



DEADLINE: April 1, 2020

Linda Lee Martens Community Health Hero Award

Hero - a person of distinguished courage or ability admired for their noble qualities... a person who, in the opinion of others, is regarded as a model to be emulated. Most heroes live and work among us without much notice, but we all know who they are and it's only fitting that we publicly recognize and honor them.

In difficult times, local heroes can be just the inspiration we need. Island County's Community Health Advisory Board (CHAB) and the Board of Health honor individuals who go the extra mile to help others in need. **The Linda Lee Martens Community Health Hero Award** is named for the late executive secretary of our local Health Department. She was a President of Soroptimists International and a memorable participant in many local activities. She was a hero because she was an ordinary person with an extraordinary love for others.

Award Criteria

The Linda Lee Martens Memorial Community Health Hero of Island County Award Criteria recognizes an adult, youth (under age 21 when action completed), or agency that has either directly or indirectly impacted community health. Nominees are selected based on:

- Category of contribution(s) and relative importance
- Urgency of the problem(s) addressed
- Number of people affected
- Scope of project(s): (\$\$, people enlisted, time involved, etc.)
- Results: (actual or realistically expected insofar as being measurable)

(If the nominee's efforts involve(d) professional duties, they should be above/beyond normal expectations.)

NOMINATION FORM

Nominee:

Last Name

First Name

Address:

Street

(Apt.)

City

Zip

Phone: () _____

Email: _____

CATEGORY:

Adult

Youth (< 21 at time of action)

Agency

May we contact the nominee for additional information?

Yes

No

Please include a picture of the nominee, preferably in their volunteer setting:

Attached

Not attached

NARRATIVE SECTION: Please be specific about this individual or agency's contributions. Attach an additional 1-page narrative if needed.

Details that should be included:

- ✓ The story of how this person or agency contributes to our community.
- ✓ How the individual/agency's contributions are unique.
- ✓ What specific area of health that has benefited from their efforts. Examples: Environmental health (food safety, air, water quality); hunger and food security; dental health; mental health; housing; preventive care; maternal and child health; substance abuse; wellness; public safety; living and working environment.
- ✓ Urgency of the issue and problem in the community
- ✓ Scope of the project(s)
- ✓ Any reportable results of the project or programs

Nominated by:

Last Name	First Name
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Address:

Street	(Apt.)	City	Zip
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Phone: ()

Email:

Please send this form by **April 1, 2020** to Theresa Sanders via email, mail, or fax:
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Thank you for recognizing these individuals that are doing good work for the health of our community!

