

**2023 Flora Krause Casey Public Health Award
Nomination Form**

A complete nomination will consist of the following pieces of information:

- This nomination form, with each step completed;
- At least one (1) support letter. See details below.
- Submitting these items either through email (Casey.Colzani@vdh.virginia.gov) or fax or US mail to Casey Health Award Nominations, Alexandria Health Department, 4850 Mark Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22311

STEP 1	<u>Nominator's Name:</u> _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____ FAX or E-mail: _____ Relationship to Nominee: _____
STEP 2	<u>Nominee's Name:</u> _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____ FAX or E-mail: _____
STEP 3	<u>Award Criteria:</u> Individuals or organizations who exemplify the legacy of Flora Krause Casey and who themselves have made a significant impact on Alexandrians' public health and well-being (physical, behavioral, mental, and oral health) are eligible. Nominees will be eligible if they fit into one of the following four criteria: 1. An individual/organization whose efforts have improved the health and quality of life of Alexandrians; 2. An individual/organization whose dedication to public service has helped prevent disease, promote healthy lifestyles, improve access to health services, and/or ensure appropriate health care for vulnerable Alexandrians; 3. An individual/organization whose work has improved the health of vulnerable and underserved Alexandria residents; 4. An individual/organization whose efforts have helped to reduce health disparities.
STEP 4	<u>Letter of Support:</u> At least one (1) supporting letter ☐ <u>Supporting letters</u> – about 250 words describing the nominee's merits for the award. Please indicate examples of how the nominee has made a significant impact on Alexandrians' public health and well-being, as well as fostered an improved quality of life for the community through their volunteer efforts. Please include the nominee's accomplishments beyond areas of paid responsibility, as appropriate.

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Background:

Flora Krause Casey (1904-1991) was a longtime resident of Alexandria and a dedicated advocate for the health of disadvantaged persons. In the late 1930s, Mrs. Casey assumed responsibility for a clinic that the Kiwanis Club formed to provide pre-camp physical exams. After two years of providing those services, it was apparent that families of lesser means needed to access medical services and a comprehensive clinic to provide that kind of care. Mrs. Casey fostered this clinic's growth as the community needs expanded. She was especially gifted at generating volunteer support and raising funds. It is in her honor that the Public Health Advisory Commission and Health Department continue her legacy by seeking and recognizing other individuals of like purpose, devotion, community advocacy, and leadership.

Past Recipients & Affiliations:

1992	Thistle McKee, MD (Salvation Army)
1993	Filiberto Vargas, MD (Alexandria Hospital)
1994	NO AWARD
1995	Dorris Taylor, RN (Alexandria Mental Health Center)
1996	NO AWARD
1997	Drs. Chalmers Loughridge, John McDade, (late) James Mills and (late) William Weaver, Jr. (all of Alexandria Hospital)
1998	Steve Meyerson (Alexandria Hospital)
1999	Joshua Lipsman, MD (Alexandria Health Department)
2000	Harold Payne (Alexandria Lions Club)
2001	NO AWARD
2002	Brent T. Minor (Alexandria Commission on HIV/AIDS), and Roger Pollard (American Red Cross – Alexandria)
2003	Mrs. Justine Carter (Alexandria Health Department) and Dr. Roger Chinery (Inova Alexandria Hospital)
2004	Stefanie Reponen (Alexandria Commission on Aging)
2005	Enda Ryan, MD (Alexandria Health Department)
2006	NO AWARD
2007	Stephen E. Hart (ANHSA), and Drs. S. James Dispenza, Colin S. Walters, Thomas E. Burns, and Jennifer L. Kilmer (Inova Alexandria Hospital)
2008	Dr. Robert K. Wineland (Carpenter's Shelter)
2009	Dee Moellering (Alexandria Health Center) and Robin Wallin (Alexandria City Public Schools)
2010	Anne Boston Parish
2011	NO AWARD
2012	(late) Dr. Robert Anderson
2013	Dr. William Rogers
2014	Arlene Hewitt
2015	Dr. Charles Konigsberg and Althea Huggins
2016	NO AWARD
2017	NO AWARD
2018	Lisa Clausen, RN
2019	Dr. Laurence Clark
2020	Alexandria Medical Reserve Corps