

COMMUNITY HEALTH AWARD



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The UICOMP Community Health Award honors those who promote community health in Central Illinois. A healthy community requires a high quality medical system along with programs to confront and manage concerns such as livable neighborhoods, family support, job opportunities, improved educational opportunities, hunger, homelessness; and adequate systems of transportation, public safety, and crime. Separate awards for individuals and organizations are considered annually to recognize commitment to community health promotion and/or disease prevention.

CRITERIA Nominees should promote community health in one or more of the following areas:

- Promotes wellness
- Develops innovative educational programs/campaigns for the public
- Supports health services to the underserved and the community
- Leads or participates in research that helps to prevent disease
- Develops or works in programs that change “risky” behavior
- Uses teamwork to improve health, works collaboratively with others
- Sets a positive example or role model within the community
- Designs programs that impact healthcare costs and benefit

UICOMP Community Health Award Past Recipients

Individuals

Francesca Armmer, BSN, MSN, PhD	2022
Mary Stapel, MD	2021
Monica Hendrickson, MPH	2020
David Trachtenbarg, MD	2019
Tim Miller, MD	2018
Tamara Olt, MD	2017
Camilla & Dr. Ronald Rabjohns	2016
Patrick Elwood, MD	2015
Arun Pinto, MD	2014
Jack Gilligan, PhD	2013
Andrew Morgan, MD	2012
John Halvorsen, MD	2011
Gregg Stoner, MD	2010
William Albers, MD	2009
Steve Thompson	2008
Rep David R. Leitch	2007
Joan Krupa	2006
David Springer, MD	2005
Ken Hinton	2004
Andrew Rand	2003
David Wang, DO	2002
Susan Bishop, DMD	2001
Barbara Walvoord	2000
Patti Bash	1999
Fred White, MD	1998
Sister M. Canisha Gerlach	1998
David Gorenz, MD	1997
Joseph Solovy, MD	1996

Organizations/Programs

Home for All Continuum of Care	2022
Phoenix Dev. Services Community Outreach Prog.	2021
Neighborhood House	2020
Methodist College	2019
Goodwill Stand Down for Homeless Veterans	2018
Children's Home of Central Illinois	2017
Midwest Food Bank	2016
Human Service Center	2015
Peoria District Dental Society	2014
First United Methodist Church Loaves & Fish	2013
Quality Quest	2012
Heartland Community Health Clinic	2011
Illinois Valley Striders	2010
Susan G. Komen Foundation	2009
Pediatric Resource Center	2008
Mental Health Association of IL Valley	2007
Joining Forces for Children	2006
Alzheimer's Association, Central IL Chapter	2005
Peoria Area Labor Management Council	2004
Center for Prevention of Abuse	2003
Central IL Chapter of the American Red Cross	2002
Senior World	2001
Hult Health Education Center	2000
In-School HealthCare Program	1999
Healthy Balance Program of Caterpillar	1998
OSF Saint Francis Medical Center	1997