



Eat Right Montana (ERM) and Montana Action for Healthy Kids (AFHK) promotes healthy nutrition and physical activity choices and behaviors to improve the well-being of all Montanans

Health Hero Award 2017 Application

ERM and AFHK would like to recognize individuals and/or public and private organizations that go above and beyond their job duties to promote health in Montana through nutrition and physical activity. If you know an individual or group deserving of such recognition, please consider nominating them for this year's Health Hero Award. We are looking for nominees who have made a noteworthy contribution to their organization, local community, or the state as a whole. Please complete the attached nomination form by using specific activities that demonstrate why your nominee is deserving of a Health Hero Award.

Nominations Open: April 24, 2017

Deadline: August 2, 2017

Please return the attached nomination form via email, fax, or mail to the contact information below:

Erica Harp, Awards Committee Chair
Email: erica_harp@gfps.k12.mt.us
Fax: (406) 268-7004 | Phone: (406) 268-7700
2400 Central Ave
Great Falls, MT 59401

ERM and AFHK will announce award winners by August 31, 2017. Award presentation will be held at the Annual Eat Right Montana/ Action for Healthy Kids Meeting in fall 2017, date and location to be announced.

Thank you for taking the time to recognize those who work to improve health in our state.



Eat Right Montana and Action for Healthy Kids 2016 Health Hero Nomination Form

Due Date: July 14, 2017

Nominee Information:

Name: _____

Title: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Why do you believe this person is a Health Hero? Please limit the overall application to 1,000 words or less. Use back of page or attach additional pages if needed. Each question is worth up to 4 points.

Please describe the contribution the individual/organization has made and who benefitted from their efforts. **Please provide answers for the four areas below.** Note that Area 1 has several possible categories of work and can stand alone or be a combination of the bullet points listed.

Area 1. How has your nominee worked on a policy, program, project, or promotion to encourage healthy nutrition and physical activity choices and behaviors including but not limited to:

- Increasing access to healthy food choices and/or nutrition program participation
- Alleviating or decreasing hunger in the community
- Increasing access to physical activity for kids, families, or communities
- Advocating for workplace changes to support healthy choices

If more than one of the above has been addressed please describe each bullet (4 points)



Area 2. How has your nominee gone beyond the normal requirements of their job to promote health in their local community and/or state? (4 points)

Area 3. How has the nominee employed a creative or innovative method to overcome a problem? (4 points)



Area 4. How has the nominee maximized limited resources? (4 points)

Nominated By:

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City, State, ZIP: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

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