



Pennsylvania
Family Support Alliance™

Protecting children from abuse



PA BLUE RIBBON
CHAMPIONS
for **SAFE KIDS**

2018 • Nomination Form

Do you know a PA Blue Ribbon Champion?

Nomination Deadline:
February 26, 2018 by 5:00 p.m.

Nominations can be emailed to
nominations@pablueribbonchampion.org

mailed to
Pennsylvania Family Support Alliance
2000 Linglestown Road, Suite 301
Harrisburg, PA 17110

or submitted online at
pablueribbonchampion.org/nominate

For more information, please visit
pablueribbonchampion.org or call
Jill Whitmyer at 717-238-0937.

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In recognition of Child Abuse Prevention Month in April, Pennsylvania Family Support Alliance plans to honor individuals from across the Commonwealth for exceptional contributions to the prevention of child abuse and neglect.

We want to recognize those professionals, volunteers, and everyday heroes among us who keep our children safe. Nominations for this recognition are welcome from schools, government agencies, community organizations, private practitioners, churches, and other concerned individuals and groups.

PA Blue Ribbon Champions for Safe Kids Awards winners are shining examples of people working in Pennsylvania to prevent child abuse and neglect. These Awards are an opportunity to honor champions for children across the state who work tirelessly, often without fanfare or recognition, to improve the lives of our most vulnerable residents.

Four individuals will be recognized – two members of the community-at-large and two employees of organizations that serve the needs of children. **New in 2018**, one Media Champion will be honored. Please complete and submit this form to the PA Blue Ribbon Champions for Safe Kids Awards Selection Panel by 5:00 p.m. on February 26, 2018.

Nominate Today!

PA Blue Ribbon Champions for Safe Kids Awards Presentation will be held at a Ceremony at the State Capitol Rotunda on Wednesday, April 4, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.

NEW IN 2018!!! Pennsylvania Family Support Alliance will honor a PA Blue Ribbon Media Champion for Safe Kids. An individual member of the media or a media entity can be nominated for this prestigious award.

To be nominated, a member of the media or a media outlet must have produced and published content (article or series of articles, blog, radio or television broadcast,

cable news report or program, photography, podcast, PSA, special report, video production, webcast, or the like) with a Pennsylvania focus in 2017 on child abuse, child abuse prevention, and the health, safety and well-being of children living in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Please include background information on the nominee, the nature of the coverage or work produced by the nominee, as well as samples of their work.

PA Blue Ribbon Champions for Safe Kids Awards 2018 Nomination Form *(for multiple nominations, please make copies)*

Individual Being Nominated:

Name _____ Organization _____

Title _____ Email _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Nominated By:

Name _____ Organization _____

Title _____ Email _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Please Answer the Following Questions *(use an additional sheet to answer these questions)*

- Describe what this person has done to prevent child abuse.
- Describe how this person has enhanced the quality of life for children and/or families.
- Why does this person deserve special recognition? Please be specific.

Please Answer the Following Questions (Only for the Media Champion Nomination)

- Describe what this person or media organization has done to shine a light on child abuse, child abuse prevention, and/or child protection in Pennsylvania in 2017 and why they felt this topic was worthy of coverage.
- If available, please list the measurable outcomes the coverage generated.
- Please provide up to five samples of the Media Nominee's specific work related to child abuse, child abuse prevention and/or child protection that demonstrate a commitment to coverage of this issue.
(For large files, please provide a Dropbox or similar file-sharing link, or mail samples with the Nomination Form.)