

The Spirit of Relay Staff Award

Description:

The Spirit of Relay - Staff Award is presented to the one Staff Partner who exemplifies the supportive spirit of engaging their Event Committees to reach new levels of success in growth in income, committee engagement, team recruitment, survivor and caregiver recruitment and over-all event experience.

Qualifications:

Spirit of Relay Staff Award winner must prove a commitment to excellence in each of the key development areas of Relay For Life. All of their events must follow all the Global Relay For Life Standards.

- **Leadership Development** - Meet committee member goal for the nominated event(s), securing full event committees (minimum of 12 committee members) and, have a succession plan in place for the Event Chair and Team Development Chair for the next year.
- **Team Development** - Meet team goal for the nominated event(s).
- **Survivor and Caregiver Development** - Meet survivor goal for the nominated event(s).
- **Event Development** - Follow all Global Relay For Life Event Standards and meet all overall event goals.
- **Fundraising Development** – Meet fundraising goal for the nominated event(s) and promote fundraising with rewards and incentives.
- **Mission Development** – Demonstrates a commitment to educate the committee/community on the mission of their organisation.

In addition, they must:

- Be a field level staff partner (Division Level or National staff are not eligible).
- Have been involved with their event for more than 9 months prior to the event.
- Be a full-time Relay For Life staff or have primary responsibility for Relay For Life events.
- Demonstrate a successful understanding of the Volunteer-Staff Partnership.
- Be in good standing with their cancer organisation's management and HR policies.

Application Process

Nominations for this award can be submitted by volunteers of field level staff partners who staff Relay For Life events (youth, college, corporate, and/or community Relay.)



Nominations will be accepted online at <http://tinyurl.com/grflawards> starting on April 1, 2013 at 12:01am EST to May 10, 2013 at 11:59pm EST.

Global Relay For Life Standards

All award recipients must meet all Global Relay For Life standards

1. Overnight Event
2. Opening & Closing Ceremonies
3. Luminaria (Candlelight) Ceremonies
4. Survivorship and Caregiver Activities
5. Mission Delivery
6. Tobacco Free
7. Annual Event