



Diverse&Resilient

## **Diverse and Resilient 2011 Adult Leadership Awards**

The 2011 Diverse and Resilient Adult Leadership Awards will be announced the week of April 23, 2012 and made in the five (5) categories. These awards will recognize the significant contributions of individuals and organizations in the important work of LGBT adult development in the past year (for 2011). **Nominations are due by February 20, 2012 and will be reviewed immediately afterwards** by an awards committee consisting of youth and adult advisors. Individuals and organizations may make one or more nominations, but only one nomination per category (i.e., you may make up to 5 nominations, but not two in a single category).

Nominations must be submitted by 4:00 PM on Monday, February 20, 2011. Late nominations will not be considered. Each nomination form must be complete; since a team of individuals will be reviewing them, thoughtful, clear responses will likely be more favorably considered.

**Community Leadership Award.** This award honors the LGBT adult community member(s) whose contributions to her/himself and his/her peers deserve acknowledgement. This adult is dreaming big, taking on challenges, and moving toward a bigger life. This award also honors the adult whose increasing acceptance of responsibility includes continued teaching, community contributions, an interest in mentoring or coaching, and fostering the development of other LGBT individuals.

**Community Ally Award.** The successful nominee for this award is a heterosexual ally to LGBT people who develops both interpersonal connections with LGBT people and works to eliminate homophobia or heterosexism in some specific setting. The nominee does not need to be affiliated with Diverse and Resilient.

**LGBT Program Award.** Any adult LGBT program or LGBT organization in Wisconsin may be nominated for this award. However, selection criteria will be based on their efforts to assure the healthy development of LGBT individuals, the promotion of program partnerships, collaborations with other LGBT and allied organizations, community outreach, and community development.

**Program Staff Award.** This award is only open to program staff of LGBT organizations in Wisconsin. Ideally nominated by participants in their own programs, the program staff whose nomination best illustrates dedication, self-care, and modeling healthy development will receive the award.

**Adult Community Partner Award.** From individual donors to foundations and corporations, LGBT organizations are supported by community partners. This award will be given to the person or organization that provides financial, volunteer, or emotional support to Diverse and Resilient or any of the LGBT organizations with which it partners.

**Submit completed nominations forms to Diverse and Resilient, Inc. 2439 N Holton St, Milwaukee, WI 53212 or fax to 414-390-9980. An electronic version may be mailed as an attachment to Rachel Federlin at [rfederlin@diverseandresilient.org](mailto:rfederlin@diverseandresilient.org). The deadline applies regardless of the method of submission.**

