

# **EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH**

**WE CARE ... WE LISTEN ... WE HELP ...**

## **Donna Saunders, Kings**

Nominated by Karene Griffith, Supervisor

Ms. Saunders has strong leadership abilities, prides herself on a high quality of work and has exceptional work ethics.

Ms. Saunders ensures that she keeps herself well aware of all new medical and physical needs that her individuals have.

Ms. Saunders looks for innovative ways to help her Service Recipients improve their coping skills and allows them to have individual choice while informing and teaching each the information needed to make the best decision for their health and life. Ms. Saunders shows great patience and meets the challenges of each day with professionalism and respect for the people she supports.

Ms. Saunders professional demeanor allows her to easily adapt to change and difficult situations. She prides herself on completing the task at hand no matter the obstacles especially when it pertains to supporting the individuals to overcome challenges and to live meaningful lives.

Ms. Saunders also is a leader among her peers and is well respected by her colleagues. She focuses on being aware of all updates in policies and procedures, and readily shares this knowledge with her peers to ensure that she not only excels at what she does but that cohesively the team has the correct information to solve problems, intervene in crisis situation to get the best outcome; support the individuals in having comfortable home environments, and supports her peers and provide tremendous support in ensuring that the daily upkeep and running of the residence goes smoothly on a day to day basis.

**We thank you MS. Saunders!**



### **October Nominees**

**Karene Griffith**

**Sarah Abraham**

**Cynthia Valentin**

**Aviance Cox Jesse Calvin Dee Dee Joyner**

**Joyce Hunter Frantzy Charles**

**Ernest McClain**

**Sheldon Van-Riel Myles Surland Van Tams**

**Shanita Harding**

**Nicola Munroe**

**Suhana Meah**

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Employee of the Month 2015 Winners

January .....Juanuary 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

**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 Rodriquez 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  
Adriane 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