

**Leadership Excellence Award Nomination**

The Leadership Excellence Award recognizes a nonprofit chief or senior executive whose strategic vision, passion, ethical integrity, innovation, perseverance and collaborative style have led to a strong record of extraordinary organizational or programmatic results.

**Nominations will effectively convey the following criteria about the individual:**

1. Strong track record of strengthening the organization and furthering its mission
2. Found new ways to adapt to a changing environment and to address problems and challenges faced by organization
3. Built community both within and outside the organization
4. Established a professionally managed organization with strong and effective systems
5. Exhibits a high level of ethical integrity
6. Shows a commitment to the sector by mentoring emerging professionals and engaging in activities that strengthen the sector
7. Achieved meaningful and measurable results

**Deadline:** The deadline for all nominations is **March 12, 2013.**

**Submission Instructions:**

Please answer the questions below and return **ONLY THE NOMINATION FORM**, which begins on the following page (please do not save this page in your submission).

Email all completed nominations, as a word document (not a PDF), to Hillary Kovash at [hkovash@massnonprofitnet.org](mailto:hkovash@massnonprofitnet.org) and include “Innovation Nomination, Nominee’s Last Name” in the subject line.

**Additional Information:**

Refer to the Excellence Award FAQ page on the MNN website for more information about Nonprofit Awareness Day and the Excellence Award judging process.

**Questions:**

Please contact Hillary Kovash at [hkovash@massnonprofitnet.org](mailto:hkovash@massnonprofitnet.org) or 617-330-1188x281.

**Leadership Excellence Award Nomination Form**

**\*\*Please answer the questions below and return ONLY THIS PORTION to** [hkovash@massnonprofitnet.org](mailto:hkovash@massnonprofitnet.org)**.\*\***

1. **Nominee Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Provide a brief description of the nominee’s title, responsibilities and a brief overview of the organization with which they are associated, including approximate size and age, programs and services, and population served.** *(200 word limit)*

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1. **Briefly describe the ways in which this individual has strengthened their organization and/or increased or improved its programs and services for the population served.** *(200 word limit)*

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1. **With the above criteria in mind, describe why this individual is worthy of this recognition. Please provide specific examples of their achievements.** *(200 word limit)*

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1. **Provide a clear description of the outcomes achieved by this individual. Please be as specific as possible.** *(200 word limit)*

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1. **Nominee Contact Information:**

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1. **Nominator Contact Information:** *(Please leave blank if self-nominating.)*

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