



**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**  
**36TH ANNUAL ANN KLEIN ADVOCATE AWARDS**  
**OCTOBER 24, 2024**  
**THE WILSHIRE GRAND, WEST ORANGE, NJ**

**Call for Nominations for the prestigious Ann Klein Advocate Awards is now open.** The awards are given to a group of select individuals and organizations, nominated by the public, who have performed exemplary work as advocates for people living with disabilities and/or vulnerable populations. They are presented each October at an event sponsored by the Board of Trustees of the Community Health Law Project, a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.

The awards are named in memory of Ann Klein, former Commissioner of the NJ Department of Human Services, whose career as a public servant, legislator and social worker paved the way for significant advances in the human services systems throughout the State of New Jersey. Previous award winners have included consumers, government officials, service providers, corporate entities and executives, legislators, performers, and journalists, among others.

Individuals, associations and corporations may submit nominations for individuals or organizations noted for their distinguished service in promoting opportunities, rights or services for people living with disabilities and/or vulnerable populations in New Jersey. Often nominees are credited for specific projects, advocacy initiatives or programs that benefit a segment of the disability and or vulnerable populations in the community.

Nominations should enumerate your nominee's achievements and contributions as an advocate for people living with disabilities and/or vulnerable populations and should explain why you or your organization believe your nominee is worthy of the Ann Klein Advocate Award. Such other relevant information as articles and newspaper clippings are welcome.

If your nominee is selected, we encourage you to make a commitment of ticket sales and the purchase of congratulatory ads in the award journal in support of the Community Health Law Project. We also ask you to provide assurance that there are other individuals or organizations that concur in your recommendation and that they will support both the nomination and the event. They are encouraged to write letters of support as well.

**Nominations due by: May 1, 2024**

**Send nominations to:**  
ANN KLEIN ADVOCATE AWARDS COMMITTEE  
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Or via email to Stacy Timko @ [stimko@chlp.org](mailto:stimko@chlp.org)

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