College of Applied Health Sciences

Humanitarian of the Year Award

The purpose of the award is to honor a faculty or staff member who regularly volunteers and performs impactful charitable and/or philanthropic work in the community.

Criteria

Nominations will be evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Evidence of service and giving of time and resources toward assisting those in need.
2. Demonstrated evidence that the service provided plays an integral part in the person’s life beyond what is expected in this area.
3. Demonstrated excellence in community engagement that has resulted in empowerment of a specific community through knowledge dissemination, capacity or skill building, or other endeavors.
4. Promoted human welfare through good and/or philanthropic work; inspired colleagues and students with their selfless dedication to the underserved.

Award

A one-time stipend of $750 will be awarded to the recipient. One award will be reserved for a faculty member and one for a staff member.

Eligibility

1. More than a 50% appointment in the College in any capacity.
2. Individual has not received the award in the previous five years.
3. Nominees not selected will be considered for up to three years after initial nomination.

Nomination

1. One-two page statement describing how the nominee’s record meets the award criteria.
2. Up to three pages of other material supporting the nominee's dedication to promoting human welfare.

Nomination packet should be sent to: AHS Awards Committee, c/o Joelle Lantz, jclantz@uic.edu