

Westchester County Board of Health
Dr. Harold Keltz Distinguished Public Health Service Award

2026 NOMINATION FORM

ELIGIBILITY: Nominees must live or work in Westchester County

CRITERIA: Nominee is a volunteer or organization whose efforts have made an extraordinary contribution to public health in Westchester in 2025.

FILING DEADLINE: **January 9, 2026**

EMAIL OR SEND TO: Westchester County Board of Health
 Public Health Awards
 C/o Caren Halbfinger
Cqh4@WestchesterCountyNY.gov
 Subject Line: 2026 Nomination

1. NOMINEE INFORMATION (Use N/A where not applicable) Email a jpeg color headshot and a completed photo release form signed by the nominee. (see last page)

Nominee's name; if nominee is an organization, please also provide name of contact person	Title
Address	
Email	Phone
Funding Source	Partner Agencies

2. PUBLIC HEALTH CONTRIBUTIONS: Use this form or add attachments to describe the nominee's accomplishments and contributions to public health in Westchester. Attach multimedia examples and website links as needed.

3. PERSON MAKING THE NOMINATION

Name	Agency (if applicable)
Address	Phone and email
Signature	Date

PUBLIC HEALTH CONTRIBUTIONS OF NOMINEE: Include details on the length and breadth of the individual or organization's commitment to this effort. Attach pages, multimedia materials/links/photos as needed. If you have questions, call 914-995-7191 or email cqh4@westchestercountyny.gov.

PUBLIC HEALTH CONTRIBUTIONS OF NOMINEE:



Kenneth W. Jenkins, County Executive
Sherlita Amler, M.D., Commissioner
Department of Health

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

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2. grant full and unconditional permission to the County to publish, display, broadcast, distribute, reproduce, perform, create derivative works from, and otherwise use, the Materials on television, on the Internet, in print, or in any other media currently existing or hereafter developed, and without payment of any compensation to me or my heirs and successors, whether the Materials are used on their own or as part of any audiovisual or other production; used to advertise any products, programming, or services of the County; or used for any other advertising, marketing, publicizing, promotional or other purposes whatsoever;

3. acknowledge that I shall have no right of approval of any use of the Materials; and

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I warrant that I am at least 18 years of age and that I have the full, complete and unrestricted right and authority to enter into this consent and release. I understand that I am under no obligation to provide this consent and release but am doing so freely and willingly. I understand that this consent and release, and my participation in the Project, does not obligate the County to make any use of any of the rights set forth in this document. I have read and understand all of the terms stated above.

Signature

Date