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DAISY Award nominations are stories of exceptional nursing skill and compassion that will enrich your Pathway to Excellence documentation. Additionally, your adoption of the program may provide the evidence to describe and demonstrate the following standards:

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<th>Pathway to Excellence Standard</th>
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| **Standard 1: Shared Decision Making**  
EOP 1.3; EOP 1.4 | Did your direct care nurses propose the use of The DAISY Award within your shared governance structure? Did they reference evidence on the use of Meaningful Recognition? [https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/evidence-impact](https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/evidence-impact) |
| **Standard 2: Leadership**  
EOP 2.3; EOP 2.4; EOP 2.6 | Does your leadership team attend DAISY celebrations? Round and present the nominations and pins to those nominated for the award? Your nominations may hold documented examples of the relationship of Leadership to Clinical Nurses. [https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/nurse-leader-award](https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/nurse-leader-award) |
| **Standard 4: Quality**  
EOP 4.3; EOP 4.6; EOP 4.8; EOP 4.10 | The DAISY Team Award can highlight extraordinary, nurse-led teams and provide examples. [https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/team-award](https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/team-award) |
| **Standard 5: Well-Being**  
EOP 5.1; EOP 5.2; EOP 5.6; EOP 5.8 | Are nurses planning and supporting initiatives like The DAISY Award, which is evidence based to mitigate compassion fatigue and support their well-being? Do you use The DAISY Award to recognize nurse-driven activities? [https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/evidence-impact](https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/evidence-impact) |
| **Standard 6: Professional Development**  
EOP 6.8 | Do your DAISY Honorees know that they are eligible for reduced fees for ANCC Certification? Chamberlain University offers academic scholarships, and Cherokee offers scholarships for conference attendance. [https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/honorees-benefits](https://www.DAISYfoundation.org/DAISY-award/honorees-benefits) |