



ACAHA Conference 2022 April 7-9<sup>th</sup>, Darling Island Wharf, Sydney

**Child and Adolescent Health Champions**

*Do you know someone who has made an amazing, perhaps under-recognized, contribution to Child and Adolescent Health locally or globally?*

The Academy of Child and Adolescent Health is establishing the ACAHA Champion Awards.

The difference between these awards and other honours, is that these awards will be peer-nominated and peer-voted.

We are looking to recognise passionate, innovative people, from diverse backgrounds, who are gamechangers in Child and Adolescent Health.

**Categories:** (NB: categories could have 0, 1 or more winners depending on number and quality of nominations):

1. **Open:** Child and/or Adolescent Health professional or researcher
2. **Emerging leader:** student, trainee or early career researcher
3. **Organisation**

**Inclusion:** Any ACAHA member/non-member is eligible to be nominated but only ACAHA members can nominate and only ACAHA voting members can vote for the winners

**Exclusions:** ACAHA Board members are not eligible for the ACAHA Champion awards as the final decision on awards will be made by the Board

**Nomination process:**

- Any ACAHA member can nominate up to 3 people for any of the Champion awards (NB: the nominee does not need to be a member)
- Nominations will be made online through the ACAHA website using a standard form
- The nominator can choose to remain anonymous to the nominee and does not need to inform or seek the consent of the nominee at this stage
- The ACAHA Board will ratify nominations and then contact the nominee before placing the nominations on the ACAHA Website for member voting

<p><b>Please provide a photo of nominee (+- consent):</b> <i>(NB: we will ask for consent later if you don't have consent at this stage)</i></p>	<p><b>Nominee details:</b> <i>Please provide a brief summary of the nominee, incl previous awards</i></p>
<p><b>Major achievements (max 500 words):</b> <i>Please provide a brief summary of their achievements (can be dot points)</i></p>	<p><b>Relative to opportunity:</b> <i>Please note any additional barriers or hurdles they had to overcome. Nominees can be at any career stage (students, specialists or established leaders)</i></p>

**Selection process:**

- The Board will determine the winner(s) in each category based on the membership vote and the strategic priorities of the Academy

**Announcement:** *The 2022 Award winner(s) will be announced at the ACAHA Conference in Sydney, April 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> 2022 (register at [www.acah.org.au](http://www.acah.org.au))*