• 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.
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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Nominee’s Name: ____________________

Please describe how the nominee has contributed directly to the following MAGNET Sources of Evidence under Transformational Leadership.

1. Describe activities related to advocacy for resources related to fiscal, technology, or personnel. Include **stellar outcomes and innovations** from such activities.

2. Describe unique reward and recognition activities **promoting caring relationships** that have been supported by nurse leaders. Include **stellar outcomes/innovations** that have generated from these activities.

3. Describe structures/processes generated through ideas received from nurses that have changed patient care delivery and **improved the healing environment**. Please include outcomes.
4. Describe leadership advancement activities promoting nurse autonomy and accountability (for example: leadership development, performance management, and mentoring activities) that have been supported by the organization and lead to positive change.

5. Describe how nursing activities align to the nursing strategic plan to improve efficiency, effectiveness, the healing environment, or professional advancement.