

Indiana Hospital Association

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Call for Nominations

2009 Outstanding Achievement Awards

The Indiana Hospital Association recognizes outstanding personal achievement in support of the humanitarian and management goals of Indiana health care institutions. The 2009 IHA Awards Committee is seeking nominations for the Association's Distinguished Service Award and the Award of Merit. Nominations may be made by anyone affiliated with an IHA member organization.

Distinguished Service Award

Purpose: To recognize outstanding contributions of Indiana chief executive officers to their communities, their profession, and to the health care field.

Criteria: The recipient must meet the following criteria:

- is the chief executive officer of an IHA member.
- has contributed to the advancement of high quality, efficient health care services in an Indiana community.
- has attained a high level of proficiency and demonstrated competence in health care administration.
- has demonstrated a serious commitment to furthering the profession of health care administration.
- has made significant contributions to the advancement of health care at the state or national levels.

Award of Merit

Purpose: To recognize individuals from Indiana, other than IHA member CEOs, who have given outstanding service to the health care field.

Criteria: The recipient must meet the following criteria:

- may be affiliated with an IHA member but may not be actively engaged in administration.
- has made noteworthy contributions to the health care field.
- is an Indiana resident.
- has demonstrated a devotion to the interests and goals of hospitals and the humanitarian services they provide.

Rules for Both Awards

- 1. Nominations may be made by anyone affiliated with an IHA member.
- 2. Nominations must be received by July 31, 2009.
- 3. Awards will be presented during the IHA Annual Meeting, September 16-18, 2009.
- 4. Nominees who are not selected may have nominations updated and re-entered in future years.
- 5. Awards may not necessarily be made each year.
- Nominations should be sent to Robert C. Keen, FACHE, Chairman, Awards Committee, Indiana Hospital Association, 1 American Square, Suite 1900, Indianapolis, IN 46282-0004.
- Nominators will receive confirmation that the nomination has been received.

Distinguished Service Award

In addition to the above rules, the following also apply to the Distinguished Service Award:

- 1. Nominees must be chief executive officers of IHA members.
- 2. Nominators must submit the Distinguished Service Award Nomination Form, using additional sheets as needed. Written supplemental information such as a curriculum vitae, published articles, newspaper clippings, and endorsements will be considered if they support and clarify the nominee's achievements. Please do not submit video presentations.

Award of Merit

In addition to the Rules for Both Awards, the following also apply to the Award of Merit:

- Nominations must be in the form of a letter to the Chairman of the Awards Committee. The letter should be accompanied with background material that details the significant contributions of the nominee to hospitals and/or health care. Supportive and clarifying information may be included. Please do not submit video presentations.
- 2. Nominees must be residents of Indiana.
- 3. Chief executive officers of IHA members are not eligible.

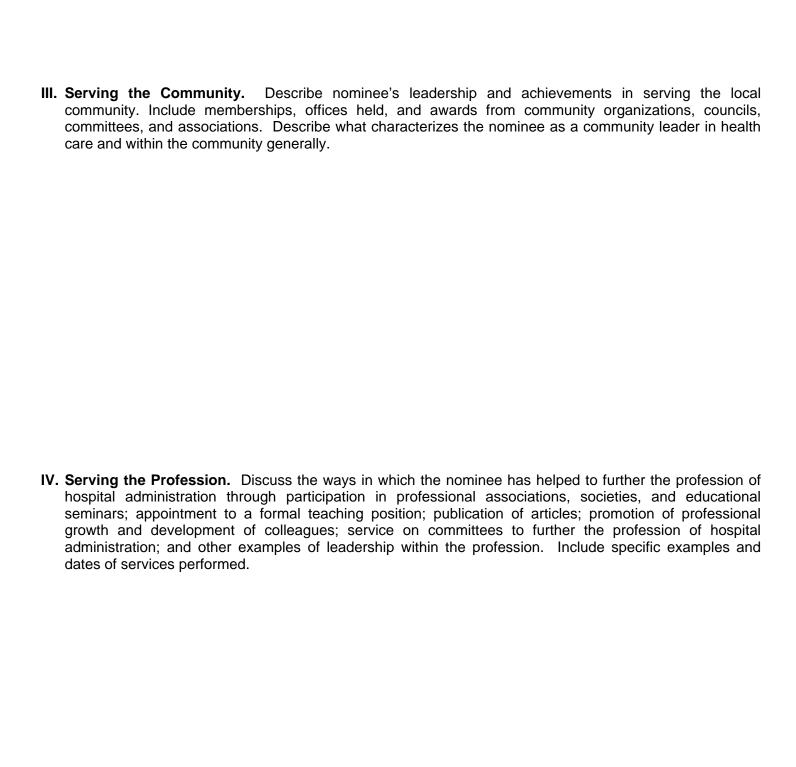
2009 Nomination Form

Distinguished Service Award

Return nomination form by July 31, 2009, to Robert C. Keen, FACHE, Chairman, Awards Committee, Indiana Hospital Association, 1 American Square, Suite 1900, Indianapolis, IN 46282-0004.

Name of r	nominee		
Years in h	ospital administratio	n	
Prior posit	ions in hospital field		
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poss	se provide answers to the following questions. Use additional sheets as needed, and be as detailed as sible. Attach and label additional documentation, such as curriculum vitae, published articles, newspaper ings, and written documentation.
th	Health Care Development. Describe, giving specific details, the nominee's achievements in advancing he availability, improvement, and/or expansion of high quality, efficient, effective hospital services within he community.
D	Serving the Hospital. Describe the leadership qualities of nominee as a hospital chief executive officer. Document, for example, how nominee encourages quality improvement, efficiency, problem solving, human esources development, etc.



٧.	Serving the Field. Discuss nominee's field at local, regional, state, and/or norganizations, service on planning or reg	ational leve	els through service	to state and nation	nal health care
VI.	Awards and Honors Received. List a civic, fraternal, professional, or other presented to nominee.				
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