

7th Annual Older Youth Services Agency of the Year Award

2018

What is the Older Youth Services Agency of the Year Award?

The Older Youth Services Agency of the Year Award is recognition of an agency in Pennsylvania that is exceptional and positively impacts the lives of older youth and alumni.

Who chooses the winning agency?

Youth and alumni members of the Youth Retreat Steering Committee will vote on the winning agency after reviewing all applications.

Who can nominate an agency?

Any youth or alumni of the child welfare system ages 16-21 who currently receives services through a county children and youth agency or private provider agency in Pennsylvania.

HOW DO I NOMINATE AN AGENCY?

To nominate an agency, please complete the attached questions and return to the Child Welfare Resource Center no later than May 1, 2018.

Please see nomination form on next page

Older Youth Services Agency of the Year Award Nomination Form

Agency Name:

Nominated By:

(Older Youth/Alumni Name – Please Type or Print)

Summary of Agency Qualifications:

(Please answer the questions below. Attach additional sheets if needed.)

Why does this agency deserve to win this award?

What makes it the best agency for older youth and alumni in Pennsylvania?

What activities or accomplishments has the agency or its workers achieved to make the child welfare system (foster care, group homes, shelters, residential treatment facilities, etc.) better for older youth and alumni?

Through your experience in the system, what sets this agency apart from other agencies you've worked with?

Is there anything else you would like to add about this agency to help the committee make its decision?

Award nominations must be submitted by **May 1, 2018**

Please send completed forms to:

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