

TAADAS Annual Recovery Month Dinner

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National
Recovery Month
Prevention Works • Treatment is Effective • People Recover
september 2018

**2018
Award
Nominations**



Each year in September, TAADAS recognizes *Recovery Month* with its annual dinner and awards. Recovery Month, now in its 27th year, highlights individuals who have reclaimed their lives and are living happy and healthy lives in long-term recovery and also honors the prevention, treatment, and recovery service providers who make recovery possible. Recovery Month promotes the message that recovery in all its forms is possible, and also encourages citizens to take action to help expand and improve the availability of effective prevention, treatment, and recovery services for those in need.

This year, we will host a dinner on September 13, 2018 to promote awareness and recognize the work of alcohol and drug treatment and recovery providers in Tennessee. We plan to recognize a Recovery Advocate as well as individuals who qualify as a key members of the recovery community who have served our organization in the roles below.

CEO of the Year

Please nominate an Executive Director/Chief Executive Officer of a TAADAS member organization who demonstrates extraordinary leadership and management skills. This person is someone who leads agency staff and their Executive Committee to achieve their goals and contributes significantly to the organization's mission. This nominee must be a current CEO or Executive Director of a TAADAS member agency.

Volunteer of the Year

The nominee for this award should be someone who has demonstrated a strong commitment to the organization by working on committees, projects, and responding to requests for technical assistance. The Volunteer of the Year should be someone who provides leadership through example. This nominee supports TAADAS through their attendance at meetings, providing input for projects and voicing the needs of the A&D community.

Lifetime Achievement Award

The TAADAS Lifetime Achievement Award honors those who have made a lasting impression on alcohol and drug abuse programs, services and policies over the course of their career. The impact of their service will be seen for many years to come. This nominee may be retired or no longer working in the field. Nominees must have worked in addiction services for a minimum of 20 years.

Please return the nomination form (on back) by August 10, 2018 with the required documentation. A maximum of 2 letters of reference will be accepted with each nomination. Award recipients will be our guest at the Awards Dinner.

Please contact Lindsey Herren for more information at:

Lindsey@TAADAS.org or 615-780-5901, x-115





2018 Recovery Month Awards Nomination Form

Please complete one nomination form for each entry for consideration.

Duplicate this form as needed or contact TAADAS for additional forms.

Please send completed forms to **Lindsey Herren** at:

Lindsey@taadas.org or fax to 615-780-5905

Deadline for submissions is August 10, 2018

Please provide an overview or summary of the qualifications of your nominee in a nominations letter based on the criteria for the award on the flip side of this form. Please include the contributions made by your nominee, their achievements, community service, offices held, interests, and family. Please attach this information and up to two letters of recommendation to this form. All entries must be typed and submitted before the deadline for consideration.

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

NAME _____
TITLE _____
AFFILIATION _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____
STATE _____ ZIP _____
TELEPHONE _____
FAX _____
E-MAIL _____

NOMINATOR INFORMATION:

NAME _____
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Please indicate the award category for this nomination:

- CEO of the Year Volunteer of the Year Lifetime Achievement Award