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National Association of Area Agencies on Aging

John A. Hartford Foundation (JAHF) Business Innovation Award

Purpose – The purpose of this award is to highlight the successes of social services agencies that are partnering with health care entities, such as hospitals and health plans, and spur their replication. The award will recognize one or more social services agencies that have made significant strides to partner with health care entities to improve the quality of life for older adults and/or people with disabilities. The work of the award winner shall be evidence of outstanding works of bold, early transformative initiatives designed to integrate health care and long-term services and supports.

Nomination Process – Nominations are encouraged from a broad array of community-based organizations that work in the aging and disability networks. The award will be presented at the n4a 41st Annual Conference in San Diego, CA this July, and includes a plaque and monetary award of up to \$500.

Selection of the Recipient(s) – One or more recipients will be eligible for selection. The Award Subcommittee of the Advisory Committee of the National Aging and Disability Business Center will review nominations according to the following criteria:

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- 25 percent—**Innovator** in pioneering new business models
 - 25 percent—**Partner** in establishing new relationships with health care entities
 - 25 percent—**Risk-taker** in pursuing new approaches to doing business and aligning leadership and staff in new directions
 - 25 percent—**Achiever** in establishing contracts with health care entities and building sustainable funding models for the future

The nominator of the Award winner and Award winner will be notified in advance of the n4a 41st Annual Conference & Tradeshow in San Diego, CA where the Award will be presented this July. Individuals and/or organizations are permitted to nominate themselves.

Deadline – **Submit nomination to n4a no later than Monday, June 27 to be considered for the JAHF Business Innovation Award.** Email or fax form to: Mary Kaschak at mkaschak@n4a.org.

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2016 Nomination Form

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Name of Nominee _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip Code _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Position _____

Awards/Honors _____

Affiliations _____

Narrative – Include reason(s) for nomination. Attach additional pages, but total response to the narrative section shall be no more than two pages in length. Include nomination form as cover sheet.

- 1) Describe nominee's demonstrated innovative work in pioneering new business models.
- 2) Describe nominee's partnerships with health care entities.
- 3) Describe nominee's willingness to take risks.
- 4) Describe nominee's success in the area of contracting with health care entities, integrating health care and LTSS and/or expanding a more sustainable business model.

Will the nominee be attending the 2016 n4a Annual Conference? Yes No Don't know

Sponsoring Organization _____

Contact Person _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

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