



VIRGINIA ASSISTED LIVING ASSOCIATION

◇ VALA Diamond Awards ◇

Outstanding AL Caregiver Award

Nomination Form

The **Outstanding AL Caregiver Award** recognizes outstanding individuals in the assisted living industry who have provided outstanding residential care through their dedication to the assisted living industry and their outstanding services to the residents and their families.

Nomination Guidelines: *One award will be given annually at the awards ceremony held in conjunction with the VALA Spring Conference. Caregivers serving in assisted living communities that are VALA members are eligible to receive the award. Each community is limited to a maximum of one nominee per award category per year. A completed Nomination Form must be submitted along with supporting documentation to provide evidence of the nominee's dedication to the following:*

- *Providing exemplary leadership to the residents and other staff members*
- *Providing optimal care to the residents and treating each resident with dignity and respect*
- *Nurturing the spirit and individuality of each resident*
- *Providing a secure and safe environment for each resident*
- *Protection of each resident and their rights to privacy*

Nominee: _____ Employment Title: _____

Facility Name: _____

Facility Address: _____

Facility Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Length of Service at present facility: _____ Nominator: _____

Please attach a current resume of the nominee.

Describe in detail the nature of the nominee's eligibility to receive this award.

(Please attach additional pages if necessary.)

Return form via mail or e-mail:

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