practice

## **Note for Editors:**

The LPC is the organisation representing the owners of the 359 community pharmacies that provide NHS Pharmaceutical Services across Southampton, Hampshire, the Isle of Wight and Portsmouth (SHIP). The committee has a membership of thirteen elected and nominated individuals, many of whom are practicing pharmacists and who have many years of experience, both working within and operating pharmacies that are at the very heart of the communities that they serve.

The role of the LPC is to support and represent its members.

For further information on the work of the LPC or about the 2017 Awards Event please contact Skye White, Office Manager at the LPC ([skye.white@hampshirelpc.org.uk](mailto:skye.white@hampshirelpc.org.uk)) or telephone 01252 413778.