

## **Friend of ADAMH Award**

The Fairfield County Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health (ADAMH) Board will present up to three (3) Friend of ADAMH Awards annually to individuals, agencies, groups, and/or organizations who embody the Fairfield County ADAMH Board mission and vision. Winners will be recognized publicly by the Fairfield County ADAMH Board.

### **1. Criteria for Recipient**

- An individual, agency, group, or organization has demonstrated commitment to the mission and vision of the Fairfield County ADAMH Board:

Mission: To partner with communities to create opportunities and encourage participation in quality mental health and/or addiction prevention, treatment, wellness, and recovery services and supports.

Vision:

- Create opportunities for Fairfield County residents to be healthy members of their communities.
- Advance a Continuum of Care philosophy.

### **2. Making a Nomination(s)**

- Anyone can nominate an individual, agency, group, or organization for the award (e.g., agency staff, consumer, law enforcement, medical community, school personnel).
- The individual submitting the nomination needs to complete the nominating form.
- Individuals may nominate more than one person, group, agency, or organization but must submit a form for each nomination.
- Nominees must work or live in Fairfield County.
- Completed nominating forms must be received by the deadline indicated on the nominating form.

### **3. Nomination Review**

- The Fairfield County ADAMH Board Community Relations Committee will review all nominations and notify the winner(s) and the nominator(s) of the selected winner(s) of the results.
- Agency directors or organizational CEOs will be notified if an individual on their staff has been selected to receive the award.

### **4. Promotions**

- The Fairfield County ADAMH Board will announce award recipients to media outlets, including but not limited to newspaper, radio, etc.
- Photos and/or videos of award winners or their representatives will be used in Fairfield County ADAMH Board promotional and marketing efforts, including the website, social media, etc.

**NOMINATIONS Can be submitted by emailing to:** [jpazaropoulos@fairfieldadamh.org](mailto:jpazaropoulos@fairfieldadamh.org) or [fairfieldADAMH@fairfieldadamh.org](mailto:fairfieldADAMH@fairfieldadamh.org) or by mail: 108 W Main Street, Lancaster, OH 43130 by April 19, 2024.

