

2010 NAHU EMERGING LEADER AWARD

Description: The Emerging Leader Award honors NAHU members with less than five years in the industry who have contributed significantly above and beyond what is normally called for in connection with association volunteer service at the local, state, and/or national level. The nominee's commitment of time, talent and finances to the advancement of the association and the health insurance industry should be exemplary. The **recommended** point threshold is 60 points. A maximum of 14 Emerging Leader Awards may be presented.

Any individual NAHU member, who has been a member for less than 5 years and has worked in the insurance industry less than five years, is eligible for this award. However, since this award is intended for outstanding service by New Agents, a member is only allowed to win the Emerging Leader Award once.

Directions:

To nominate your candidate, submit a **detailed narrative (2,000 word limit) outlining your nominee's accomplishments** with the completed nomination/application form and criteria checklist. Your submission needs to provide information on your candidate as well as documentation detailing your candidate's specific accomplishments and achievement of the award criteria listed in the criteria checklist attached to the application. Members may be nominated by an individual member or a chapter.

RULES, CLARIFICATION OF SPECIFIC AWARD CRITERIA, DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS AND TIPS MAY BE FOUND IN THE AWARDS LEADERSHIP GUIDE ON NAHU'S WEBSITE: <http://www.nahu.org/members/AW-LeadershipGuide.pdf>

Send to:

Please make a copy of everything you submit for your own records. Mail the original nomination/application form, criteria checklist and documentation to the **NAHU Awards Committee, 2000 N. 14th Street, Suite 450, Arlington, VA 22201**. Submissions received without an application will be disqualified.

Due date:

THE DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF THE APPLICATION AND ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION, REGARDLESS OF DELIVERY METHOD, IS APRIL 5.

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Nomination/Application Form

Candidate Name: _____

Chapter: _____

Nominator Name (print): _____

Nominator's Signature: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

_____ \$10 check enclosed to return this packet following the annual convention. If this chapter has submitted more than one award application, the \$10 fee applies to the return of up to three applications to a single address. There is a \$2 fee per additional application. (i.e. 5 applications to the same address will cost \$14.) Unclaimed submissions become the property of NAHU and will be destroyed.

Name and Address for returning application via UPS:

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

_____ No. We do not wish to have our submission returned.

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Criteria Checklist and Point Basis

To be used in developing supporting narrative for NAHU 2010 Emerging Leader Awards

Please indicate what criteria have been satisfied and expected point allocations. Qualifications must take place during period from which the member joined the industry. Items marked with * require documentation, even if mentioned in narrative.

_____ 1. Current and past industry association(s) affiliations* [1 pt./affiliation, max 5 pts.]
(Non-NAHU organizations)

_____ 2. Levels of service (National, State, Local)*

___ Local committee members [1 pt per yr]

___ Local committee chair [2 pt per yr]

___ Local board chair [3 pts per yr]

___ Local executive officer, other than President [4 pts per yr]

List officer positions: _____

___ Local president [5 pts per yr]

___ State committee members [1 pt per yr]

___ State committee chair [2 pts per yr]

___ State board chair [3 pts per yr]

___ State executive officer, other than President [4 pts per yr]

List officer positions _____

___ State president [5 pts per yr]

___ Regional committee members [3 pt per yr]

___ Regional committee chair [4 pts per yr]

___ National committee and advisory group members [5 pt per yr]

___ National board chair or officer, other than President [7 pts per yr]

_____ 3. Public service and community activities [1 pt/activity, max. 10 pts.]*
(e.g. church activities, rotary clubs, service organizations)

_____ 4. Attended state, regional and/or national conferences or meetings
[2 pt/mtg, max. 10 pts.]

_____ 5. Association and/or industry awards received [1 pt./award] *
[NAHU Awards=max. 5 pts., Non-NAHU Awards=max. 5 pts.]

_____ 6. Professional industry designations-RHU, REBC, DIA, LTCP, CSA, CLTC
[2 pts/designation, max 12 pts.]

_____ 7. Past or current LPRT award winner* [2 pts/year, max. 10 pts.]

_____ 8. Industry involvement [1 pt/yr per committee, max. 10 pts.]*
(e.g. serving on insurance committees, special insurance task forces, etc.)

_____ 9. Membership recruitment [2 pts/mbr, max. 10 pts.]

_____ 10. HUPAC Contribution(s) [\$10x12mo: 3 pts., \$365: 5 pts, Capital Club: 7 pts.]

_____ 11. Operation Shout participation [1 pts/participation, max. 5 pts.]

_____ 12. Triple Crown Award winner* [2 pts/year, max. 10 pts.]

_____ 13. Miscellaneous [1 pt/item, max. 10 pts.]*

(Points will be given for industry-related speaking engagements, articles published, radio and/or TV appearances, or association special projects) May include NAHU and/or Non-NAHU items but each must be health insurance industry related.

_____ Point Total