



**Public Health Association of Australia WA Branch
Early Career Award
2011**

Annually one award will be made to an individual who contributed significantly to the advancement of public health in Western Australia.

The Award will comprise of a framed certificate signed by the WA Branch President and will be conferred with a citation at the Annual General Meeting.

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

1. Nominees should be WA Branch members.
2. Nominees should be 'early career' e.g. within 5 years of commencing a career in public health.
3. Nominations must have two nominators.
4. Nominators must be WA Branch members.
5. Nominators must include a brief justification for nominating the individual including a description of the nominee's contribution to public health in WA (Complete attached Nomination Form. 400 words maximum).
6. The following guidelines should be considered when nominating the individual:
 - The contribution should have the potential to improve the health of large numbers of particularly vulnerable groups of the population.
 - The contribution may be in any field of public health, including but not limited to: delivery of health services; planning and administration of health services; health research and health promotion.
 - The contribution required effort and commitment beyond the call of duty.
 - Voluntary work and committee membership will be considered favourably.
7. Nominations close at **COB Monday 3 October 2011**. Late applications will not be accepted.
8. Nominations should be forwarded to Prof Peter Howat, Chair PHAA Awards Committee

Email: p.howat@curtin.edu.au

Post: Prof Peter Howat, CBRCC, Curtin University, GPO BOX U1987, Perth, WA 6845

SELECTION PROCESS

1. The WA Branch Committee will select the recipient of the award.
2. The Committee may request additional information from the nominee or nominators if deemed necessary.
3. The Committee may decide to make no award depending on the merit of the nominees.
4. The final decision concerning the 'significance of a contribution to public health' will rest with the WA Branch Committee.

For more information contact Peter Howat, Email: P.howat@curtin.edu.au



**NOMINATION FORM
WA BRANCH EARLY CAREER AWARD 2011**

NOMINEE DETAILS

Name			
Organisation (if applicable)			
Address			
Phone		Email	

FIRST NOMINATOR DETAILS

Name			
Position			
Address			
Phone		Email	
PHAA Member	<input type="checkbox"/> YES		<input type="checkbox"/> NO

SECOND NOMINATOR DETAILS

Name			
Position			
Address			
Phone		Email	
PHAA Member	<input type="checkbox"/> YES		<input type="checkbox"/> NO

SIGNATURE

1ST Nominator	<i>Electronic signature acceptable</i>	2nd Nominator	<i>Electronic signature acceptable</i>
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NOMINATORS STATEMENT

Justification and nominees' contribution to public health (400 words maximum)

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