



Richard E. Darnell Award

Purpose:

The Richard E. Darnell Award was developed to acknowledge significant contributions in the area of research.

Criteria for Selection:

1. The awardee must be an active member of the Michigan Physical Therapy Association.
2. The awardee must have an established record of peer-reviewed published clinical research.
3. The awardee must have served as a resource and/or consultant to others on clinical research methodology.
4. The awardee must have contributed to the dissemination of information on how to conduct clinical research.

Nomination Procedure:

1. Nominations must be submitted to the MPTA Office and must be received by August 1st via mail, e-mail, or fax:

Michigan Physical Therapy Association
1055 North Fairfax Drive – Suite 205
Alexandria, VA 22314
mpta@mpta.com
Fax: 703-706-8575

2. Nominations must include:
 - Name, address, telephone number, e-mail, and APTA/MPTA membership number of nominee
 - Present employment of nominee
 - Biographical data
 - Statement containing documentation of contributions and their impact on physical therapy in Michigan which qualifies the nominee for this award
 - Signature of nominator
 - Date

Selection and Award:

1. One award will be presented on an annual basis.
2. The award will be presented at the annual MPTA Fall Conference by one of the Institute trustees.
3. The award will consist of a plaque.