**2025 NEFLIN Innovation Award**

This award recognizes an innovative program or service that has demonstrated impact on the community a NEFLIN library serves in the past year.

* More than one winner may be announced, or none.
* The NEFLIN Board of Directors will select the award winner(s).
* The winner(s) of the award will be announced at the 2025 NEFLIN Annual Meeting.

Eligible to receive this award: Any NEFLIN member library.

1. Library Name:

2. Name/Phone Number/Email Address of person submitting nomination:

3. Name of Innovation:

4. Description and Purpose of Innovation: (Max 100 words)

5. Originality: Is the innovation a completely new concept, or does it address a pre-existing program, process or service in a new way? Is your innovation a unique product? Have other libraries tried something similar? (Max 250 words)

6. Impact: What need or problem did this innovation address? Will the innovation make a fundamental change? Will it positively impact the library both internally (library staff) and externally (public)? (Max 250 words)

7. Involvement/Teamwork/Partnership: Was this innovation created and/or developed by a single person? Were a team of people involved in its planning and implementation? Were any new partnerships developed as part of this project? (Max 250 words)

8. Benefits: How do you know the innovation was a success? How did it benefit your constituents? What data or measures do you have on the project? (Max 250 words)

9. Utility: Can the innovation be replicated or used by other member libraries as a way of improving their overall service? (Max 250 words)

**Award nominations must be submitted in Word format to: office@neflin.org**

**The deadline for nominations is April 30, 2025.**