**ANIA Innovation Award Application**

The ANIA National Board of Directors is proud to present the first ANIA Innovation Award. This $2500 award was designed to recognize innovation in nursing informatics resulting in improvements in the work of nurses or care delivery in any patient care setting. The innovation should be fully developed and include a pilot implementation at minimum. The winning submission will be announced at the 2018 ANIA Annual Conference.

Applicants for the $2500 ANIA Innovation Award must meet the following criteria:

* Person submitting application (primary submitter) must be an ANIA member in good standing for at least two years.
* Award winning submitter or team must be able and willing to present innovation at the 2019 ANIA Annual Conference and/or write an article in Journal of Informatics Nursing.
* Applicant must be an individual or group of individuals. May include vendor representatives as part of the submission team but not as the primary submitter or presenter.
* Current ANIA National Board of Directors are excluded from award submission.
* The primary submitter of the winning submission will be contacted regarding award distribution.
* Winner(s) of this award will not be eligible for the Maggie Cox Award or ANIA Scholarships.

Submissions will be judged on the following criteria (100-point total)

1. Originality: unique (25 points)
2. Applicability: could be widely used by similar healthcare environments (25 points)
3. Relevance: addressing a current healthcare issue (25 points)
4. Outcomes: improved work of nurses or care delivery in any patient care setting (25 points)

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| **Contact Information for Primary Submitter** |
| Name/Credentials  |  |
| Phone Number(s) |  |
| Email address(es) |  |
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| Bio (200 words) |  |

**Contact Information for Secondary Submitter**

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| Name/Credentials |  |
| Phone Number(s) |  |
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| **Innovation Information** |
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| Statement of the problem, including baseline summary data (not more than 200 words) |  |
| Description of the Innovation/Solution (not more than 200 words) |  |
| Implementation/ pilot information (not more than 500 words) |  |
| Outcomes, including summary data (not more than 200 words) |  |