

Rising Star Award

Each year the Department will recognize an outstanding staff member who demonstrates a quality of performance that indicates s/he will continue to develop into an exemplary employee. The employee shows passion for their work while exemplifying professionalism and dedication to the mission of their department and the University in the short time that s/he has been a part of the department.

Eligibility criteria:

- Staff members must have been employed as regular (including bargaining unit) employees, at 50% FTE or more, in the Department of Pediatrics for at least twelve months, but no more than three years, as of March 31, 2020.

Who can nominate:

- Any faculty, staff, student, resident, fellow or postdoctoral scholar working in the Department of Pediatrics may nominate an eligible staff member.

Nomination process:

- Nominations must be submitted through the online survey, which will be forwarded to the Award Selection Committee.
- Nominations should total half a page in length, and must include:
 - Name of the nominee
 - Rationale for why the individual deserves the honor (1-2 paragraphs)