Recognizing Excellence by 
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WAHSA 2007 Annual Awards

The WAHSA Awards and Recognition Program is all about people who make a difference every day in the lives of those they serve. It’s about people, who put quality first, deliver excellence, and inspire others to do the same. The WAHSA Awards Program recognizes those individuals and organizations who have made an outstanding contribution in the fields of aging, health care, housing, and community-based services. It is our way of saying thank you, to those who do more than what is merely expected of them, who do the right things for the right reasons.

SENIOR STARS AWARD
Paul Beeman, Wesley Homes
Elsie Henderson, Crista Shores

CHAIR AWARD
Russ Akiyama, Executive Director, Judson Park

Washington Association of Housing and Services for the Aging advocates for its members in the advancement of innovation, quality, and social responsibility in aging services.
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AWARD OF HONOR

MERITORIOUS SERVICE

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE

MERITORIOUS SERVICE

Nora Gibson, Executive Director, Elder Health Northwest

COMMUNITY SERVICE

EXCELLENCE IN PRACTICE

P.R.I.D.E. (Personal Rewards through Involvement, Dedication and Education) Program —Rockwood Retirement Community, CEO, Alan Curryer

EXCELLENCE IN MEDIA

Liz Taylor, Columnist, Aging Deliberately, The Seattle Times

Coming of Age—With Aging Loved Ones—Living Care Retirement, Executive Director, Cal Groenenberg

COMMUNITY SERVICE

EXCELLENCE IN PRACTICE

MERITORIOUS SERVICE

EXCELLENCE IN MEDIA
Cascade Vista
Pearl Barnes, 40 years
Monique Osterman, 39 years
Mary Gail Sperry, 32 years
Cheryl Magnuson, 29 years
Thelma Williams, 29 years
Donna Rafalski, 28 years
Un Sun Kim, 27 years
Olivia Crawford, 27 years

Covenant Shores
Priscilla Miller, 25 years

Horizon House
Gary Reynolds, 25 years

Lilac Plaza
Kathy Allen, 34 years

Living Care Retirement Community
Vicky Flint, 25 years
Roger Bault, 25 years

Nikkei Concerns
Aldena Hutchinson, 30 years
Gigi Ridings, 30 years
Evelyn Yabuki, 28 years
Norma Fregon, 27 years
Dara Chamroeun, 25 years

Riverview Retirement
Betty Bass, 27 years
Pete Laundry, 25 years
Don Morgan, 25 years
Brenda Beckham, 31 years

Sisters of the Holy Name
Kay Foster, 26 years
Darlene Emerson, 25 years

The Kenney
Muoi Luu, 25 years

The Hearthstone
White Honor Yim, 32 years
Lance Axness, 30 years
Charlotte Briggs, 31 years
Wayne Murphy, 29 years
Diana Dyer, 28 years
Wayne Roberts, 27 years
Clifford Hill, 26 years

Washington Odd Fellows Home
Ellen Schilling, 27 years
Maggie Naumann, 26 years
Cindy Hiatt, 25 years
Cecelia Liskey, 25 years
Cindy Tate, 25 years

Wesley Homes
LaVonne Mahugh, 32 years
Ramel Neesham, 30 years
Phyllis Huteson, 29 years
Theresa Faris, 29 years
Trevia Simmons, 29 years
Hazel Ellefson, 29 years
Rita Lambert, 28 years
Bart Frohning, 27 years
Sheryl Shaffer, 27 years
Kwang Webster, 25 years
**Officers**

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Kay Wallin * Emerald Heights

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Larry Foss * Warm Beach
Mark Mullen * Fred Lind Manor

**Class of 2008**
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Nancy Mohrman * Foss Home & Village
Paul Opgrande * Tacoma Lutheran
Sam Wan * Kin On Health Care Center

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Ray Westeren, Episcopal Retirement
Robert Solem, Norse Home
Lillian Hayashi, Nikkei Concerns
COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Assisted Living  Nancy Mohrman * Foss Home & Village
Sherlyn Bessette * Judson Park

Awards  Russ Akiyama * Judson Park

CCRC  Jeff Crandall * Park Shore

Nominating  Russ Akiyama * Judson Park

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& Lisa Meinecke * Judson Park

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Health Care  Doug Bault * Garden Village

Housing  Darlene Storti * Northaven II

Membership & Operations  Laura Runkle * Frank Tobey Jones

BEST PERFORMANCE AWARD

WAHSA Group Retrospective Rating Program

Best Performance Award: Loss Ratio

Nursing Home ~ Cheney Care Center, Keith Fauerso
Assisted Living ~ Fred Lind Manor, Mark Mullin
Housing ~ Life Manor Retirement Community, Jerry Lee
CCRC ~ Bayview Retirement Community, Rich Tomlinson