



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 available under the Faculty Recognition Awards dropdown menu on the Faculty Affairs webpage at: <https://www.oakland.edu/medicine/faculty/about-the-faculty/>