



ANNUAL AWARDS

The **Frank M. Gaines, MD, Award** is given in memory of a Louisville psychiatrist instrumental in the work of several nonprofit mental health agencies including the association, to recognize the significant contributions of an active or retired professional to the care and treatment of people with mental illnesses.

The **Jack B. Stith Award** recognizes an individual with an outstanding record of volunteer advocacy for persons with serious mental illnesses.

The **Philip P. Ardery Award** honors a program or organization that provides a significant service to the local or statewide community regarding the promotion of mental health or the prevention of mental illness.

The **Clifford W. Beers Award** honors a consumer of mental health services who emulates the work of Clifford W. Beers, a consumer who founded Mental Health America, to improve conditions for and attitudes toward people with mental illnesses.

The Award: Bronze replica of the “Mental Health Bell” awarded at the association’s annual meeting in October.

Nomination Process: This nomination form must be postmarked no later than September 1.

Nominations must include an application form from the person submitting the nomination containing:

- A brief biographical sketch of the nominee, including education and professional credentials if appropriate;
- A brief synopsis of prior and current activities which would qualify the nominee to be considered for this award.

Questions?

Contact our office:

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NOMINATION FORM

Check one:

- Gaines Professional Award
- Stith Volunteer Advocate Award
- Ardery Program Award
- Beers Consumer Advocate Award

Nominee: Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

About The Nominee:

Contributions / Awards / Achievements:

Nominator: Signature: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Nominations must be postmarked by September 1 and returned to:

Mental Health America of Kentucky
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Louisville KY 40207