

2020 **STANDING OVATION** AWARDS

LeadingAge Maine & New Hampshire is proud to honor Provider Members whose programs and team members embody excellence in leadership, care and service innovation with this year's **STANDING OVATION AWARDS!**

Recipients will be honored at our 2020 Conference during the expo/evening awards reception on Wednesday, April 8, 2020 at the AC Hotel Portsmouth Downtown/Waterfront—directly adjacent to the <u>Sheraton Harborside Hotel</u> conference venue. Enjoy networking and fellowship during the expo from 4:30-6:15pm followed by the awards program from 6:15-7:00pm.

Individual and organizational honorees will be notified in advance. Each will receive one (1) complimentary, full-conference badge (which includes admission to expo/reception) as well as two (2) guest passes to the expo/reception that may be offered to family, friends or co-workers. Additional scholarship support for travel expenses may be considered.

It's easy! Our nomination process is flexible and fast.

Gone are specific award categories and criteria. We accept nominations for <u>any</u> stand-out individuals and/or organizations having made noteworthy contributions. We invite you to share an illustrative story about a team member or volunteer's above-and-beyond commitment or highlight your own organization's pursuit of excellence.

Not sure how to get started? Consider characteristics such as these which are often reflected in top-notch teams and organizations:

- Leadership: Building and promoting a sense of community; embracing diversity; promoting mentoring and collaborations; helping advance the field of aging services, embodying the values and mission of your organization.
- **Service:** Not for self: consistently attending to tasks others are reluctant to do; exceeding responsibilities and expectations; reliable and trustworthy beyond compare; compassionate; adapting willingly to new situations; involvement in the community or region at large.
- **Volunteerism:** Selfless acts that provide support, engagement, commitment and leadership to enhance an organization's ability to fulfill its mission.
- **Innovation:** Unusual creativity and out-of-the-box thinking to overcome challenges; improving a process, program or your entire organization.
- **Community Service:** Being a good neighbor to your community or region through partnerships or charitable work.

NOMINATE AN INDIVIDUAL

NOMINATE AN ORGANIZATION OR DEPARTMENT

Nominations are due by January 31, 2020

