



## Annual Community Awards

PreventionFIRST! is now accepting nominations for the 2019 Annual Community Awards. The Annual Community Awards Luncheon will be held Friday, April 26, 2019 at the Cintas Center. All nominations may be based on personal or professional efforts. **The deadline for submission is February 25, 2018.**

### Categories and Criteria

**Rob Portman Leadership Award** – In the spirit of U.S. Senator Rob Portman's leadership as Founder of PreventionFIRST!, formerly the Coalition for a Drug-Free Greater Cincinnati, this award is presented to an individual, or organization, from the tri-state region that has significantly contributed to the advancement of our mission through:

- Leadership at a systems level,
- Influence to move our community to take action, and
- Support or involvement in substance use/misuse prevention.

**Rachel Hutzel Prevention Partner Award** – In honor of former Board member, the Honorable Rachel Hutzel, this award is presented to an individual, or organization, from the tri-state region that has contributed to the advancement of our mission through:

- Notable progress in the development of community prevention capacity,
- Successful implementation of new or innovative prevention strategy/ies that are contributing to community level change, and
- Demonstrated prevention outcomes as evidenced by positive changes in the four core National Outcome Measures.

**Carolyn Ford-Griffith Youth of the Year Award** – In honor of former Board member, Rev. Carolyn Ford-Griffith, this award is presented to a student, or group of students (ie. a club), from the tri-state region that has contributed to the advancement of our mission through:

- Modeling a drug-free lifestyle,
- Taking an active role in substance use/misuse prevention in the community, and
- Motivating his or her peers to take an active role in substance use/misuse prevention.

Narrative Guidelines: Please describe how your nominee exemplifies the category criteria. Typed submission in Times New Roman, 12 point font, and 500-word maximum will be accepted.

PreventionFIRST! (PF!) will notify nominators of the final selections. If your nominee is selected, you will be asked to initially contact the honoree upon winning, and may be asked to assist in compiling biographical information about the honoree. For questions, please contact Angela Cowart, Development, at 513.751.8000 ext. 20 or [acowart@prevention-first.org](mailto:acowart@prevention-first.org).

Please submit nominations to [acowart@prevention-first.org](mailto:acowart@prevention-first.org) or  
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## COMMUNITY AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

### **Award Category Nominated For:**

- Rob Portman Leadership Award*
- Rachel Hutzel Prevention Partner Award*
- Carolyn Ford-Griffith Youth of the Year Award*

### **Nominee Information** (Name as it should appear on all printed materials and award)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Group/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Nominator Information**

Nominated By: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF NOMINATOR: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

***Please attach typed narrative with the Nomination Form.***

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