

2007 ArkSHA Honors & Awards Nomination

Louis M. DiCarlo Award for Clinical Achievement - The recipient will be chosen for advancement of knowledge in clinical practice as evidenced by a significant recent accomplishment within the past six years in speech-language and/or audiology. Information about the recipient of this award will be submitted in 2008 to the American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation for the national competition.

Nominees for this award are not limited to any particular type of clinical achievement or activity; however, the achievement must be specific, well defined, and clearly within the time limit of the most recent six years. Eligible activities or accomplishments for which an individual might receive the DiCarlo award include, but are not restricted to, the following examples:

- * A single achievement with a client or group of clients
- * A specific clinical service or training program
- * A specific achievement in a state or local organization or government agency activity
- * A specific accomplishment in clinical teaching, research or administration

(Recognized projects may include: a new treatment technique; innovative urban service delivery program; new clinical research; a training video addressing an unmet need; a multicultural parent training program; a unique hospital program; a successful state legislative initiative, etc.)

Frank R. Kleffner Clinical Career Award - Nominees for this award should exhibit a distinguished career in speech pathology or audiology. Information about the recipient of this award will be submitted in 2008 to the American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation for the national competition. Outstanding clinical career accomplishments that span a career may include, but are not restricted to, the following:

- * Outstanding clinical achievement with a client or group of clients
- * Outstanding clinical service or training program
- * Outstanding achievement in state, or local organization or government agency activity
- * Outstanding accomplishments in clinical teaching, research, or administration

Paula J. Gober Public Schools Award - This award recognizes distinguished clinical service by an individual in a public school setting.

Honors of the Association - Honors of the Association is the highest honor the association can give and recognizes distinguished contributions to the field of communication disorders. It is limited to members of the Association

Research Award - This award recognizes individuals who have made significant contributions to the research literature related to the professions of speech pathology or audiology.

Audiology Award - This award recognizes distinguished service by an audiologist.

Nominations for the Louis M. Dicarlo Award for Clinical Achievement, the Frank R. Kleffner Clinical Career Award, the Paula J. Gober Public Schools Award, Honors of the Association, the Research Award and the Audiology Award must be postmarked by September 1, 2006. Nomination documents must include all information requested and must adhere to page limits.

Nominations must include the following information, in this order:

1. The Awards Nomination form, which includes the nominee's name, present position, address, and phone number.
2. The attached summary form
3. Narrative text that provides the rationale for why this individual is being nominated. The nominator must use the following as section headers for the narrative text.
 - (a) Identification and description of the outstanding clinical or research achievement. Nomination documents should include information on when and where the specific achievement took place
 - (b) Description of the significance of the achievement
 - (c) Explanation of how the nominee's actions have advanced knowledge in the area of clinical practical or research.
 - (d) Explanation of the nominee's role in the achievement

FORMAT

Documentation for nominations should be typed and single-spaced. Total pages are not to exceed 10 numbered, single-spaced, typed pages including nomination and summary forms and letter(s) of support. Pages beyond this number will be removed before distribution to the Honors and Awards Committee. Please do not send brochures, newspaper articles, etc. Additional information will be requested if necessary.

Please mail one original and four collated copies to:

**Suzanne Miltich, Chair
ArkSHA Honors and Awards Committee
9679 E. High Meadows Dr.
Rogers, AR 72756**

Must be postmarked by September 1, 2007



ARKSHA AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

**Louis M. Dicarolo Award for Clinical Achievement; Frank R. Kleffner Clinical Career Award;
Paula J. Gober Public Schools Award; Honors of the Association; Research Award; Audiology Award**

INSTRUCTIONS: This form should be completed and submitted as the front cover to the supporting materials required (as listed below). Submit the original and four copies to the Honors and Awards Committee chairperson. Nomination must be postmarked by **September 1, 2007**.

1. NOMINEE INFORMATION

DATE OF NOMINATION:

NAME:

DEGREE:

PROFESSIONAL TITLE:

AFFILIATION:

PREFERRED MAILING ADDRESS:

CITY/STATE/ZIP:

DAYTIME PHONE NUMBER:

EXTENSION:

FAX NUMBER:

EMAIL ADDRESS:

II. PERSON SUBMITTING NOMINATION

NAME:

DEGREE:

TITLE:

ADDRESS:

CITY/STATE/ZIP:

EMAIL:

DAYTIME PHONE NUMBER:

EXTENSION:

FAX NUMBER:



SUMMARY FORM

2007 NOMINATION FOR HONORS AND AWARDS

Instructions: This form should be completed and submitted along with the nomination form and all required supporting materials.

1. Nominee Name:

2. COUNTY:

3. AWARD (Check one)

Louis M. Dicarlo Award for Clinical Achievement

Frank R. Kleffner Clinical Career Award

Paula J. Gober Public Schools Award

Honors of the Association

Research Award

Audiology Award

4. BRIEF STATEMENT OF NOMINATION: State why this individual was nominated in three sentences or less.