



Call for Nominations for MPHA Awards

Dear Minnesota Public Health Association Colleagues:

The Minnesota Public Health Association's (MPHA) Leadership Committee announces the call for nominations for the MPHA Awards. This is a great opportunity to acknowledge the commitment and contributions of public health colleagues. Please consider submitting nominations for the following awards:

- **The Albert Justus Chesley Award** honors an individual who has “distinguished him/herself in the field of public health and who has, through his/her membership, made a definite contribution to the Minnesota Public Health Association.” [More Info](#)
- **The B. Robert Lewis Award** is presented to "an Elected Official who has distinguished him/herself in aggressive pursuit to establish and maintain health as a human right and to secure optimal community and personal health." [More Info](#)
- **The Harvey G. Rogers Environmental Health Leadership Award** honors “an individual who through years of dedication, distinguished service and technical contribution has promoted the public's health through preservation of the environment”. [More Info](#)
- **The Paul and Sheila Wellstone Public Health Achievement Award** honors “an individual who has distinguished him/herself in public health through an outstanding contribution... to promote and protect the health of individuals, families and the community... (and) leadership as demonstrated by the impact of on other’s careers or having made a contribution that reflects innovation, creativity or a courageous pioneering effort consistent with professional excellence and public service”. [More Info](#)

Please visit the website at www.mpha.net for detailed guidelines of each award, previous award winners, and the nomination form.

Please email leadership@mpha.net with your nomination. If you are nominating a colleague, please ask for their permission before submitting a nomination. **Nominations must be received by Saturday February 18, 2017.**

Thank you in advance for taking an active role in this year’s nomination process. Should you have any questions whatsoever about the process, please don’t hesitate to contact Cherylee Sherry.

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