

**The Developmental Disabilities Supports Division  
Seeks Nominations For:  
The 2010 Director's Community Inclusion Awards**

**We need your nominations!**

The Developmental Disabilities Supports Division seeks nominations for the 2010 Director's Community Inclusion Awards for July 2009 – June 2010

**Award Categories**

Nominations will be accepted in each DDS Region for these categories:

1. Self-Employment:
  - Business Owner of the Year
  - Outstanding Employee: Business Owner of the Year
2. Entered Community Employment from Adult Habilitation
  - Community Employment, Employee Success of the Year
  - Successful Transition to Community Employment from Adult Habilitation Services: Team Support to Success
3. Community Employer/Employee Partnership
  - Community Employer/Employee Partnership: Employee of the Year
  - Community Employer/Employee Partnership: Employer of the Year
4. Community Based Adult Habilitation Services
  - Community Promising Practice, Individual Success of the Year
  - Community-Based Adult Habilitation Promising Practices, Provider Success
5. Individual Community Membership
  - Successful Community Member of the Year
  - Best Team Support for Successful Community Membership
6. Full Community Inclusion
  - Successful Community Citizen of the Year
  - Best Team Support for Full Community Inclusion
7. Employment Champion

**Nomination Process**

Anyone may submit an Award Nomination Success Story about adult New Mexicans with developmental disabilities using the forms (in a separate document) specific to each category listed above. A signed authorization form to photograph, interview, write and publish images and stories (see attachment) must also be attached to each award nomination form.

### **Award Nomination Submission Deadline**

Award nominations must be received by mail or fax **no later than Wednesday, 9/15/10** by the Regional Director (or their designee) at the appropriate DDSD Regional Office. See map of DDSD Regions on the DDSD web page at:

[www.health.state.nm.us/DDSD/providerlocationspagedevelopment/providerlocationspg04.htm](http://www.health.state.nm.us/DDSD/providerlocationspagedevelopment/providerlocationspg04.htm)

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**Awards Presentation Date(s) To Be Announced**

AUTHORIZATION TO PHOTOGRAPH, INTERVIEW, WRITE AND PUBLISH IMAGES  
AND STORIES

I, \_\_\_\_\_, authorize representatives of the  
New Mexico Department of Health to interview and photograph me for possible  
publication of my photographic images in reports, publications, educational or  
informational presentations, advertising, or other creative endeavors.

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Signature

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Date

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Complete address (street, city, state & zip code)

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Day phone number