



## The Joy Mill Award for Outstanding Contribution to Occupational Therapy

The PEIOTS Outstanding Occupational Therapist award was established in 1990 as a means to honour a Prince Edward Island Occupational Therapy society member who has made an outstanding contribution to the profession. The award is intended to heighten awareness within the profession, instill a desire to contribute to the development of both the profession and society, and to focus public attention on the scope of occupational therapy. The name of the award was changed to “The Joy Mill Award for Outstanding Contribution to Occupational Therapy” in 2014 in memory of a dear colleague who passed away in 2013.

Nominations must meet the following criteria:

1. Nominees shall be an individual or life member of the Prince Edward Island Occupational Therapy Society.
2. Nominees shall have worked as an occupational therapist on PEI for a minimum of five years.
3. Nominees shall be making, or have made contributions that influence the profession, directly or indirectly, in at least one of the following areas:
  - Demonstrating dedication to education and guiding, supporting and encouraging the development of occupational therapy students;
  - Demonstrating expertise or innovation in one or more practice areas in roles in academic or practice education, consultation, administration or research;
  - Developing an innovative occupational therapy practice or working extensively with community/client groups;
  - Making a sustained commitment to the profession by acting as a leader and a role model.

Nominations will be considered every year, but the award will be presented only when provincial recognition is deemed merited.

Nominator/s is/are required to be a member/members of the Prince Edward Island Occupational Therapy Society.



**The Joy Mill Award for  
Outstanding Contribution to Occupational Therapy  
Nomination Form**

**To be completed by the Nominator:**

I nominate \_\_\_\_\_ for The Joy Mill Award for Outstanding Contribution to Occupational Therapy presented by PEIOTS.

Name of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**If second nominator involved:**

I nominate \_\_\_\_\_ for The Joy Mill Award for Outstanding Contribution to Occupational Therapy presented by PEIOTS.

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominee's Information:**

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Date submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

The award recipient will be announced and presentation of the award will be given to recipient in October at an Occupational Therapy Event, celebrating Occupational Therapy month.



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Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) of Person(s) Writing the Narrative: \_\_\_\_\_

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The purpose of the narrative is to describe **why the candidate was nominated for this award and to highlight the exceptional contributions of this occupational therapist living in the province of Prince Edward Island.**

The narrative must include explicit examples of the nominee's contribution to the profession of occupational therapy, as contributing evidence of, and reasons for, the nomination of the candidate.

The narrative should not exceed one (1) typewritten pages and should include:

1. Educational background
2. Summarized work experience, including number of years working as an occupational therapist and relevant information regarding the nominee's contributions toward the award criteria in the narrative.

**Please submit one electronic version and one original version of the nomination forms (pages 2 and 3) and the narrative by September 1<sup>st</sup> of the year in which the nomination is being submitted.**

**The original version may be sent to:**

Spokesperson, PEIOTS  
PO Box 2248, Stn Central  
Charlottetown, PE  
C1A 8B9

**The electronic version may be sent to:**

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