



# Advancing Healthcare awards Northern Ireland for allied health professionals, healthcare scientists and those who work alongside them in support roles

“*Over the past three years these awards have vividly shown the way in which AHPs in Northern Ireland are helping to transform health and social care, demonstrating real impact and setting the highest standards. Let's make this year the best so far.*”

## Hazel Winning

AHP Lead Officer,  
Department of Health NI

“*Science drives transformation of the delivery of health and social care. Healthcare scientists play a key role in generating and implementing this evidence, supporting and in many cases directly delivering patient care. These awards provide a welcome opportunity to highlight and celebrate the major and often underappreciated contribution which healthcare scientists make across the health and social care system.*”

## Professor Ian Young

Chief Scientific Advisor,  
Department of Health NI

This year the awards programme welcomes entries from both AHPs and healthcare scientists – an important development that will greatly enhance the awards and the influence they have across Northern Ireland and beyond. The theme for the awards and the conference is Delivering together, based on the Department of Health report Health and Wellbeing 2026 – Delivering together.

**Get working on your entries – closing date 4 September 2017**

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## The awards ceremony

The awards programme culminates in the celebration dinner at the Stormont Hotel in Belfast on 18 October 2017. Guests include all shortlisted teams and their guests, leaders of the professional bodies and membership organisations, senior people in healthcare as well as sponsors and their guests.

## The conference: Delivering together

The conference, organised by Hazel Winning, AHP Lead Officer, Department of Health NI is open to all AHPs and those who work alongside them and takes place during the day of the awards dinner at the Stormont Hotel. Further details are available on the awards website.

**For details of the exhibition which runs alongside the conference, please contact [lee@chamberdunn.co.uk](mailto:lee@chamberdunn.co.uk)**

**Closing date for entries: 17.00 4 Sept 2017**

**Judging date: 20 Sept 2017 at the HSC Clinical Education Centre**

**Professional conference: 18 Oct 2017, Stormont Hotel, Belfast**

**Awards Ceremony: 18 Oct 2017, Stormont Hotel, Belfast**

# THE AWARDS

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## *Building capacity in communities and prevention*

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### 1 The PHA award for building capacity in communities and in prevention

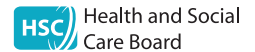
We are looking for projects and initiatives which demonstrate sustainable ways of building capacity in communities to promote health and well-being.



## *Enhancing support in primary care*

### 2 The HSCB award for enhancing support in primary care

This award recognises outcomes that have been achieved from genuine inter-professional or interagency working where AHPs or healthcare scientists have contributed to enhancing primary care.



## *Partnership working to benefit physical and mental health*

### 3 The Seating Matters award for innovation and creativity

This award offers an opportunity to demonstrate innovation and creativity in forging new partnerships and rethinking ways of working.



## *Reforming our community and hospital services*

### 4 The Belfast HSC Trust Science driving innovation in healthcare delivery Award

This award recognises the development of the vital contribution of science to healthcare delivery.



## *Investing in our workforce*

### 5 The DoH award for transforming the workforce

This award recognises individuals, teams, organisations or educational bodies who have paved the way for workforce transformation.



## *Leadership and culture*

### 6 HSC Leadership Centre award for leadership and culture

This award is for leaders at all levels who can demonstrate how they developed and used their skills to benefit our patients, clients and carers.



### 7 The Macmillan award for Leadership and innovation in cancer rehabilitation

This award is for outstanding work in cancer rehabilitation which maximises and optimises the patients physical, psychological and economic functioning while ensuring their dignity.



### 8 Ulster University award for Leaders in the making

For this award we are inviting you to nominate either a colleague or member of staff who has shown qualities of leadership in their everyday work or within a special project.



### 9 Overall winner

Chosen from the winners of the main categories.

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