

# Emerging Leader Award

## Award Description

This award honours physiotherapists in their early career (within their first 5-15 years of practice) who demonstrate strong leadership in clinical practice, research, advocacy, education, or community engagement. The Emerging Leader Award recognizes rising professionals who actively contribute to the advancement of physiotherapy in Alberta.

## Eligibility & Criteria

Nominees must:

- Be within their first **five to fifteen years** of physiotherapy practice.
- Demonstrate leadership within their workplace, community, profession, or AAP activities.
- Show contributions that advance excellence in physiotherapy practice or public understanding of the profession.
- Exhibit commitment to professional development and continuous improvement

## Nomination Details

- Nominee name, contact information, practice setting.
- Years in practice.
- Description of leadership contributions (500–700 words).
- Description of professional impact (300 words).
- Examples of innovation, mentorship, or advocacy (optional).
- Supporting materials: CV, project summaries, letters of support (optional).