

## NAMI Tallahassee Iris Award: Nomination Form

## **Criteria for Selection:**

Nominee should have made significant contributions to the improvement of life for individuals with mental illness in any of the following areas: social services, legislative, education, housing, medical or law enforcement. Particularly if the nominee has made society more humane; raised social conscience and justice; secured new rights or brought about greater empowerment.

## **Statement of Qualifications:**

Please state the nominee's achievement(s) and contribution(s). Supply dates when possible. PLEASE NOTE: The information may be used for publication, and quotations may be referenced to you from this statement. Feel free to attach supplemental documents pertaining to the nominee's accomplishments.

<b>I. Biographical Info</b> If possible, please attach a brief	rmation: biographical record in paragraph or res	ume format.
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Nominee has been inform	ed of Nomination:	□ No
Nomination submitted by submitted under organi		ominator should have organizational approval if
Address:		
Phone Number:	(day)	(evening)
II. Provide a brief sum	mary, in 25 words or less, of th	ne nominee's accomplishments.
Please check if included:	I. Biographical Information [II. Summary Statement]	☐ III. Supporting Documents ☐

Final selection will be determined by the sponsoring organization. The Iris Award is presented at various venues befitting the event and recipients. Nominations should be mailed to: NAMI Tallahassee; P.O. Box 14842, Tallahassee, FL 32317.

Vincent van Gogh painted many irises while hospitalized for mental illness at Saint Remy. The iris symbolizes both the courage and hope that individuals and their families face in coping with mental illness