

## **IDHA COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD**

The Community Service Award is given to a dental hygienist who goes above and beyond to provide service to the underserved and promotes dental health within their community and their Professional Association. The recipient will be honored with a plaque at IDHA Annual Conference.

### **HISTORY:**

This award was created to honor dental hygienists who have a serving heart. Although there are many dental hygienists giving selflessly to their profession and this association, this award is specific to volunteerism and a passion to serve those in need.

### **CRITERIA:**

- The nominee must be a member of ADHA.
- The nominee must have a history of regular contributions to their community.
- The nominee must have made a positive impact to those in need through service.

### **GUIDELINES:**

- Nominees shall be submitted to the Awards Committee Chairperson at [indhacentraloff@gmail.com](mailto:indhacentraloff@gmail.com) by July 1 of the year the award is to be given.
- The nominator(s) must submit to the Awards Committee Chairperson a bio that is limited to the nominee's Dental Community Activities, Non-Dental Community Activities and a short essay supporting the nomination, the contributions and outcomes of the nominee's community service.
- This award will be given to one recipient in any given year.