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**The Rocky Mountain Employee Assistance Professionals Association**

**Annual Chapter Awards and Past Recipients**

# THE DAETWILER AWARD

## FOR OUTSTANDING PROFESSIONAL MEMBER

This award is given for distinguished service in the EAP field to a professional chapter member. It is named for Dr. Richard Daetwiler, one of our founding members. The Daetwiler recipients are members who show qualities such as (but certainly not limited to) outstanding leadership, positive promotion of and/or creative activities on behalf of the EAP profession. Their contributions may be to the local or international EAPA chapter. The winner is determined by votes from previous Daetwiler Award recipients.

1980 – Betty Warren

1981 – Fred Moser

1982 – Paul Hoover

1983 - Bonnie Forquer

1984 – Judy Vaughn

1985 – Bettie Bellamy

1986 – Carol Hacker

1987 – Jim Lehman

1988 – Ed Kraft

1989 – Les Crispelle

1990 – Charles Roach

1991 – Tony Valdez

1992 – Robert Mines

1993 – Pat Hagan

1994 – Don Rothschild

1995 – Janice McBride

1996 – Judy Braun

1997 – Alice Forshner

1998 – Elizabeth Pace

1999 – Richard Lindsey

2000 – Nancy Bostain

2001 – Dwayne Adkins

2002 – John Maynard

2003 – Jill Bachman

2004 – Reidar Hansen

2005 – Patrick Hiester

2006 – Jackie Westhoven

2007 – Randi Wood

2008 – Kate Wills

2009 – Kathleen Berman

2010 – Karla Holt

2011 – Bryan Hutchinson

2012 – Yvonne Garber

2013 – Lee Ann Aden

2014 – Justin Jacques

2015 – Kathleen Remington

2016 – Chris Knoepke

2017 – Deborah Martin

2018 – Whitney Stone

2019 – Amanda Kimmel

2020 – Caitlin Kozicki

2021 – Maggie Reynolds

**EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AWARD**

FOR AN OUTSTANDING EA PROGRAM

This award recognizes excellence in EA programming and outstanding efforts to provide EA services. The EA programming may include such innovations in structure, service delivery, integration strategies, quality improvement/customer satisfaction, fair pricing, and/or cultural competence. The EA program may contribute to the international or local chapter through support, participation, and/or leadership.

1979 – Gates Corporation

1980 – Mountain Bell

1981 – Blue Cross

1982 – Denver & Rio Grande Western RR

1983 – Anaconda/ARCO

1984 – Aspen Ski

1985 – Swedish Health Systems

1986 – Regional Transportation District

1987 – Jefferson County Schools

1988 – Children’s Hospital

1989 – Martin Marietta

1990 – Durango Consortium

1991 – Colorado State EAP

1992 – Coors Brewing

1993 – Mines and Associates/Denver Post

1994 – N.U.R.S.E.S. of Colorado Corp.

1995 – Labor’s Community Agency

1996 – United Airlines

1997 – EAP Inc./RTD

1998 – City & County of Denver

1999 – Carpenters’ & Millwrights’ Trust

2000 – Colorado Lawyers Health Program

2001 – Conoco

2002 – CO Physicians’ Health Program

2003 – PRO/Anthem EAP

2004 – 8th District Electrical Fund for CO

2005 – City of Northglenn

2006 – City of Commerce City

2007 – Colorado Contractors Trust

2008 – Peer Assistance Services, Inc.

2009 – Triad EAP

2010 – Mental Health Center of Denver

2012 – Mile High United Way

2013 – Poudre School District

2014 – Colorado State EAP

2015 – Jeffco EAP/Anthem EAP

2016 – Mines & Associates, Inc.

2018 – Colorado State EAP

2019 – Dr. Sara Metz & Chief Nick Metz, Code-4 Counseling

2021 – Path4EMS (Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, MINES and Associates, and Peer Assistance Services, Inc.

**PROVIDER AWARD**

FOR OUTSTANDING PROVIDER OF TREATMENT SERVICES

The provider award may be to a person, a program, or a group that provides treatment services for EA Program clients. Must be an *associate* member of the chapter and have made a significant contribution to the chapter.

1998 – Treva Bridjette

1999 – Howie Madigan & Glen Gravelle

2000 – Soutwest Counseling

2001 – Pat Skinner

2002 – Vivian Phillips

2003 – Mark Knippenberg

2004 – Don O’Malley

2005 – Valley Hope Association

2006 – Laura Schroder

2007 – Kay Gilchrist

2008 – CeDAR

2009 – Bill Lundgren

2010 – Laurence Freedom & The Freedom Center

2011 – Sally Spencer-Thomas & The Carson J. Spencer Foundation

2012 – Cindy DaRugna

2015 – Donna Schwartz

2016 – James Lehman

2018 – Jen Place

2020 – Diane Sanders

2021 – Jenny Robbins

**LEGISLATOR OR COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD**

FOR OUTSTANDING LEGISLATOR OR COMMUNITY AGENCY/PERSON

This award goes to either a **legislator** who has given significant support to or advocacy of EA programs or the goals of EA programs, e.g., mental health, substance abuse prevention, violence in the workplace or a **community agency or person** who has made a significant contribution to the field of employee assistance and/or has provided exceptional services to EA programs and their clients.

No Date – Seniors Resource Center

2002 – Carmelita Muñiz – CO Association of Alcohol and Drug Services Provider

2007 – MDS Counseling Center

2008 – Denver Drug Strategy Commission

2009 – First Lady Jeannie Ritter

2010 – Representative Tom Massey (HD 60)

2011 – Senator Pat Steadman

2012 – Diane Sanders

2013 – Office of Behavioral Health

2014 – OMNI Institute

2015 – Freedom Service Dogs

2017 – Range Consulting

2018 – Rocky Mountain Crisis Partners

2019 – Duke Rumely, Sober AF Entertainment

2020 – Diane Akins