

Hold the Dates for ABL's 19th ABBY Awards Event

DECEMBER 5, 2018 — 8:00 AM - NOON — LONG BEACH

DECEMBER 12, 2018 — 8:00 - 11:30 AM — SAN FRANCISCO

ABL's ABBY Awards recognize and celebrate organizations which have brought to market innovative approaches to the delivery of healthcare, medical devices, diagnostics, healthcare IT, and digital health technologies that are dramatically reducing the cost of quality healthcare.

This Event honors healthcare organizations who have innovative products, services, or devices on the market that are dramatically reducing the cost of care.

Past ABBY Award Winners

Year | Winning Company | Category

2017	PriceMDs Velano Vascular SnapMD	Diamond Platinum Gold	2016	GD Biosciences Medical Tactile Honor	Diamond Platinum Gold
2015	LACD of Health Services & Safety Net Connect CNS Response Center for Autism & Related Disorders	Diamond Platinum Gold	2014	Cynvenio's LiquidBiopsy WiserCare, Inc. Doctor On Demand	Medical Devices & Diagn. Approach to the Delivery of Healthcare eHealth Solutions
2013	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Hospice of the Valley, Palliative Care Center Not Impossible Labs Holomic, LLC	<i>Bold Experiment in Gov. Payment Innovation</i> <i>Delivery of Care Approach</i> <i>Inspiration in Innovation</i> <i>Emerging Medical Tech.</i>	2011	Blausen Medical Comm. Ideal Life Vertos Medical Inc. Teladoc, Inc.	<i>HIT, Business Facing</i> <i>HIT, Consumer Facing</i> <i>MedDevice/Diagnostics</i> <i>Delivery of Care Approach</i>
2010	Specialists On Call A-Life Medical VQ OrthoCare	<i>Delivery of Care Approach</i> <i>Healthcare IT</i> <i>Med/Bio Tech</i>	2009	Dakim Osmetech Molecular Diagn. ePocrates	<i>Delivery of Care Approach</i> <i>Med/Bio Tech</i> <i>Healthcare IT</i>
2008	Accuray, Inc. Alameda County Med Cntr M*Modal, Inc.	<i>Med/Bio Tech.</i> <i>Delivery of Care Approach</i> <i>Healthcare IT</i>	2007	eHealth, Inc. Sutter Health Neurovascular Div. of eV3	<i>Healthcare IT</i> <i>Delivery of Care Approach</i> <i>Medical Tech.</i>
2006	BeWell Mobile Tech. Kaiser Permanente Gen-Probe, Inc. Health Hero Network	<i>Healthcare IT</i> <i>Consumer Empowerment</i> <i>Medical Tech.</i> <i>Delivery of Care</i>	2005	FoxHollow Technologies Care Level Management Refractec	<i>Platinum</i> <i>Gold</i> <i>Silver</i>
2004	WorkWell Systems Aperio Technologies Silverado Senior Living & InTouch Health	<i>Platinum</i> <i>Gold</i> <i>Silver</i>	2003	Masimo Corporation Diversa Corporation IPC - The Hospitalist Co.	<i>Platinum</i> <i>Gold</i> <i>Silver</i>
2002	Advanced Tissue Sciences MicroVenton Vocera & ePocrates HealthTech	<i>Platinum</i> <i>Gold</i> <i>Silver - Tied</i> <i>Special Judges Award</i>	2001	I-Flow Santa Clara Family Health Plan InSight Health Services	<i>Platinum</i> <i>Gold</i> <i>Silver</i>
2000	Inhale Therapeutics TriZetto Group HealthAllies.com	<i>Platinum</i> <i>Gold</i> <i>Silver</i>	1999	Memorial's MemorialCard Blue Shield Mylifepath.com OptiScan Biomedical	<i>Info.-Based Tech.</i> <i>Service Approach</i> <i>Product/Technology</i>

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2016 & 2017 Finalists

Year | Company

2017	Aira Avantas GeorgeMark Children's House	Glooko Landmark Tiatros
2016	Bloodbuy Genoa HeartFlow	The Innovation Institute Vitagene

2018 Nomination Requirements, Finalist Selection Process, and Voting Rules

Nomination Requirements

1. The 2018 Application Form must be submitted by **Wednesday, October 17, 2018**.
2. The nominated company must be located in California.
3. If selected as a 2018 Finalist, the nominated executive listed on the Application Form must be available to attend, present, have their picture taken with other ABBY Finalists, accept their Finalist Award -- and the ABBY Award should they win -- at the *Innovations in Healthcare*TM Awards Event on December 5, 2018, in Long Beach or in San Francisco on December 12, 2018.
4. All Finalists agree to allow the ABL Organization to video-record their presentation to the Awards Event audience and use clips from it for the marketing and promotion of the *Innovations in Healthcare*TM ABBY Awards Event.
5. If selected as a Finalist, you must have your FINAL PowerPoint presentation submitted to ABL no later than Mon., Nov. 26, 2018.
6. **Past Winners, Finalists, and Semi-Finalists:**
 - If your organization was selected as a **Finalist (or ABBY Award winner) in 2016 or 2017**, you are encouraged to resubmit an Application Form for a product, service, or approach that is **substantially different** from your previous entries.
 - If your organization was nominated or selected as a **Semi-Finalist in 2016 or 2017 or before**, you are welcome to resubmit for the same or a different innovation.

Finalist Selection Process: All qualified nominations will be reviewed by a panel of ABL Members and staff the week of October 22, 2018. At the Awards Event, five Finalists will present. The winners will be chosen by secret ballots, submitted at the Events. The secret ballots will be counted and tabulated at the Awards Event and only the ballot counters will know the ABBY Award winners, prior to their announcement on stage.