• Please complete the cover page AND attachment for the chosen area of nursing excellence and submit together.

• Candidates should be nominated for ONE component area only.

• All applications must be typed.

• Additional pages may be attached to the application form.

• All applications must be signed by the applicant’s unit manager/leader.

• There is no limit to the number of nominees per unit or department.

• Applications must be received by Margarita Baggett’s Office by March 10, 2017 via email mgjackson@ucsd.edu

• Note: Unit recognition is no longer integrated into the system wide Nurse of the Year selection process but may continue separately as desired by unit staff and leadership.
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Cover Sheet

Nominee’s Name: ___________________ Work Area: ____________

Role Category

□ Clinical Nurse (CN II-V, LVN)
□ Nurse Consultant (Case Manager, CNE, nurses working in Infection Control, Performance Improvement, Regulatory Affairs, Risk Management, or any other non-direct patient care role)
□ Nurse Leader (AN I-V)
□ Advance Practice Nurse (NP, CNS, CRNA, CNM)

Category of Nursing Excellence (select ONE)

□ Transformational Leadership
□ Structural Empowerment
□ Exemplary Professional Practice
□ New Knowledge, Innovations and Improvements
□ Empirical Outcomes

Academic degrees (BSN, MSN, etc.): __________________________

Current certifications: ____________________________

Applicant signature: _________________________ Date: __________

Manager/Director signature: _________________ Date: __________

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Exemplary Professional Practice

Nominee’s Name: ____________________

Please describe how the nominee has contributed directly to the following MAGNET Sources of Evidence under Exemplary Professional Practice.

1. Describe how the nominee has contributed to the **teaching and professional development** of themselves and/or colleagues.

2. Describe how the nominee’s collaborative relationships within their department resulted in **stellar outcomes** in nursing practice within UC San Diego Health.

3. Describe how the nominee’s mentoring of new nurses contributed to their **professional development**.

4. Describe how the nominee’s certification or membership in professional organizations improved **clinical practice/stellar outcomes/caring relationships** and influenced their peers, department and the UC San Diego Health.

5. Describe any other evidence of exemplary professional practice not included in questions 1-4.

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