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Home Care & Hospice

Touching Lives Award Nomination Form

The Touching Lives Award was established in 2007 by Horizon Home Care & Hospice, Inc. to honor our community's most dedicated individuals. The criteria for the award are as follows:

- Length of service
- Depth of commitment
- Innovation
- Leadership
- Results
- Creation of meaningful change

If you know someone who encompasses this description, please fill out the following nomination form and submit it to Horizon by **Tuesday, October 31, 2023**. Your nominee will be considered for the 2024 award, which will be presented at the Matters of the Heart gala on Saturday, March 9, 2024.

Nominator's Name: _____

Nominator's Phone/Email: _____

Nominee's Name: _____

Nominee's Workplace: _____

Nominee's Title/Position: _____

Nominee's Address: _____

Nominee's Phone/Email: _____

Nominator's relationship to Nominee: _____

Please expand on the following criteria using your own words and examples. Candidates will have strengths and weaknesses, and the strongest candidates in all categories will be chosen as Touching Lives Award winners.

1. Length of Service

The ideal candidate would be an individual who has been providing service to the community for at least twenty years. How long has your nominee served and in what capacity?

2. Depth of Commitment

The individual will have demonstrated unusual commitment to his work. He is a person who can be counted on to respond when there is a need; to listen when others might not and go beyond what is considered reasonable. He is tenacious and forthcoming with his ideas and not always willing to accept the status quo in his work and commitment to others. How does your candidate demonstrate this quality?

3. Innovation

The ideal candidate will have created his own organization or project or have taken an existing one to new lengths. Please illustrate your candidate's innovative spirit.

4. Leadership

This individual will have demonstrated leadership especially in his ability to get others to work together toward a common cause. What leadership skills does your nominee possess, and how does he model them in the community?

5. Results

The candidate must have produced tangible or intangible results from his work in areas of health care, human services or community projects that improve the lives of the people who live in the human community. Please identify the positive impact your candidate has had through illustrating the results of his actions.

6. Creation of Meaningful Change

The nominee will have made a unique or lasting impact on improving the lives of others through his efforts. Please identify whose lives your nominee has touched through his work.

To submit a nomination by e-mail, please send your completed form to Horizon's Director of Development, Marcy Stutzman at marcy.stutzman@hhch.net.