



**Josephine Berman Award**

Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Peter Lundin, MD Award**

Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Professional Contributions: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Dominick Gentile, MD Memorial Award**

Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Caregiver of the Year Award (\*New Award!)**

Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Chapter Nominations**

Nomination(s) for:

**1. AAKP Chapter of the Year Award:** \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Outstanding Achievements by Chapter:

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**2. AAKP Chapter Volunteer of the Year Award:** \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Outstanding Volunteer Efforts:

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**3. Outstanding AAKP Chapter Programming:** \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Reason for Nomination (please include samples of programs):

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**4. Outstanding AAKP Chapter Newsletter:** \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Reason for Nomination (please include samples of newsletter):

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*Please mail completed nomination form and any attachments **by Friday, July 6, 2007** to:*

**American Association of Kidney Patients  
Awards Nomination Committee  
3505 E. Frontage Road, Suite 315  
Tampa, FL 33607-1796  
Or Fax To: (813) 636-8122**



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# **T** 2007 AAKP Annual Awards

The following awards are presented during the AAKP Annual Convention. Nominations for these awards (excluding the *President's Award*, determined by the AAKP President; and the *NOVA Award* and *Maureen Lundin aakpRENALIFE Award*, determined by the AAKP Staff) are solicited from AAKP Board members, Chapters and the general membership. The criteria for these awards are as follows:

## **Samuel J. Orenstein Award**

This is AAKP's most prestigious Annual Award. It is presented to an AAKP member who consistently renders extraordinary service toward the achievement of AAKP's goals and objectives.

## **AAKP Patient Comeback of the Year Award**

Presented to a patient who has overcome major obstacles and displayed extraordinary courage and determination to take charge of his/her life and resume normal productive living.

## **Josephine Berman Award**

Presented to a patient or family member who devotes much of his/her life to the achievement of AAKP's goals and has served as an inspiring example to others.

## **Peter Lundin, MD Award**

Presented to a renal physician who makes contributions to the care, welfare and well-being of patients over a lifetime of devoted service.

## **Dominick Gentile, MD Memorial Award**

Presented to an ESRD Network that maintains a developed program, which significantly benefits patients.

## **Caregiver Award**

Presented to a family member, friend or healthcare professional who has gone above and beyond. He or she has made an exceptional difference as a caregiver.

## **President's Award**

Presented to an individual who makes a long-term commitment toward making AAKP a better organization.  
***To be determined by the President.***

## **NOVA Award**

Presented to an individual who has played an integral role throughout the year in the everyday activities of AAKP. ***To be determined by the AAKP Staff.***

## **Maureen Lundin aakpRENALIFE Award**

Presented to an individual who contributes outstanding articles to the pages of the *aakpRENALIFE* magazine.  
***To be determined by the AAKP Staff.***

## **Annual Chapter Awards**

Each year, AAKP recognizes its outstanding Chapters for their efforts. The following is the criteria for these prestigious awards:

**AAKP Chapter of the Year Award** Presented to a Chapter that goes above and beyond fulfilling the goals and mission of the Association. Only Chapters that have met all requirements and submitted all items in a timely manner throughout the past year are eligible.

**AAKP Chapter Volunteer of the Year Award** Presented to an outstanding Chapter volunteer who has dedicated time and energy on behalf of the Chapter.

**Outstanding Chapter Programming Activities** Presented to a Chapter that provides beneficial programs, both educational and social, to kidney patients.

**Outstanding Chapter Newsletter** Presented to a Chapter that has established and maintained an outstanding newsletter to raise Chapter awareness in the community.