

THE VERN-BARNETT AWARD FOR DENTAL ASSISTING EXCELLENCE 2010

This is an opportunity for Dentists and staff to recognize their valued team member and nominate them for this prestigious Award .

The Vern-Barnett Award has been established to commemorate the contributions made by Kathy and Brian Vern-Barnett as individuals and as a team to the advancement and recognition of Dental Assisting as integral to the professional standing of the dental health team.

The Award will be presented to the outstanding Dental Assistant who exhibits one or more of the following qualities.

- Outstanding team member
- Exceptional dedication, diplomacy and loyalty
- Response to patients' needs, care and comfort
- Commitment to professional development via ongoing education
- Great ambassador for the profession
- Contributes to the ethical standards of dentistry in dealing with patients, the public and the dental profession.

The NSW Dental Assistants (Professional) Association is proud to host this inaugural event.

Here is your opportunity to say "thank you" to your dedicated team member and recognize their contribution to your practice.

To nominate your dental assistant complete the form below or download from the website www.nswdaa.asn.au and forward to:

Vern-Barnett Award Committee

PO Box 40,

Westgate NSW 2048

Fax to 61 2 9569 3220

Email to info@nswdaa.asn.au

Need more information ?

Phone 61 2 9569 3220

Conditions for nomination

1. Nomination is open to all Dental Assistants in NSW.
2. Membership of the NSW DAA is not required.
3. Nominees must be in permanent, part-time or casual employment in NSW.
4. Members of the judging committee and their immediate relations are not eligible.
5. No fees are payable for entry.
6. One nomination only per assistant, per practice or clinic will be accepted. Multiple nominations for one nominee will be deemed invalid.
7. Nominations will be judged by the Vern-Barnett Award Committee – Dr & Mrs Brian Vern-Barnett, Dr Mark Sinclair (ADA NSW President) Ms Beverley Metcalf (NSW DAA President) and Ms Joanne Tomkins.
8. Judges' decision is final – no correspondence will be entered into.
9. Nominations must be received on the approved nomination forms or photocopies. Additional information may be attached.
10. All entries must be received by 5pm Friday, 20th August, 2010
11. Entries may be mailed, faxed or emailed to the NSW DAA office
12. Winner will be notified within 10 days of the closing date. Presentation of the award will be held at the NSW DAA "Big Day Out for the Dental Team" Conference Friday 10th September 2010 Sydney Convention Centre, Bayside Gallery at 2.0pm
The recipient must consent to free use of their photo and name in relevant publications and website of the NSW DAA and ADA NSW and associated companies and for the promotion of the Vern-Barnett Award.
13. All information provided about the nominee will become the property of the NSW DAA and viewed only by the judging committee. Nomination forms will be destroyed following the event.

