

PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR AWARD

31st Annual Florida School of Addictions Studies

July 15 through July 19, 2012, Springfield College, School of Human Services, Tampa, FL

Since 1983, the Florida School of Addictions Studies, Inc., has annually recognized an outstanding professional in the field of substance abuse treatment and/or prevention. This effort is to promulgate a feeling that the student body is very important to the leaders, supporters, and sponsors of the School. Nominations for this prestigious award are encouraged from any and all interested parties, including the FSAS Board or Directors and the FSAS Membership Committee; however, current/former members of the FSAS Board of Directors are not eligible for this award.

Former award recipients are: Jean Mosier '83, Jerry Kinzler '84, Ruther Carter '85, Pam Petersen '86, Agnes Furey '87, Brenda Dillon '88, Jay Schrader '89, Ray Roberts '90, Ann Biddy '91, Elizabeth Broughton '93, George Dewiliby '94, George Myers '95, Rene' Plummer '96, Susan Bridges-Tomkins '97, Jonathan Lofgren '98, Ronda Kay Zucco '99, Kay Doughty '00, Clarissa Hersey '01, Jerry Wilson '02, Emilie Lewis '03, Nancy Greenwald '04, Sally Strong '05, James Bowden '06, Richard Sell '07, John Cornett '08, Dave Harvey '09, Jonathan Wade '10, and Joanna Johnson '11..

AWARD INCLUDES:

- Complimentary registration to the July 15-19, 2012 FSAS
- Recognition in the FSAS Newsletter, Brochure, Website, and at the School
- Plaque proclaiming their achievement

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- A person who has worked in the addictions field for a minimum of five (5) years
- For the professionals who provides direct services to consumers and who have consistently contributed to the field of substance abuse, distinguished themselves beyond the requirements of their jobs and demonstrated excellence in the field.
- Those who manage direct care staff are also eligible if they routinely spend 25% of their time with the public.
- Individuals who provide some direct service through their job or through another job or part time activity (for example) would not be eligible.
- Current/former members of the FSAS Board of Directors are not eligible for this award

DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED:

- Complete Nomination form and nominator's letter setting forth justification for the nominee's selection as Professional of the Year
- Current Resume of the person being nominated for Professional of the Year
- Two (2) letters of recommendation from nominee's colleagues, peers, supervisors, clients, or informed others who can attest to nominee's achievements.

Completed nomination form, nominator's letter and 2 letters of recommendation should be sent to the Chair of the Awards Committee at:

FSAS Scholarship Chair
1725 Art Museum Drive
Jacksonville, FL 32207

Telephone: 1-888-933-FSAS
E-Mail: fsas@nefsc.org
Web Site: www.fsas.org

DEADLINE: Nomination form, nominator's letter, resume & 2 letters of recommendation must be received no later than the close of business on **April 2, 2012.**

NOTE: Winner must furnish a 5-inch by 7-inch or larger photograph suitable for reproduction. The recipient shall bear the expense of transportation, lodging, and any meals not furnished at the school.

NOMINATION FORM
FSAS Professional of Year 2011
FSAS Sun. 7/15/2012 - Thurs. 7/19/2012,
Springfield College, School of Human Services, Tampa, FL

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NOMINEE Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: () _____ E-mail address: _____

Degrees, licenses, certifications and dates received: _____

Employer: _____

Employers' address: _____

Supervisor's name: _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Supervisor's Phone: () _____

E-mail address: _____

Job Title _____

Nominator's Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: () _____ E-mail address: _____

Nominator's Signature: _____

Nominator will furnish nomination letter that will include your reasons for nominating this person for Professional of the Year and include examples of accomplishments that advance the field of substance abuse treatment or prevention, the major contributions above and beyond his/her regular job requirements, exemplary work accomplished during the past year, recognition or awards received to date, and other relevant information concerning achievements or qualifications.

Mail nomination form, nomination letter, resume, and 2 letters of recommendation from other individuals to:

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