

## Recognizing Those Who Volunteer in Virginia's Long Term Care Centers



Volunteer of the Year Awards 2024 Nomination Package

# We know you can't imagine life without your volunteers!

There are as many reasons for volunteering as there are volunteers. Volunteers give of themselves freely with no thought of compensation beyond the joy of helping others. Our residents' quality of life is enhanced by each volunteer's special programs and talents. It would be almost impossible to run activity programs without their help.

## Nominate your volunteers for a VHCA-VCAL Award!

Through the Adult, Teen, and Group Volunteer of the Year Awards, the Virginia Health Care Association-Virginia Center for Assisted Living (VHCA-VCAL) honors individuals who are dedicated to improving the quality of lives of residents and their surrounding communities.

Your center's recognition programs go a long way to honor volunteers who selflessly serve your residents. VHCA-VCAL wants to take these honors one step further and name statewide adult, teen, and group volunteers of the year.

#### **Award Categories and Eligibility Criteria**

Adult: 20 years and older Teen: 13 to 19 years of age

Group: Two or more individuals who volunteer regularly as a whole group

- You may submit nominations in all categories.
- Nominees must have volunteered at the nominating center at least a year prior to the nominating deadline.
- Nominations must be received by June 7, 2024.

Winners are chosen by a panel, the members of which are involved in volunteer programs for other organizations. Honorees will be announced at the annual VHCA-VCAL Awards Banquet held on September 11, 2024 at Hilton Norfolk The Main. Volunteer of the Year Award recipients and their immediate families (no more than two additional people) will be honored at the banquet.

Fillable electronic forms are available at www.vhca.org/nomination-packages.

### Nominate an individual or group who has made a difference in your center!

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