



## **2019 ROBERT BULLOCK PERSON OF COURAGE AWARD**

The Robert Bullock Person of Courage Award presented by NAMI Wake County seeks to recognize and honor the contributions of individuals living with serious mental illness or their family members.

*These award(s) are given at the discretion of NAMI Wake County and one or more awards may or may not be awarded every year.*

***The deadline for nominations is April 5, 2019.*** This year, the Awards will be presented at the Celebration of Courage on April 26, 2019 at the PNC Arena.

### **Nomination Criteria**

- The nominee must be a resident of North Carolina. Preference will be given to people living in Wake County.
- The nominee must have made outstanding efforts in the area of education, support, or advocacy that significantly improved the lives for people living with serious mental illness and their family members.
- The nominee must be a positive role model whose actions inspire others to advocate for people with disabilities in North Carolina.
- The contribution and/or activity must have been performed in the Triangle Area of NC for a minimum of one calendar year.

## **Expectations of Recipients:**

- Award recipients will be asked to attend a recognition event.
- Award recipients may be asked to participate in media interviews and agree to have their contributions submitted to the press.

## **A nominee is not eligible if:**

- The nomination form is incomplete.
- The nominee is currently contracting with NAMI Wake County.
- The nominee has received the award within the last five years.

Only complete nominations will be reviewed. **The deadline for nominations is April 5, 2019.**

Submit your completed nomination and all supporting materials by email:

- Email nominations to [volunteer@nami-wake.org](mailto:volunteer@nami-wake.org) and state on the subject line: “Person of Courage Award”.
- Nominations may be mailed to:  
NAMI Wake County  
ATTN: Annie Schmidt  
PO Box 12562  
Raleigh, NC 27605



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**NOMINATION FORM**

**Nominator's Information**

Nominator's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator's phone (*include area code*): \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator's mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator's email address: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known the nominee? \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ months

In what capacity do you know the nominee?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Nominee's Information**

Nominee's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's phone \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's employer's city and state: \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach an explanation of how the nominee has met the criteria for the Robert Bullock Person of Courage Award. Your nomination narrative should:

- Be detailed and provide examples of outstanding efforts in the area of education, support, or advocacy that significantly improved the lives of people living with serious mental illness or their family members.
- If the award involves advocacy, explain how the advocacy supports NAMI Wake's advocacy focus areas.
- Explain what makes your nominee unique or special.
- Explain how your nominee inspired change in the community.

Your attached nomination must be typed or handwritten neatly and is limited to one (1) page. If typed, your nomination can be single-spaced but must use a font size no smaller than 11 point.

You may attach letters of support and other documentation in support of the nomination.

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Nominator's Signature

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Date