



2020 Luminary Award Nomination Packet

□ Step 1: Nomination Form

Fill out basic information about the Nominee and you, the Nominator, so that we may contact you in case of clarification or questions.

□ Step 2: Nominee Bio

A one paragraph overview of why the nominated person should be awarded. This can be submitted as an attached document and should summarize their accomplishments as it will be used in the event program.

□ Step 3: Articles/Letters

To present a comprehensive picture of the nominee, you may include **no more than five** news articles and/or letters of support from individuals or organizations written by or about the candidate.

□ Step 4: References

Three references willing to speak on camera or/and provide electronic photos. If the nominee is selected, these references will be a key part of creating a cohesive video that provides a well-rounded picture of why the nominee is deserving of the award.

□ Step 5: Submission

In order to be considered, **all of the above items** must be received by the Foundation by the **close of business Friday, October 25, 2019**.

The HANF Board relies on the entire nomination packet in selecting each year's honorees. The limitation on articles and letters of support will be observed; anything in excess of 5 letters and/or articles will not be considered.

All award recipients must be 21 to attend the event. By submitting this application you are agreeing to fulfill the nominator's role and submit the criteria listed.

Luminary Award Descriptions

President's Legacy & Leadership Award

Recognizes an outstanding tribal health leader and/or health care professional, either formal or informal, who has impacted the culture and performance of the Alaska Tribal Health System. This individual should be recognized as an expert in their field as well as someone who has displayed a long-term commitment to helping improve the Alaska Tribal Health System.

Distinguished Provider Award

Recognizes a health care provider whose dedication has made a difference in the lives of those patients they care for and in the Alaska Tribal Health System. This award can go to a physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner, midwife, optometrist, physical therapist, dietician, health aide or any other clinician.

Outstanding Rural Health Champion Award

This award recognizes individuals, departments or organizations in rural Alaska who have made an outstanding contribution to the rural life, people, and/or programs by dedicating their time and talents to improving the health and well-being of others. This award can go to any Tribal health provider in rural Alaska.

Raven's Ball Nomination Form

Nominee's Name	
Organization	
Email, Phone, Address	
Nominator's Role	The Foundation celebrates awardees at our annual Raven's Ball gala for their significant contributions to Tribal Health. To help summarize their influence, a professional video is presented at the gala and distributed widely to Tribal Health leadership across the state. For the video to represent the awardee to the fullest extent the assistance of the person who nominates the awardee is key. <i>The nominator must help obtain photos and people to be interviewed on camera.</i>
Nominator's Name	
Organization	
Email, Phone, Address	

Step 2: Nominee Bio

Please tell us in **one paragraph** why you think this nominee deserves to receive this award and what they have done to support Alaska Native health. This description will be used in materials announcing the awardees and why they are receiving this recognition. Please attach **no more than five** other supporting documentation (i.e. newspaper clippings, letters of support, recognitions, etc.) that will support your nomination. Anything in excess of five letters and/or articles will not be considered.

Step 3: Articles and Letters

As a nominator please provide contact information for **three** professional references to talk about the nominee's contributions and qualifications for the specific award. These references are critical to helping highlight the awardee.

Step 4: References

Reference #1 Name:	
Phone	
Email	
Relationship to Nominee	
Would you be willing to speak on camera about Nominee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Would be willing to provide pictures for slide show about Nominee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Reference #2 Name:	
Phone	
Email	
Relationship to Nominee	
Would you be willing to speak on camera about Nominee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Would be willing to provide pictures for slide show about Nominee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Reference #3 Name:	
Phone	
Email	
Relationship to Nominee	
Would you be willing to speak on camera about Nominee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Would be willing to provide pictures for slide show about Nominee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Step 5: Submission

**Must be submitted by close of business
Friday, October 25, 2019.**

Incomplete submissions will not be considered.

Please submit your nomination via email to info@inspiringgoodhealth.org or mail to:

Healthy Alaska Natives Foundation
4000 Ambassador Drive
Anchorage, Alaska 99508
Fax #: 907-729-1901

Luminary Award Descriptions & Past Recipients

President's Legacy & Leadership Award

This award recognizes an outstanding tribal health leader and/or health care professional and expert in their field who has displayed a long-term commitment to helping improve the Alaska Tribal Health System. Past recipients of this award are:

2019 - Linda Clement

2017 - Senator Dan Sullivan

2015 - Andrew Jimmie

2018 - Senator Lisa Murkowski

2016 - Dr. Matthew Schnellbaecher

Distinguished Provider Award

This award recognizes a health care provider whose dedication has made a difference in the lives of those patients they care for and in the Alaska Tribal Health System. This award can go to any clinician. Past recipients of this award are:

2019 - Dr. Matthew Hirschfeld

2016 - Savoonga Health Aides

2012 - Dr. James Tiesinga

*2018 - Julie McNulty, PhD, RN
(posthumous) & Aurora Johnson*

2015 - Capt. Gary Givens

2011 - Dr. Frank Sacco

2017 - Thomas Bornstein, DDS &

2014 - Dr. Robert Onders

2010 - Dr. Gregory Marino

Rita Blumenstein

2013 - John Salmon, PA-C

2009 - Dr. David Head

Outstanding Rural Health Champion Award

New in 2019, this award recognizes outstanding individuals, departments or organizations in rural Alaska who have made an outstanding contribution to the enhancement of rural life, people, and/or programs.

2019 - Old Minto Family Recovery Camp

President's Award

This award recognizes a leader outside of the Alaska Tribal Health System, who has made outstanding contributions to ANTHC's vision of Alaska Natives as the healthiest people in the world. Past recipients of this award are:

2014 - James Armbrust

2011 - Myra Munson

2008 - Sen. Ted Stevens

2013 - Dr. David Mather

2010 - Mary Jane Fate

2012 - Lloyd Miller

2009 - Alice Rogoff

Legacy & Leadership Award

This award recognizes an outstanding health care professional and expert in their field that has demonstrated commitment to the Alaska Tribal Health System. Past recipients of this award are:

2014 - H. Sally Smith

2011 - Dr. Brian McMahon

2009 - Gene Peltola

2013 - Paul Hansen

2010 - Mark Gorman

2008 - Paul Sherry

2012 - Valerie Davidson

In 2015, these awards were combined as the President's Legacy & Leadership Award.

Community Spirit Award

This award recognizes the efforts of an individual who makes a difference through their advocacy of community health, education, support and outreach programs. This award recognizes an exceptional individual, group or organization who has made volunteering and community service a way of life and demonstrates a sense of caring and responsibility for others. The past recipients of this award are:

2018 - Wilson Justin

2014 - Darren Lieb

2010 - Audrey Armstrong

2017 - Samuel Johns

2013 - Beverly Hoffman

2009 - Roberta Webb Miljure

2016 - Mike Williams Sr.

2012 - Sid Smith

2008 - Tami Dietrich

2015 - Dr. Ethel Lund

2011 - Galen Kelly

In 2018, the Community Spirit Award was redefined as the Distinguished Rural Provider in order to focus on Tribal health in rural Alaska.