

MARY MORRISON DAVIS AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

Mary Morrison Davis was born in Alberta and lived and worked in the province for most of her life. She was a professional social worker with veterans in Edmonton and is recognized as a pioneer in gerontological services. After her death, the AAG Board decided to rename its Award of Excellence the Mary Morrison Davis Award in recognition of this exemplary champion of aging and older people.

DESCRIPTION OF AWARD:

The purpose of this award is to recognize an individual who has made an outstanding contribution to the Alberta Association on Gerontology (AAG) or to the field of gerontology. The recipient receives a certificate and Honorary Lifetime membership in the AAG.

CRITERIA:

Criteria which is used to assess nominations includes:

- Depth and breadth of ongoing involvement/commitment to the Association or to the field of gerontology. Preference will be given to individuals who are involved at a provincial level over individuals involved at only a local or national level. Nominees must have contributed from within the Province of Alberta.
- Demonstrated leadership in the Association or in the field of gerontology.
- Scope of influence/impact of contributions. Preference will be given to individuals who have contributed in more than one of the following areas:
 - o Societal/Community Service
 - o Scholarship/Research
 - o Advocacy
 - Advancement of gerontology as a recognized professional sphere
 - Preference will be given to AAG members.

NOMINATIONS:

Nominations consist of a completed Nomination Form and two (2) letters of support (at least one of which is from an AAG member).

ANNOUNCEMENT: The recipient of the Mary Morrison Davis Award of Excellence will be announced at the Annual General Meeting, and will appear in AAG*mag*, and AAG website.

NOMINATION DEADLINE: Friday, April 11, 2025 @ 4:00 pm.

Nomination Forms and 2 Letters of Support should be submitted by email to <u>info@albertaaging.ca</u>.



MARY MORRISON DAVIS AWARD OF EXCELLENCE NOMINATION FORM

IMPORTANT: The nominee must agree to the nomination.

		Nom	iinee Inform	nation			
Full Name:						_Date:	
	Last	First			M.I.		
Address:							
	Street Address						Apartment/Unit #
	City				Prov		Postal Code
Phone:			Email				
Does the nominee agree to their nomination?			🗆 Yes	🗆 No			
(NOTE: Ve	erbal agreement is acce	pted when the	term "Yes" i	s used).			

		Nominator Informatio	n			
Full Name	:		Dat	Date:		
	Last	First	M.I.			
Address:						
	Street Address			Apartment/Unit #		
	City		Prov	Postal Code		
Phone:	-	Email				
Signature	of Nominator					

Significant Contributions of Nominee

On the next page, please outline significant contribution(s) that you believe this individual has made to the Association or to the field of gerontology in the following areas:

- Societal/Community Service
- Scholarship/Research
- Advocacy
- Advancement of gerontology as a recognized professional sphere

Be sure to comment on the breadth and depth of the individual's involvement at the local, provincial and/or federal levels, the impact of the individual's contributions, and leadership roles exemplified by the nominee. The award will be presented at the Annual General Meeting.

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