



# *Hero Award:* 2005 Nomination Form

*Honor the hard-working employees and volunteers who help make your assisted living residents' lives more rewarding. Nominate someone you know for ALFA's 8th annual Hero Awards!*

\*Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Award Category (check one):  Administrator     Staff Member     Caregiver     Volunteer

Nominee's Title \_\_\_\_\_ Length of Service \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Facility \_\_\_\_\_ Type of Community \_\_\_\_\_

Person Nominating \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Website \_\_\_\_\_

\*Each community limited to maximum of one nominee per category.

Nominee is exemplary in promoting ALFA's philosophy of care and service:

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| ◆ Offering cost-effective quality care that is personalized for the individual's needs | ◆ Involving family and friends in care, when appropriate          |
| ◆ Protecting each resident's right to privacy  | ◆ Promoting the individual of each resident                       |
| ◆ Fostering independence for each resident   | ◆ Providing a safe, residential environment                       |
| ◆ Nurturing the spirit of each resident  | ◆ Allowing each resident choice of care and lifestyle             |
| ◆ Treating each resident with dignity and respect in care planning and implementation  | ◆ Making the assisted living residence a valuable community asset |

On a one page (8½ x 11), one-side **typed** (no less than 12 point font) document, please provide specific examples of why you are nominating this employee or volunteer. Winners will be awarded during ALFA's 2005 National Conference & EXPO, May 4-6, 2005 in Atlanta, GA, where they will receive a complimentary conference registration, food and lodging, a plaque, and a cash prize.

**Please return this form and its accompanying nomination letter by February 18, 2005**, to ALFA, attention: Judy Hagaman, 11200 Waples Mill Road, Suite 150, Fairfax, VA 22030; or fax to (703) 273-7109, or call (703) 691-8100 for more information.