

2025 SPHM Technology Innovation Award



Brought to you by the *International Journal of SPHM & Fall Management*, we are excited to announce the launch of the 2025 SPHM & Falls Technology Innovation Award.

Who can be nominated?

Open to all vendors who regard innovation as part of their daily life, and are eager to demonstrate how their solution- focused technologies make the life of the patient and the healthcare worker safer. If this sounds like you then we would like to hear from you.

Whether you are a small company with one product or a multi-national company with a wide portfolio of SPHM & Fall Management solutions, you are welcome to nominate a specific technology.

Nominations can also be made by your customers who have had success with your new or adapted technology.

The winner of the 2025 SPHM & Fall Technology Innovation Award will receive the following.

- A full page advertisement in the March 2026 issue of the *International Journal of SPHM & Fall Management*
- An opportunity to write a Guest Editorial for the December 2025 issue
- An opportunity to provide a company representative for the round table discussion posted on the journal website in December
- A Winners Decal you can use on your website and marketing materials
- A Winners Certificate and picture in the December issue of the journal

The runner-up of the 2025 SPHM & Fall Technology Innovation Award will receive the following.

- A half page advertisement in the March 2026 issue of the *International Journal of SPHM & Fall Management*
- A Runner-Up Decal you can use on your website and marketing materials
- A Runner-Up Certificate and picture in the December 2025 issue of the journal

How is the award judged?

Each submission will be judged by a team of international SPHM experts using the following criteria.

- The problem the technology solves
- The technology's compatibility with existing SPHM equipment (if appropriate)
- Ease of use for the healthcare professional or caregiver at home
- Durability

The SPHM Technology Innovation Award can be awarded for the following innovations:

- A new technology
- A modification on an existing technology that addresses a specific SPHM or SPHM related problem
- A new approach to the use of an existing technology that addresses a wider agenda than it was originally intended for

For the purpose of the award, “technology” means equipment, slings, or other accessories that relate to the safe patient handling and mobility of patients/residents.

The nomination may be completed by the vendor who designed the technology or the end user who has experience with the technology.

The closing date for receipt of submissions is Monday, October 20th 2025. Completed nominations should be sent to info@SPHMjournal.com with Tech Award in the header.

Entry forms can be downloaded from the home page of the journal at www.SPHMjournal.com

If you have any questions please email info@SPHMjournal.com and someone from the team will get back to you within 48 hours.

We are looking forward to receiving the nominations.