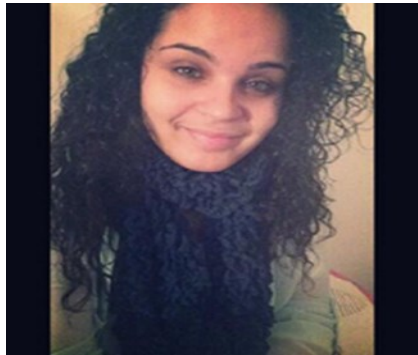


**NOVEMBER  
EMPLOYEE OF THE  
MONTH**



SAMANTHA DEVEAU

Samantha is a humble individual who is sincere in that she has found her path in life.

Not many people can find their way in life at a young age, however, this young lady seems to have been born to care and support others. She was tasked with a challenging case and has always placed the needs of the Participant first. Her Participant is a great human being who struggles with her emotions which affects her relationships and those around her. Samantha's patience and resiliency is admirable to those who observe from the sideline. Samantha allows time to pass before making each struggle a teachable moment for her Participant. The skills Samantha possesses, work towards her Participants' building and maintaining positive relationships. It's key that one see the error in their way and be mature enough to own responsibility for their actions. Although her Participant battles with this, Samantha's tireless efforts are effective toward her Participant's ability to learn from these moments. Samantha's Participant recently stopped taking all psychotropic medication as per her doctor's request. Needless to say, Samantha's Participant's mood has been severely affected by this change and the journey through this has been challenging for all parties. Through this journey, Samantha has demonstrated the utmost professionalism. Samantha has experienced verbal and emotional reactions from her Participant; this was to be expected during this process. Samantha knows having regular talks with her Supervisor alleviates some stress and this allows her to feel supported. She smiles after these chats and is refreshed and energized to pick up where she left off.

The bottom line is, Samantha looks forward to providing quality service and is invested in the progress of her Participant.

– This is a quality that all staff should possess.



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**November Nominees**

**Jennifer James**

**Gail Owens**

**Jacqueline Gordon**

**ShaNieke Moses**

**Danielle Powers**

**Marcelline Toussaint**

**Lynn Delmato**

Employee of the Month 2015 Winners

January .....Juanauary Alduez

February...Surena Simpson

March ...Raul R. Santiago

April.....Shamika Green

May.....Georgette Turner

June .....Maria Torres

July.....Yuberquis Minyety

August.....Dannelle Roberts

September.....Annette Aponte

October.....Donna Suanders

**SPECIAL CATEGORIES**

**Supervisor of the Quarter**

**Sharon Wilson**

**3rd Quarter**

**Nancy Lombardo**

**2nd Quarter**

**Carolyn Giambastiani**

**1st Quarter**

**Nominees**

**Karene Griffith**

**SPECIAL CATEGORIES**

**Admin of the Quarter**

**Vickey Paulino**

**3rd Quarter**

**Brittney Riley**

**2nd Quarter**

**Maria Tichio**

**1st Quarter**

**Nominees**

**Vinh Lu**

**Michelle Malone**

NOMINEES 2015

**January**

Linda Lemily Afterschool Respite  
Maria Asencion Community Hab.  
Megan Schlegel LI Community Hab.  
Juanaury Alduez Community  
Kathryn Suero 163<sup>rd</sup> Street

**February**

Maria Torres Day Habilitation  
Kerry Barry Community Hab.  
Silvana Felipe Respite/Behaviorally Challenged  
Justin Vecchione Community Hab.  
Gabriella Dicen Community Hab.  
Surena Simpson Cambria  
Vanessa Felipe Simpson

**March**

Sarah Abramhams Respite  
James Moller Respite  
Raul Rivera Santiago Behaviorally Challenged  
Katiusha Jorge Community Hab.  
Adriane Riddick Liberty IRA  
Janelle Jones Crotona  
Myles Van Sutherland Crotona

**April**

Shamika Green King Apts.  
Travis Duffus Snediker  
Catherine Mitchiner Crotona 5  
Neila Millien Lincoln  
Samantha Deveau Comm Hab  
Lydia Rodriguez CHS  
Ashley Farrice Case Management  
Frankchesca Jimenez CHS  
Ganesh Balram CHS  
Samantha Deveau Day Habilitation  
Merle Sankar CHS  
Cindy Moy- Homecare  
Katie Murphy CHS  
Marie Remy CHS

**May**

Razak Abubakar Crotona 6  
Paul Johnson 135<sup>th</sup> Street  
Simone Jones Oberman  
Octavia Robinson King Apts.  
Georgette Turner Underhill  
Miguelina B. Hernandez Community  
Nicole Arce Case Management  
Walia Perez CHS  
Rosemarie Morillo CHS  
Jaquonna Leggett HC  
Hue Do CHS  
Rosemary DeCarlo CHS  
Maria Torres Day Hab.

**June**

Denise Valdez CHS  
Debra Powers MSC  
Karen Haughton CHS  
Olga Smart CHS  
Miquelina B Hernandez DHS  
Akilah McIntosh CHS  
Carmela Sain-luc HC  
Cassandra Iadicicco CHS  
Jennifer Rattray CHS

**July**

Yuberquis Minyety Day Hab  
Jeanne Smith LI CHS  
Nicole King Cambria

**August**

Dennelle Roberts Sunset Park  
Adrienne Riddick Liberty  
Katrina Douglas Liberty  
Tiffany Butler Respite  
Donna Saunders King  
Brandon Davis 135<sup>th</sup> Street  
Shermaine Graham Oberman  
Danubia Tejada Simpson  
Adrienne Williams 163<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Venus Vasquez Kelly Towers  
Janelle Jones Crotona 4  
Marcelline Toussaint Respite/Homecare  
Jose Nunez Day Habilitation

## **September**

Samantha Deveau	Day Hab
Brian Lepre	Com Hab
Laskiesha Steele	Com Hab
Ketty Barry	Com Hab
Ola Smart	Day Hab
Wanda Jackson	Crotona
Simone Jones	Oberman
Steven Williams	Crotona
Jennifer Jones	Oberman
Nicola Munroe	Oberman
Dee Dee Joyner	Lincoln
Myles Van Tams	Crotona
Gloria Hardwick	Crotona
Candice Paige	Sunset

## **October**

Karene Griffith	Residential
Sarah Abraham	Com Hab
Cynthia Valentin	Residential
Aviance Cox	Residential
Jesse Calvin	Residential
Dee Dee Joyner	Residential
Joyce Hunter	Residential
Frantzy Charles	Residential
Ernest McClain	Residential
Sheldon Van-Riel	Residential
Myles Surland Van Tams	Residential
Shanita Harding	Residential
Nicola Munroe	Oberman
Suhana Meah	Respite
Donna Saunders	Residential
Elizabeth Rogan	Com Hab