

IHS Headquarters Annual Health Literacy Award Nomination Form
Celebration of Health Literacy Champions

The IHS Workgroup on Health Literacy is inviting you to nominate outstanding teams, programs, or individuals for their commitment and contribution to advance health literacy. The award committee will select one team and individual to receive a certificate, award of 8.0 hours of time-off without charge to leave or loss of pay (eligible for civilian employees only), and featured in a blog during the Health Literacy Month in October.

Award Category:

Health Literacy Team Champion Award: Recognition of IHS team that demonstrates innovative, practical solutions, and contributes to effective communication to empower people to make informed decisions to improve their health.

Health Literacy Individual Award: Recognition of an IHS employee that demonstrates high commitment and effort to enhance effective communication with those with limited health literacy.

1. Indicate Award Category (select only one):

____ Team

____ Individual

2. Please list the individual name as it should appear on the certificate.

First Name/Last Name:

Title:

3. AWARD CITATION: Specific text for the official award script. (Word limit is 40 words or less).

4. Nominator

Name: _____ Title _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

5. **AWARD JUSTIFICATION:** Please provide description of major accomplishments and contributions to support health literacy. (Word limit is 300 words or less).

E-mail Nomination to:

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Must be received by 5:00 pm on September 14, 2023