

## **Ostomy Canada Award**

### Description of Award

The Ostomy Canada Society ET (Enterostomal Therapy) award of \$1500.00 shall be awarded annually (pending funding availability) to encourage registered Nurses to pursue a career in Enterostomal Therapy with a focus on ostomy care.

### Objectives

1. To motivate CAET ETNEP graduates to be informed about Ostomy Canada Society services and its support of people in Canada living with an ostomy.
2. To encourage volunteerism and leadership, that “gives back” to the ostomy community

### Administration of the Award

This award will be administered by CAET in cooperation with the Ostomy Canada Society awards committees. Applications will be reviewed by and winners decided by the Ostomy Canada Society. The award will be presented at the CAET Annual Conference. The recipient does not need to be in attendance to win the award.

### How to Apply

1. Applicants have up to 2 years from the date of completion of the CAET ETNEP program to apply.
2. The Applicant must submit an essay (up to 2000 words, may include pictures) describing their thoughts on and approach to volunteerism including their extracurricular, unpaid, work with people living with an ostomy on a local and or national level.
  - a. All essays become the property of the Ostomy Canada Society and may be published in any Society materials
1. The Applicant must:
  - a. Be a Canadian Citizen and resident of Canada
  - b. Be a member of the Ostomy Canada Society.
  - c. Be a member of CAET.
  - d. Be a graduate of CAET ETNEP program.
  - e. Be selected by the Ostomy Canada awards committee.
  - f. Provide their Social Insurance Number
  - g. Give permission and provide a photo and background story to be published in Ostomy Canada magazine and or the CAET LINK.
2. All applications must be submitted by email to [director@caetacademy.ca](mailto:director@caetacademy.ca)
3. All applications must be received by December 31 of the year prior to the awarding
4. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.
5. Only award winners will be contacted
6. This award may only be won once
7. Award funds will be mailed in a cheque to the recipient.