

## Jack Slater Community Excellence Award Guidelines & Nomination Procedure

The Jack Slater Community Excellence Award is given annually to an individual, group, or organization that has demonstrated unwavering commitment to organ, eye, and tissue donation. Because of their commitment, donation has increased and positive public perceptions have been strengthened.

### Purpose:

- To recognize and reward extraordinary dedication to increasing organ, eye, and tissue donation in our community
- To give focus to Donate Life Today's commitment to and appreciation for donation champions in the community.
- To recognize, celebrate, and develop community leaders and advocates for organ, eye, and tissue donation.

#### Eligibility:

- Individual, group, or organization
- Scope of work/support must be performed in the community served by Donate Life Today (Alaska, Montana, North Idaho, Washington)
- Nominees must be relevant at this time the activities/support for which the nominee is being nominated must have taken place since April of the previous year.

**Selection Committee**: The following from LifeCenter Northwest will be on the selection committee: CEO, Vice President Community Relations & Marketing, Director of Community Affairs, Development Program Manager, Governing Board Member, Advisory Board Member

**Nomination Process**: Nomination forms and associated instructions will be distributed throughout the donation community in Alaska, Montana, North Idaho and Washington. Any person may nominate. Completed nomination documents must be submitted by the indicated deadline, no exceptions will be made to the deadline date.

**Number of Awards**: One award will be made annually and presented at the Annual Giving Luncheon in Seattle.

**Award Criteria**: Nominees' work/support must have impacted our community through one or more of the following:

- Increased the number of organ, eye, and tissue donors
- Built credibility for the cause of organ, eye, and tissue donation
- Achieved outstanding results and support for organ, eye, and tissue donation through fundraising

**Award Presentation & Recognition**: The award will be given during the Annual Giving Luncheon program. The VP of Community Relations & Marketing will speak on behalf of the selection committee sharing the accomplishments of the award recipient and present them with the crystal engraved award.

**Nomination Procedure**: Nominations are to be turned into the Development Program Manager no later than the deadline. The following should be included:

- A statement of no more than 500 words describing why the individual, group, or organization is being nominated. Illustrate the nominee's achievements and overall impact qualifying them for the award.
- Name and contact information of the following:
  - The person, group or organization being nominated
  - The person submitting the nomination
  - Two other individuals familiar with the nominee and their involvement with organ, eye, and tissue donation.

## Submit nominations to lyssac@lcnw.org no later than February 19, 2010



# Jack Slater Community Excellence Award Nomination Form

Please submit the following to <u>lyssac@lcnw.org</u> no later than February 19, 2010

Person, Group or Organization nominated for the Jack Slater Community Excellence Award:		
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State:_		Zip:
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Please attach the 500 word statement describing why the individual, group, or organization is being nominated.