

Georgia Caregiver of the Year Awards Announcement

Do you know a Family Caregiver, a Volunteer Caregiver or a Para-Professional Caregiver? If you do and you would like to nominate someone within the state of Georgia, please contact your local CARE-NET Coordinator. You must be willing to write why this individual deserves to be Caregiver of the Year.

Nominations will be taken for those demonstrating direct service care, compassion and resourcefulness in providing long term home or community based care. To be eligible for the award, a caregiver must be currently providing care, or must have provided care within the past year.

For the CARE-NET Coordinator in your area, please visit www.RosalynnCarter.org at this link: <http://www.rosalynncarter.org/Georgia%20CARE-NET%20Coalition/>. Find your location on the map, then click on regional contact/address information. The CARE-NET Coordinator will send you the nomination forms necessary for your region. All entries must be in by July 1, 2014 to be eligible.

All nominees in every category should demonstrate one or more of the following characteristics:

- how this nominee exhibits exceptional compassion and dedication in their caregiving duties.
- ways in which this nominee has expanded their knowledge of caregiving skills and techniques.
- ways in which this nominee has worked to support other caregivers in the community.
- examples of why this caregiver is extraordinary.

If you have any questions, please contact Elaine Larkin: Elaine.Larkin@gsw.edu

We look forward to receiving your nominations!