Heart of Hospice - Rose and Sam Stein Award

Rose and Sam Stein, former Ohio residents, began supporting hospice in the 1980s when they contributed funds to establish the Stein Hospice Service in Sandusky. The success of the program prompted the Steins to award a grant to the Ohio Hospice Organization (Midwest Care Alliance) to provide quality hospice care for Ohio residents. In the 1990s, the Steins expanded their giving by setting up the Rose and Sam Stein Endowment Fund. In honor of the Steins’ commitment “to help the people who help the people,” LeadingAge Ohio is proud to recognize a group or individual that have made a significant, innovative and extraordinary contribution to hospice and end-of-life care.

Nominees should be a hospice program or individual that:

- Make a significant contribution to the community, patients and families, and the hospice organization
- Develop new and innovative ways to accomplish and improve teamwork and deliver exceptional hospice and palliative care services
- Help other groups, team members and organizational members, go beyond the call of duty
- Are a resource for other groups and programs locally, regionally and statewide

Application Questions for Heart of Hospice – Rose and Sam Stein 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: Describe how the program or individual has made a positive impact to the community, patients and families, and/or hospice services. Give examples. (600-word limit)

Q3: How does this nominee stand out amongst others?; that is, what have they developed to improve teamwork and deliver exceptional hospice care. Give examples. (600-word limit)

Q4: Describe how the nominee exemplifies the ability to collaborate across multiple disciplines in achieving the value of hospice care for patients and families. Give examples. (600-word limit)

Q5: Provide a brief description of the nominated organization’s mission, size, scope of services, and persons served. (200-word limit)