

# VIZIENT PHARMACY VISION AWARDS FAQ

The Vizient® pharmacy team is pleased to announce our inaugural Pharmacy Vision Awards that will recognize the values and achievements of our pharmacy members. Here are answers to anticipated questions about the awards program process.



- 1. If I have questions, who should I contact for help?**  
Should you have questions about the award program, please contact us at [pharmacyquestions@vizientinc.com](mailto:pharmacyquestions@vizientinc.com). You can also view the [awards overview](#) for details about the award categories and criteria.
- 2. Are there eligibility requirements to submit a nomination?**  
Yes. All awards are open to nomination by Vizient Pharmacy Program participants, Alluma clients, and Vizient pharmacy staff that support these organizations.
- 3. Are multiple submissions permitted?**  
Multiple submissions are permitted. For example, if two different individuals nominate the same health system, that would be acceptable.
- 4. How do I submit a nomination?**  
You must submit nominations online using [the form](#) on the Vizient Pharmacy Vision Awards web page. This applies whether you are a Vizient Pharmacy Program participant, Alluma client or Vizient staff supporting those organizations.
- 5. Are self-nominations permitted?**  
Yes, member and client self-nominations are permitted.
- 6. Can I nominate a colleague either within or outside my health system or facility (e.g., another member organization or leader)?**  
Yes, we welcome such collegial recognition.
- 7. What is the nomination deadline?**  
Nominations close Aug. 6 at 5 p.m. CT.
- 8. How do I know that my submission was received?**  
After completing the online nomination form, select submit. A confirmation pop-up box will display. If not, it is possible that required fields were not completed. Please review your submission, complete any required fields and submit again. If you still do not receive a confirmation, please [email us](#).
- 9. When will the winners be announced?**  
The winners will be announced during Pharmacy Week on Oct. 20.
- 10. How are winners selected?**  
Nominations are open through Aug. 6, 5 p.m. CT. After that time, designated members of Vizient staff will review the nominations to determine a recipient for each category that best meets or exceeds the award criteria.
- 11. How are winners recognized?**  
Winners will be announced via email to Vizient Pharmacy Program participants during Pharmacy Week on Oct. 20, as well as featured on the Vizient website.
- 12. My submission did not win this year. Can I submit a nomination in the future?**  
Yes, we encourage and welcome future submissions meeting the award criteria.
- 13. I thought my submission was exemplary. Can I find out why I did not have a winning submission?**  
In order to protect the integrity of the program, as well as member confidentiality, neither program administrators nor support function staff are permitted to share why submissions were not designated as winning. We encourage and welcome future submissions that continue to meet or exceed the award criteria.
- 14. When will the next Vizient Pharmacy Vision Award nominations open?**  
We plan to launch our next award program nominations in early summer 2022. Look for more information via email during that time.
- 15. Will award categories remain the same from year to year?**  
We anticipate that many of the award categories will remain the same. However, we continue to look for ways to recognize the excellence of our members, especially in alignment with market and industry trends. We plan to continue to provide additional categories or retire categories as appropriate.