

Selection Panel for the Beryl Haynes Memorial Award

The selection panel of the Beryl Haynes Memorial Award will comprise of three members of the current Management Committee of Tascare Society for Children.

The selection panel will be responsible for assessing the merit of all nominations.

The selection panel shall recommend the successful nominee to the Management Committee who will be responsible for ratifying any decision.

In considering the merit of a nomination, the selection panel will consider the following;

Does the nominee describe the need that the proposed topic will address?

How many people might benefit from the proposal?

Does the proposal demonstrate a benefit for Tasmanian people with disability and their families?

Is there information provided about the presenter and their expertise/experience?

Is there evidence that the presenter is willing to travel to Tasmania?

Have the immediate costs of the proposal been provided (presenter fees, transport and accommodation)?

Is the proposal consistent with the mission and values of Tascare Society for Children?

Has the proposed topic been supported by Tascare Society for Children in previous years?

What is the perceived value to the Tasmanian disability support sector?

In addition, the selection panel may;

In the event of 2 applicants being considered of equal merit, the committee may choose to distribute funds equally between applicants.



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**Beryl Haynes
Memorial Award**



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Invites applications for the **Beryl Haynes Memorial Award**

What is the Beryl Haynes Memorial Award?

This award was established by Tascare Society for Children as a memorial to Miss Beryl Haynes, a Tasmanian Physiotherapist and former Director of the Society.

The award honours Miss Haynes for her professional contribution to Paediatric Physiotherapy in Tasmania

It also signifies and acknowledges her passion, personal contribution and life long commitment to working with families in partnership.

What can the award be used for?

The Beryl Haynes Memorial Award is used to support professional development in Tasmania for people working in the area of paediatric disability.

An amount of up to \$2000.00 is available toward supporting professional development activities in any area of the State.

It is the intent of the award to enhance professional development opportunities in Tasmania. Proposals will not be accepted where the topic is considered to be the requirement of a professional discipline or the responsibility of an individual employer.

Who can apply for the award?

Nominations may be submitted from professionals working in the area of paediatric disability who are based in Tasmania – this includes educators, health and allied health professionals.

How is the successful nomination selected?

Nominations are considered by a small selection panel with the successful nomination ratified by the full TASCARE Management Committee.

The decision by the Management Committee is final and cannot be appealed.

How to nominate for the award?

Professionals wishing to nominate for the Beryl Haynes Memorial Award need to present a written nomination which includes details of;

The professional development activity they wish to nominate – what is the topic being proposed?

The target audience – who could attend – is the topic discipline specific or is it suited to a wider audience?

The perceived value of the professional development activity – who will benefit and how?

A brief professional biography of the proposed presenter – who are they and what is their expertise/experience in the proposed topic?

Confirmation of the proposed presenter's ability to travel to Tasmania.

Confirmation of the anticipated immediate costs associated with the professional development activity (i.e. presenter fees, travel, transport).

The nomination does not need to be very detailed, but nominees must demonstrate to the selection panel that their nomination is viable and achievable in addition to demonstrating the perceived value of their proposal.

Applicants must indicate if they have applied to other funding sources for their proposal.

What is required from the successful applicant?

The successful nominee or representative must be available for presentation of their award at the AGM of Tascare Society for Children – held in November in Hobart.

The successful nominee will be expected to work cooperatively with Tascare Society for Children to ensure that their proposal is delivered.

Tascare Society for Children provides a great deal of support to the successful nominee in terms of coordinating the professional development activity.

Nominees must provide two professional referees who are able to validate the merit of their proposal.

The professional development activity must take place within 12 months of the award being presented.

When are nominations received?

Nomination period is from the 1st to the 30th September annually.

Confirmation of the successful applicant is ratified by the Management Committee early October. All nominees will be informed of the outcome.

Need more information?

All enquiries are to be directed to the Executive Officer of Tascare Society for Children.

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