

The Healthy Alaska Natives Foundation (HANF), the Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium's (ANTHC's) charitable arm, is currently accepting nominations for our 2021 Luminary Awards. The Luminary Awards recognize individuals and organizations for their dedication and outstanding contribution to the Alaska Tribal Health System and community. This year's categories are:

**President's Legacy & Leadership Award:** This award recognizes an outstanding Tribal health leader and/or health care professional, either formal or informal, who has impacted the culture and performance of the Alaska Tribal Health System. This individual should be recognized as an expert in their field as well as someone who has displayed a long-term commitment to helping improve the Alaska Tribal Health System.

**Distinguished Provider Award:** This award recognizes a health care provider whose dedication has made a difference in the lives of those patients they care for and in the Alaska Tribal Health System. This award can go to a physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner, midwife, optometrist, physical therapist, dietician, health aid or any other clinician.

**Outstanding Rural Health Champion Award:** New in 2019, this award recognizes individuals, departments or organizations in rural Alaska who have made an outstanding contribution to the rural life, people, and/or programs by dedicating their time and talents to improving the health and well-being of others. This award can go to any Tribal health provider in rural Alaska.

The Luminary Awards Nomination Form can be found on HANF's website at [info@healthyalaskanatives.org](mailto:info@healthyalaskanatives.org)

**The nominations deadline for the 2021 Luminary Awards is 5:00pm on Friday, December 4, 2020.**

All nominations will be reviewed by the HANF Board of Directors. The Board anticipates final selection of awardees will be made in early 2021.

For more information please contact us 907-729-5652 or at [info@healthyalaskanatives.org](mailto:info@healthyalaskanatives.org).

We're excited to celebrate the outstanding individuals and organizations who have positively impacted Alaska Native health in our state!