#### **NOMINATE A NURSE**

Each DAISY Award Honoree will be recognized at a public ceremony in her/his unit and will receive a beautiful certificate, a DAISY Award pin and a hand-carved stone sculpture entitled A Healer's Touch.

Additionally, everyone in the honoree's unit will celebrate with Cinnabon<sup>®</sup> cinnamon rolls – a favorite of Patrick's during his illness. The Barnes Family asks that whenever and wherever nurses smell that wonderful cinnamon aroma, they stop for a moment and think about how special they are.

#### HOW TO NOMINATE AN EXTRAORDINARY NURSE

Patients, visitors, nurses, physicians and associates may nominate a deserving nurse by filling out this form and submitting it in DAISY Award drop boxes in the main hospital lobby and cafeteria. An electronic version for hospital associates is available on the internal intranet.

Name of the nurse you are nominating:

Unit where this nurse works:



Please describe a specific situation or story that clearly demonstrates how this nurse made a meaningful difference in your care. Feel free to use additional pages.

Thank you!

Thank you for taking the time to nominate an extraordinary, compassionate nurse for this award. Please tell us about yourself, so that we may include you in the celebration of this award if the nurse you nominated is chosen.

#### Your Name:

I am a (please check one):	RN_	MD
Patient Family/Visitor Volunteer		Staff

Date of nomination:

## HOW DO WE REACH YOU?

Phone:

#### Email:

Please submit this nomination to DAISY Award drop boxes in the main hospital lobby and cafeteria.

If you have any questions, please contact: daisy@limamemorial.org



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## FROM THE BEGINNING THE DAISY FOUNDATION

The DAISY Foundation was established in 1999 by the family of J. Patrick Barnes who died at the age of 33 from complications of the auto-immune disease Idiopathic Thrombocytopenia Purpura (ITP). During Pat's eight week hospitalization, his family was awestruck by the care and compassion his nurses provided not only to Pat but to everyone in his family. The family created a Foundation in Pat's memory to recognize extraordinary nurses everywhere who make an enormous difference in the lives of so many people by the super-human work they do every day.

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#### WHAT IS THE DAISY AWARD?

The DAISY Award is an international program that rewards and celebrates the extraordinary, compassionate and skillful care given by nurses every day.

Lima Memorial Health System is proud to be a DAISY Award Partner, recognizing one of our nurses with this special honor each quarter throughout the year.





#### IN MEMORY OF J. PATRICK BARNES

DAISY Award Honorees personify Lima Memorial Health System's remarkable patient experience. These nurses consistently demonstrate excellence through their clinical expertise and extraordinary, compassionate care. They are recognized as outstanding role models in our nursing community.

To find out more about the program, including the growing list of Partners, please go to www.DAISYfoundation.org.



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