



Supportive Staff Member of the Year Award

The VAAP Supportive Staff Member of the Year is presented annually to the non-activity staff member who has consistently given significant support to the advancement of therapeutic activities within a facility of which a VAAP member is the activity professional and has significantly supported the VAAP member activity professional in their contribution to the health and therapeutic care to the residents of the facility; supported their role in local, state and national associations; and continuing education endeavors and professionalism.

Name and Position of Staff Member Nominee: _____

Nominated by: _____

Facility: _____

Facility Address: _____

City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

Please attach the following to this application:

In 250 words or less describe why the nominee deserves to be named the Virginia Association of Activity Professionals Supportive Staff of the year. Your nomination should include the following information:

- a. Overall support for the activity program and the activity professionals in your facility.
- b. How they know and respond to the resident's activity needs?
- c. How do your residents benefit from the efforts of your Nominee?
- d. What kinds of activities has your Nominee participated in?
- e. Does your Nominee have any special skills or talents that he/she utilizes to enhance your activity programs?
- f. Has your Nominee initiated any new programs or projects at your facility?
- g. Does the Nominee help facilitate any special programs (trips, one-time events, supplies, equipment etc.)?

(optional) Letters from residents, families and facility staff.

Send all applications to:

Tricia Geary, BMT/ACC
VAAP Awards Chair
750 Greencastle Road
Richmond, VA 23236

*** All applications must be postmarked by December 31st.**

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Date Received: _____ Number of Pages Received: _____

Authorized Signature: _____