



Certificate of Appreciation *Call for 2017 Nominations*

Nominate an unsung hero in your community today!

At Autism Nova Scotia, we strive to cultivate a community that supports the understanding, acceptance, and inclusion of individuals with autism in the everyday life of our province. These efforts are made possible by the countless unsung heroes that actively practice these values in their day-to-day lives. In this spirit, we are pleased to announce the call for nominations for 'Certificates of Appreciation' that recognize achievement and dedication in support of the unsung heroes across our province.

Whether they are an individual, team, agency, employer, or professional, we want to hear about how they have fostered learning, acceptance, accessibility, and inclusiveness for individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD). Perhaps they are an individual on the spectrum advocating for change and acceptance in their community, an employer fostering equality in their work environment, or a bus driver who befriends and appreciates the unique qualities of their autistic passengers. Help us recognize their invaluable contribution and say thank you by nominating them.

If you would like to submit a nomination, please complete the attached nomination form. We encourage you to take this opportunity and thank you in advance for helping us to recognize our amazing citizens who make a difference in someone's life on the spectrum.

The certificates will be presented at a special ceremony on December 7, 2017 at Autism Nova Scotia's Holiday Open House.

Please submit the attached nomination form by **Friday, November 3, 2017** via email, fax or by mail. To the attention of: Colin MacDonald | cmacdonald@autismns.ca



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Your Name: _____

Full Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Are you a: Parent? Student? Other? (specify) _____

Name of Setting (If applicable): _____

Type of Setting (explain): _____

Nominee Information

Name(s) and contact information of individual(s) offering exemplary care:

1: _____

2: _____

3: _____

4: _____

Please indicate how your nominee(s) exemplifies the criteria of the award: Please keep your reply to under 1000 words.

Nominations must be submitted by November 3, 2017. You may send your nomination by one of the methods below. Please include the title "Certificate of Appreciation" in your subject line.

By Mail:

Autism Nova Scotia
5945 Spring Garden Rd
Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 1Y4

By Fax: 902-446-4997
By Email: cmacdonald@autismns.ca
For more information, call Autism Nova Scotia
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