



Excellence in Research Award

I. Eligibility

- a. All faculty who are tenured, tenure-track, or have a standard faculty appointment in the Oakland University William Beaumont School of Medicine are eligible.
- b. Minimum of one year completed as a faculty member at OUWB
- c. Previous award recipients are not eligible to win another award in any category until after two years have passed and upon demonstration of additional achievement.

II. Criteria - This award recognizes significant accomplishments by a faculty member in research, including medical education, clinical, lab, and community research.

Elements for assessing excellence include:

- a. Evidence of the importance and originality of the research on the field or discipline through:
 - I. Attainment of funding or grants to support the research.
 - II. Presentations at local, regional, national, and/or international society meetings.
 - III. Publication in peer-reviewed journals.
 - IV. Recognition of the research through awards given by the institution, professional society, or at other venues
 - V. Evidence of alignment of the research with the mission of the OUWB School of Medicine.
 - VI. Level of excellence and productivity given the developmental stage of the nominee.
 - VII. Nominee must exhibit high standards of professionalism.

III. Evaluation - The Faculty Recognition Committee will evaluate the nominees' materials according to the criteria listed above. Up to two Excellence in Research Awards may be awarded in a given year: one to a Foundational Medical Studies faculty and one to a clinical faculty member.

To nominate - Individuals may be nominated by other faculty, staff, students, or community members who believe the individual embodies and demonstrates the above mentioned qualities by completing the [online nomination form](#).