

## Dear MCACHE Member:

The Midwest Chapter of the American College of Healthcare Executives (MCACHE) would like to announce the establishment of the MCACHE Lifetime Achievement Award. This award will be presented annually to one or more MCACHE member(s) who have made significant contributions and provided sustained leadership, over the years, as a member of the organization. Members selected for this honor are those who are recognized as having contributed to the advancement of healthcare executives by demonstrating exemplary servant leadership and commitment in the healthcare community.

### Lifetime Achievement Award Information

- Persons nominating a MCACHE member must complete a nomination form requesting a brief explanation of why the nominee should be considered for the award and ask for specific examples of the nominee's contributions to MCACHE.
- More than one nominee can be considered, if appropriate. There may also be a year where there are no nominations submitted or no nominations that qualify.
- The 2019 nominations can be submitted on-line by any MCACHE member and must be submitted by **July 31, 2020**.
- The current Officers (President, President-elect, immediate past President, Treasurer, Vice Treasurers and Secretary) of the chapter will act as the nominating committee, with the Secretary and chapter Administrative Assistant managing the nominations. The nominee(s) will be presented and approved with a majority vote of the Board.
- The awardee(s) will be recognized at the Annual MCACHE meeting, along with a Press Release, MCACHE Newsletter and social media release (LinkedIn, Facebook, etc.)
- In addition to notifying and inviting the awardee(s) employer, an invitation to attend the event will also be extended to the awardee's spouse/significant other and employer.

Considerations for Eligibility (nominations need to include some/most of the following criteria):

- Maintained active membership for a minimum of ten years
- Served as an Officer, Board Member and/or Committee Chair
- Has made a serious commitment and contributions to the chapter in a significant and specific manner (committee achievements, new programs, ACHE (national) contributions/offices, other)
- May be a past or current member, Officer or Board Member
- Has served as formal and informal mentor for members
- Has advanced the knowledge base of members
- Promotes MCACHE
- Has continued to maintain the FACHE credential at the time of nomination

- Is considered "well-advanced" in his/her career and has displayed professional achievement in healthcare
- Is respected as a role model by peers in the healthcare executive field

A link to the nomination form can be found via the link below:

<https://forms.gle/nazUQDUsggP68Fac7>