

## **Most Innovative Nursing Project in Improving Standards of Patient Care in Internal Medicine**

This award recognizes staff nurses who have demonstrated exceptional dedication and creativity in enhancing nursing care standards to improve patient outcomes in the field of Internal Medicine.

Eligible projects must be completed between **1st August 2024** and **31st July 2025** and must have been led and implemented by an individual staff nurse or a nursing team.

Projects should demonstrate clear contributions to the standardization of nursing practices, improved patient outcomes, enhanced safety, and overall service excellence within internal medicine units or outpatient clinics.

## Applicants are required to submit the following documentation:

- A one-page summary of the project (A4 size), using Times New Roman, font size 11, single-spaced, following the format provided.
- Pictorial evidence of the project's progression in a PowerPoint presentation (maximum 10 slides).
- For hospital-based projects: Letters from both the Head of Institution and the
   Matron/Nurse-in-Charge of the institution where the project was conducted, confirming
   the project's authenticity, impact on service improvement, and the applicant's
   involvement.

- For public health sector projects: Letters from the Head of the Public Health Institution (e.g., MOH/RD) and the Matron/Nurse-in-Charge, verifying the same details.
- An up-to-date CV of the applicant as the coordinator of the project (maximum 2 pages).
- Shortlisted candidates will be invited to deliver a 5-minute online presentation via Zoom
- All documents, including the project summary, CV, PowerPoint presentation, and a cover letter, should be submitted via email to <a href="mailto:simcon@slcim.lk">simcon@slcim.lk</a> with the subject line:
  "Best Innovative Service Improvement Project in Internal Medicine."
- Deadline for submission: 31st August 2025

Please note: The project, or any part of it, must not have previously received an award from SLCIM or any similar organization.