

# **IRCEA COUNSELOR OF THE YEAR AWARD 2009**

RCEA is asking for nominations for the annual Counselor of the Year Award. We are seeking individuals who have given time and commitment beyond the call. *The nominee must be a current member of the National Rehabilitation Counseling Association, and be verified as working as a rehabilitation counselor by an NRCA member!*

The award winner will be considered for regional and national consideration as well. Please take a moment to recognize one of your peers who has demonstrated exemplary performance in their profession by completing the form below.

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Please complete and attach supporting documents. Submit to: Marcia Gracey, 4512 SW 16<sup>th</sup> Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50315 **SUBMIT NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 1, 2009**

**NOMINEE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TITLE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATED BY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MEMBER OF RCEA?** YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_ ( RCEA member signature)

**Supporting documentation in addition to the above:**

1. Nomination letter from the nominator stating the qualifications of the nominee.
2. Biographical information: education, special recognitions, employment background, service organization and other memberships (include NRA and divisions), examples of community service, and any other professional acknowledgments.
3. Letters of support from co-workers, supervisors, clients, and community organizations.