



Call for Nominations

Live Healthy South Carolina Awards

Background: Live Healthy South Carolina (LHSC) has been established as the first ever state health improvement plan for our state. The plan's development was led by the Alliance for a Healthier South Carolina, the guiding coalition for the plan's implementation and SC DHEC. LHSC is designed to guide individuals and organizations across our state to work in concert to ensure that everyone has the opportunity to achieve a healthier life. This blueprint is built around five strategic priority areas:

- 1) Resilient Children
- 2) Chronic Health Conditions
- 3) Behavioral Health
- 4) Healthcare Transformation
- 5) Factors that Affect Health

The LHSC Awards program recognizes those individuals and organizations that exemplify the highest levels of commitment to improving the health and wellbeing of communities they serve. Those who receive this recognition will serve as visible examples of how the LHSC blueprint can be effectively achieved in practice.

Award Eligibility Criteria: Any individual or community/state level organization with efforts that support 1 or more of the LHSC priority areas are eligible for this award.

Award Categories

1. Dr. Rick Foster Leadership Award

An individual who has served as a champion for health and health equity at a local, regional or state level, and exemplify in action the key LHSC aims, priorities and goals are eligible for the Capstone Leader award.

2. Community Innovation Award

A community coalition or community-based organization who demonstrates active engagement in leading and guiding innovative work for community health improvement and the elimination of health disparities.

3. State Impact Award

A state level organization or coalition who demonstrates a commitment to support and take action under the LHSC plan, using a collaborative approach for state health improvement.

Deadline for submissions is September 12 @ 5pm.

Submit nominations at www.livehealthysc.com. Email questions to Monty Robertson @ mrobertson@scha.org

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