

The Academy of Medical Educators “Teach 12” Award

The Academy of Medical Educators (AME) was developed in 2011 to identify, recognize, and honor eminent teachers, to develop and implement innovative education tools/programs, and to mentor and train aspiring educators who will act as role models for other faculty. The AME’s “Teach 12” Award is for Department of Medicine (DOM) faculty who best exemplify the Academy’s “TEACH 12” core behaviors, which our greatest faculty role model and promote:

- the central roles of humanism, professionalism, and caring in patient care
- the primacy of the doctor-patient relationship in clinical teaching
- the importance of teaching at the bedside
- the critical value of bridging the gap between the basic sciences and clinical medicine

The Academy has developed a set of core behaviors that physicians should model to promote the goals described above. They are distilled in the "Emory TEACH 12":

- be caring and compassionate
- be curious
- be passionate
- be prepared
- be patient
- be exemplary
- be a listener
- be dedicated
- be a communicator
- be professional
- be thorough
- be there

Deadline: The deadline for all faculty awards nominations is **June 24, 2024.**

Eligibility: All regular, full- or part-time Instructors, Assistant Professors, Associate Professors, and Professors with a primary appointment in the DOM of Emory University, except for existing members of the Academy of Medical Educators, are eligible unless they received this award during the previous 3 years.

Nominations: Candidates must be nominated by another faculty member, Service Chief, or Division Director. Submissions must be made electronically and include a one-page nomination letter, which should include the name and contact information of the faculty member being nominated. The letter should be a concise narrative describing how the nominee personifies the 12 habits as outlined by the AME’s “Teach 12” campaign. Although the nominee does not have to necessarily demonstrate all behaviors, this person should embody a majority of characteristics defined by the Academy as listed above. Nomination for this award does not preclude nomination for other DOM awards in the same year.

Submission: One-page nomination letter (5000-character limit) including name and contact information of faculty member being nominated.

To submit a nomination, please click [here](#).
Questions should be directed to [DOM Office of Faculty Development](#)