

Nomination Form for NASW West Virginia Chapter Awards of Merit

Nomination for: (check one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Social Worker of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Catalyst Award for Direct Social Work Practice |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Karen J. Glazier Award for Social Work in Gerontology | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Public Citizen of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Jon Blair Hunter Award for Social Policy Advancement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exemplar Award for Excellence in Social Work Management | |

Award Criteria:

Social Worker of the Year requires a CSWE accredited social work degree & current membership in the NASW West Virginia Chapter

Catalyst requires a CSWE accredited degree & in SW practice with at least 50% of time engaged in providing direct services to clients

Glazier Award requires a CSWE degree & SW practice and/or academic achievement in gerontology; preferred candidate is under age 40

Exemplar Award requires a CSWE degree & SW practice in an administrative, management or supervisory position

Public Citizen: A non-social worker who exhibits the finest traits, highest ideals and ethical considerations of the social work profession

Hunter Award: An employed or elected public servant who exhibits traits, ideals and ethical considerations of the social work profession

1. Nominator Information:

Your Name _____

Job Title _____

Employer _____

Preferred Mailing Address _____ (circle: home or work)

Day Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____

2. Nominee Information:

Nominee's Name _____

Earned Degrees and Certifications _____

Job Title _____ Employer _____

Preferred Mailing Address _____ (circle: home or work)

Day Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____

3. Narrative: (Attach your responses to the following questions)

For ALL Nominations:

1) Describe how the nominee has demonstrated or upheld the values and ethics of the Social Work profession and the National Association of Social Workers in the State of West Virginia.

2) Describe the nominee's significant professional contributions to their community, profession, clients and/or the State of West Virginia.

3) Describe any significant voluntary and/or entrepreneurial contributions made by the nominee in the State of West Virginia.

Additional Narrative: Regarding Social Worker of the Year, Catalyst, Karen J. Glazier, or Exemplar Award

Describe how the nominee has consistently demonstrated that she or he applies the highest levels of Social Work skills, values, knowledge and ethical considerations in the State of West Virginia.

4. ATTACH nominee's résumé, curriculum vitae or biographical information

Please provide a résumé, curriculum vitae, or other biographical information with details about the nominee's background, education, employment, professional and civic accomplishments, honors and awards, etc.

5. ATTACH supportive documentation (such as)

Letters of support from employers, colleagues, community, etc.

News clippings, feature stories, video links, etc.

Writing samples such as publications, brochures, etc.

Photos or videos of events/significant accomplishments

Other information as desired

Deadline: March 31st Mail to:

National Association of Social Workers, West Virginia Chapter

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Please contact our office if you wish to assure your nomination has been received.