

2021 Impact Awards

NACDD Impact Award

Nominations

Due: July 31, 2021,
11:59 p.m. ET

Nominate Someone for an Impact Award

Impact Award nominations can be completed online at <https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/446c3889820f4365b36d84344220896c>

Awards Qualifications

The NACDD Impact Awards are open to all NACDD Members listed in our Member roster. To be an NACDD Member, you must be a public health professional working in chronic disease prevention and control. More information on NACDD Membership is available at chronicdisease.org/page/ForMembers.

About the Impact Awards

For more than a decade, state, tribal, and territorial Chronic Disease Directors have used the Impact Awards to acknowledge the exceptional work and progress chronic disease professionals and partners are making in the field of public health. The National Association of Chronic Disease Directors oversees the administrative responsibilities of the awards process, but the awards are selected by NACDD Members.

Nominate someone you know for the 2021 NACDD Impact Awards

NACDD's annual Impact Awards recognize exceptional public health practitioners, State, Tribal, and Territorial Health Departments, and partners. The NACDD Awards Committee, which includes NACDD Members and Headquarters staff, receives and judges all nominations. Recipients will be honored this fall during a special ceremony. Award nomination qualifications are listed below. You also may nominate yourself.

Impact Awards List

ProVention Foundation Lifetime Achievement Award

Awarded to a current or former Chronic Disease Director of a State, Tribal, or Territorial Health Department whose career has contributed to reducing the burden of chronic disease in the United States.

Joseph W. Cullen Excellence Award

Awarded to an individual *outside* the traditional public health field who has made outstanding contributions in the field of chronic disease.

Community Impact Award (Individual and Team Awards available)

NACDD offers this award for both an individual and a Chronic Disease Unit team that have made significant impacts or achieved significant influence in a community related to chronic disease prevention and control.

Chronic Disease Innovator Award (Two Awards Given)

Awarded to a state, tribal, or territorial Chronic Disease Unit that demonstrates an innovative approach to reducing the burden of chronic disease prevention and control.

Health Equity Champion Award (Individual and Team Awards Given)

Awarded to an individual and to a Chronic Disease Unit that has demonstrated progress in advancing health equity as a core value of their work and in addressing the social and economic factors that contribute to preventable health disparities, or who have applied health equity principles to improve public health practice.

Rising Star Award (Two Awards Given)

Awarded to an individual staff member in a state, tribal, or territorial Chronic Disease Unit who is not a director and who has demonstrated exceptional leadership and innovation to promote health.

NACDD Mentor Award

Awarded to an outstanding chronic disease prevention and control professional who has guided, supported, and promoted the training and career development of other chronic disease prevention and control practitioners working in a State Health Department. Nominees should have a sustained record of mentoring over time and nominators must be mentees of the nominee or colleagues who have personal knowledge of the nominee's mentoring efforts.