



MSD Infectious Diseases Project of the Year Award 2017

The MSD Infectious Diseases Project of the Year Award will seek to recognise those hospital professionals that have displayed levels of excellence and dedication within any category of infectious diseases and antimicrobials in Ireland.

Key roles for the infectious diseases professionals include educating pharmacy, medical and nursing staff, auditing prescribing patterns and trends, monitoring antibiotic use, ensuring compliance with good practices and managing infection control issues, all of which contribute to reducing hospital associated infections.

This Award must be Pharmacist-Led

JUDGES WILL BE LOOKING FOR:

- Evidence of long-term, consistent dedication and outstanding achievements that have led to the advancement of this field, professionals within it and public health
- Evidence to show that innovative practice has markedly enhanced the field and its development
- An innovative project/development/service or new approach in the field or a research project within the field of infectious diseases
- Evidence of the initiation or development of interdisciplinary research projects and networks
- Evidence of a large variety of skills, attributes and accomplishments

WHO CAN ENTER?

This category is open to all hospital professionals working within the hospital sector in Ireland. Applications can be through nominating an individual or yourself.

Each submission will be judged by an independent judging panel.

Entries can be submitted by post or email. All entries will be handled in the strictest confidence and will not be made available to any party not involved with judging the awards. If your entry is shortlisted, the Awards organisers may wish to reproduce a summary of your entry, photographs and any other supporting materials in the finalists' booklet or within other materials they produce to promote the awards including all press materials.

The completed form must be returned by email to IPN Communications or via email to: kelly@ipnirishpharmacyawards.ie or posted to IPN Communications Ltd, 26 Clifton House, Lower Fitzwilliam Street, Dublin 2 marked with the reference: HPNAwards2017.

DEADLINE, JUNE 7TH, 2017

Name of Entry:

Contact Lead:

Contact telephone:

Contact email:

Team Members and their roles were applicable:

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2. Please outline below why you decided to undertake this initiative:

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3. Please outline below the objectives of this project:

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4. Please outline below how you foresee this initiative may be rolled out across other hospitals in Ireland:



5. Overview of the Project:

Please submit your overview of project in no more than 1,000 words.

Supporting visuals and evidenced based outcomes can be used to enhance your entry.

For example:

- > Can you clearly demonstrate your innovation; the quality and originality of the idea and results
- > Judges will want to see the potential; the contribution this project is likely to make to the wider development of infectious diseases across all care
- > Demonstration of ongoing professional commitment to this field



