Research in Primary Dental Care Award

Purpose:

This award is presented annually to support research by investigators whose current main position is in a primary care setting such as a health board/authority or general dental practice. Health services research is the primary focus of the award and this may include epidemiology, audit, health promotion or research into other health service issues.

Eligibility: This award is open to all members of the dental team - dental nurses, dental hygienists as well as dentists. There are two sections, one for applicants working in a primary care setting who do not have a post graduate diploma or degree and the other for applicants with a post graduate diploma or degree.

Award: The Research in Primary Dental Care Award consists of a scroll and money prize. The prize money is divided equally between the sections.

The Scientific Committee of the Irish IADR Division will judge the competition. The decision of the judges will be final. The Award may be divided or withheld at the discretion of the judges.



The DHF Graduate Award Competitors must be resident in Ireland and working on projects related to an aspect of primary care dentistry on the final date for receipt of entries. They must not possess a

postgraduate degree but may have been, or be, pursuing a post graduate degree at the time of the formulation of the protocol or at the time the research was carried out. Each competitor must be the sole or principal author of the work.

When co-authors are involved a statement shall accompany the entry outlining the extent of their involvement. Competitors shall be members in good standing of IADR.

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The DHF Postgraduate Award

Competitors must be resident in Ireland and working on projects related to an aspect of primary care dentistry on the final date for

receipt of entries. They may have completed a higher degree at the time of the formulation of the protocol or at the time the research was carried out. Each competitor must be the sole or principal author. When co-authors are involved a statement shall accompany the entry outlining the extent of their involvement. Competitors shall be members in good standing of IADR.

Entries shall be received on or before the final date for receipt of abstracts prior to the relevant Scientific Meeting of the Irish Division of IADR together with a brief curriculum vitae and a covering letter stating that the entrant wishes to enter the competition for the Dental Health Foundation Prize. The work should not have already been presented at any national or international meeting.



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