



## 2021 Provider of the Year Award

Wisconsin Family Child Care Association is looking for providers who exemplify the mission of WFCCA: "Wisconsin Family Child Care Association provides support, education, communication and resources to family child care providers, families and community members, while promoting professionalism and advocating within the early childhood field to provide quality care for children."

Do you know someone who provides support to others, is a mentor or in some other way helps to educate others, is someone whom others know they can count on as a resource, strives for professionalism in all they do, and/or works to advocate for the needs of providers or the families and children they serve? WFCCA would like to honor such a person at our 2021 Annual Conference. Please fill out this form to nominate the provider you feel best reflects these qualities.

### **Examples of (but not limited to) the type of person to nominate:**

- A provider who has earned 4 or 5 Star status in YoungStar, or who has received or is working on receiving NAFCC Accreditation or City of Madison Accreditation.
- A provider who was involved in advocacy work during the past year.
- A provider who makes personal sacrifices in order to serve their families.
- A provider who works as a mentor, presenter, or in some other teaching role.
- A provider who has taken a leadership role in a group or organization that serves children, families or providers.

### **The qualifications for a candidate are as follows:**

- Certified or Licensed Provider in the state of Wisconsin
- Holds no serious non-compliances with the state or county in which they are regulated
- Must be attending the 2021 WFCCA Conference- April 29-May 1 at Chula Vista in WI Dells
- May not have already won the Member of the Year Award or the Governor's Award

### **Choosing a Winner!**

- All applicants will be reviewed and the winner will be chosen by a non-partisan panel, selected by the WFCCA Provider of the Year Committee, based on the qualities and actions of the provider that reflect the Mission of WFCCA.
- Applications are open to all individuals without discrimination based on age, race, color, creed, national origin, gender, political persuasion, handicap or religion.

### **Getting Started:**

Fill out the information below and answer all questions to the best of your ability. Feel free to add additional pages or documents. These can include photos of the program or testimonials from parents, regulators and/or the provider's YoungStar Technical Consultant.

Name of Nominee/Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Years in Business/Years of Experience: \_\_\_\_\_

Groups/Associations/Volunteer Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person(s) nominating the provider: \_\_\_\_\_

Why does this individual deserve the WFCCA 2021 Provider of the Year Award?  
**(Please** add additional pages to explain or to include letters from families/Consultants and others)

**All applications must be postmarked or delivered via email by March 1, 2021.**

Send applications to WFCCA, attn. Leah Zastoupil, 731 Rivendell Dr., Milton, WI 53563

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