

ANZAOS Registrar Excellence Award

Terms & Conditions & Nomination Form (Draft)

Deadline for submissions: 31 March 2026

1. Terms and Conditions

1. Eligibility (Nominee)

1.1. The nominee must have completed an **AHPRA-approved Oral Surgery specialist training program in Australia**, or the **equivalent approved Oral Surgery specialist training program in New Zealand**.

1.2. The nominee must have **graduated within the last 12 months** at the time of application.

1.3. The award is open to **all newly qualified Oral Surgery specialists**, regardless of ANZAOS membership status.

2. Nominator Requirements

2.1. The nominator must be a **registered Oral Surgeon or Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon, Oral Medicine Specialist, or Consultant-level clinician** who has directly supervised or worked with the nominee.

2.2. The nominator must have worked with the nominee for a **minimum of 12 months within an approved Oral Surgery training program** or in an appropriate consultant–registrar capacity.

2.3. A nominator may submit **multiple nominations** but must complete a separate form for each nominee.

2.4. Self-nominations are **not permitted**.

3. Submission Requirements

3.1. All nominations must be submitted using the **official ANZAOS Registrar Excellence Award Nomination Form**.

3.2. All written responses must adhere to the **100-word limit per question**.

4. Judging Process

4.1. The judging panel will consist of **ANZAOS Executive Committee members** and appointed independent assessors where appropriate.

4.2. Judging will be conducted using a **standardised scoring rubric**, assessing:

- Clinical excellence
- Professionalism and leadership
- Contribution to the specialty
- Commitment to education, research, or service
- Impact on patients, colleagues, and the profession

4.3. The panel's decision is **final** and no correspondence will be entered into.

5. Award Outcome

5.1. The winner will receive an **ANZAOS Certificate of Excellence** and a **monetary prize or sponsored award** (as approved annually).

5.2. The winner will be formally recognised at the **ANZAOS Annual Scientific Meeting** and on official ANZAOS communication channels (Linkedin, www.ANZAOS.info).

5.3. ANZAOS reserves the right **not to confer the award** if no applications meet the required standard.

6. Key Dates

- **Applications open:** January 2026
- **Applications close: 30th June 2026** (11:59 PM AEDT)
- **Winner notified:** August 2026 at the ANZAOS conference