

NURSE OF THE YEAR AWARDS

2018 FINALISTS



Advanced Practice

Lynn Schuster, Banner Gateway Medical Center
Jane Lacovara, Banner University Medical Center Tucson
Nancy Denke, Arizona State University College of Nursing and Health Innovation

Care Coordination, Public Health & Ambulatory Care

Krista Hausig, Banner Gateway Medical Center
Elizabeth Chapin, Banner Gateway Medical Center
Staci Sutton, Gilbert Public Schools – Burk Elementary

Charge Nurse

Shelly Diana, HonorHealth John C. Lincoln Medical Center
Emily Dewey, Banner University Medical Center Tucson
Kristen Maldonado, Abrazo Arrowhead Campus

Critical Care/ Emergency

Summer Johnson, Flagstaff Medical Center
Deborah Dompier, Banner Gateway Medical Center
DeAnn Wegwert, Flagstaff Medical Center

Education

Presented by Chamberlain University

Karen Saewert, Arizona State University College of Nursing and Health Innovation
Kimberly Vana, Arizona State University College of Nursing and Health Innovation
Diane Nunez, Arizona State University College of Nursing and Health Innovation

Friend of Nursing

Katherine White, Banner University Medical Center Tucson
Caryn Barman, Tucson Medical Center
Kim Alexander, Flagstaff Medical Center

General Medicine/Surgical

Andrea Eerdmans, HonorHealth Deer Valley Medical Center
Jill Bigelow, Banner University Medical Center Phoenix
Charlotte Moore, Banner University Medical Center Tucson

Nursing Leadership & Administration Management

Presented by Grand Canyon University College of Nursing and Health Care Professions

Rose Saunders, Grand Canyon University
Deidre Walton, Banner Health Plan
Catherine Mohammed, Chamberlain College of Nursing

Pediatric

Presented by Phoenix Children's Hospital

Megan Quinn, Banner Cardon Children's Medical Center
Rhiannydd Raines, Phoenix Children's Hospital
Kara Ihrke, Phoenix Children's Hospital

Student Nurse

Presented by University of Phoenix

Christina Ruckle, University of Phoenix
Alma Lopez, University of Phoenix
Brien Hutt, University of Phoenix

Women's Health

Presented by Dignity Health

Halsey Hill, Arizona Mother Baby Care
Aubrey Hulka, Banner University Medical Center Phoenix
Deana Amend, Tucson Medical Center

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**Winner will be selected among top finalists in all categories and announced at the Nurse of the Year Luncheon*