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2025 Foundation Prizes and Award

Dear Dr Nicknam,

I am pleased to share with you herewith attached copy of the C.L.32.2024 announcing details of foundation prizes and awards which will be presented during the Seventy-eighth World Health Assembly in May 2025. The five prizes and award to be awarded in 2025 are:

1. The Sasakawa Health Prize
2. The United Arab Emirates Health Foundation Prize
3. The State of Kuwait Health Promotion Foundation's His Highness Sheikh Sabah Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah Prize for Research in Health Care for the Elderly and in Health Promotion
4. The Dr LEE Jong-wook Memorial Prize for Public Health
5. The Nelson Mandela Award for Health Promotion.

Candidatures must be submitted to WHO at foundationprizes@who.int no later than 1 November 2024. It will not be possible for WHO to consider nominations received after the closing date.

WHO will shortly conduct an information session to further provide guidance on the application process. Session timing and connection details will be provided shortly.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,



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