



Nominate a Consumer/Peer Leader for a 2011 Voice Award

Consumer/Peer leaders* throughout the United States have played a vital role in both raising awareness and understanding of behavioral health (mental health and/or addiction issues) and promoting the social inclusion of individuals with behavioral health problems. Through their exemplary leadership and advocacy, they demonstrate that recovery is real and that individuals with behavioral health problems are valuable, contributing members of their schools, workplaces, and communities.

If you know of a consumer/peer leader who has made outstanding contributions in all of the following areas, please nominate him/her for a 2011 Voice Award:

- Led efforts to promote the social inclusion of individuals with trauma histories and behavioral health problems;
- Personally demonstrated that recovery is real and possible; and
- Made a positive impact on his/her community, workplace, or school.

Nominations are open to anyone and are free. There is no limit to the number of nominations you can submit. Self-nominations are welcome.

**For the purposes of the Voice Awards, the term "consumer/peer leader" is defined broadly as an individual who has received or is receiving services for a mental health and/or addiction issue.*

To nominate a consumer/peer leader, please complete this form to the best of your knowledge.

Your name and contact information (optional – you may nominate anonymously):

Name:

Address:

Phone:

E-mail:

Organizational affiliation (if applicable):

SEND YOUR NOMINATION TO:

E-mail: voiceawards@vancomm.com

Fax: (202) 331-9420

Snail mail: Voice Awards, 2121 K St., NW, Ste. 650, Washington, DC 20037

Consumer/Peer leader's full name and contact information:

Name:

E-mail:

Address:

Phone:

Organization affiliation (*if applicable*):

Description (*500 words maximum*) of the contributions of this individual as they relate to the following areas:

- Led efforts to promote the social inclusion of individuals with trauma histories and behavioral health problems;
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All nomination forms must be COMPLETE in order to be eligible.

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