The Emerging Leader Award is bestowed to an individual within a LeadingAge Ohio member organization who demonstrates personal integrity, leadership and professional dedication in his/her career.

The nominee will:

- Demonstrate passion, dedication and commitment to understanding and applying leadership concepts and values
- Demonstrate making a difference within his/her organization with qualitative results in improving services
- Demonstrate dedication to profession development through the active involvement within other professional or community organizations and/or LeadingAge Ohio

**Application Questions for Emerging Leader Award**

**Q1:** Summarize the key points of this award nomination. In a nutshell, what do you most want the judges to know about this nominee? *(200-word limit)*

**Q2:** What lessons do the nominee’s practices offer that others can learn from to expand excellence in the aging services field. Give examples. *(600-word limit)*

**Q3:** Describe the nominee’s growth within senior care organizations such as LeadingAge Ohio. *(600-word limit)*

**Q4:** Describe the nominee’s work and how it demonstrates success in understanding and applying leadership concepts and values. Give examples of improved outcomes and how they are measured. *(600-word limit)*

**Q5:** Describe the nominee’s accomplishments in the leadership development of others. What makes this person an outstanding mentor worthy of recognition. Give examples. *(600-word limit)*

**Q6:** Provide a brief description of the nominated organization’s mission, size, scope of services, and persons served. *(200-word limit)*