

Date: January 29, 2024

To: The Aging Network

From: Wanda F. Mitchell, PCA Community Engagement Director

Re: 2024 Emergency Fund Coalition "Community Service Awards" Submission Deadline: March 1, 2024

On Thursday, June 6, 2024, the Emergency Fund Coalition (EFC) for Older Philadelphians will celebrate its 42nd anniversary luncheon at the Hilton Hotel. As part of our celebration, the Emergency Fund Coalition asks for your assistance in the nomination process for community service awards to be bestowed at the luncheon.

EFC is an alliance of twenty-two organizations that serves older adults in crisis. Its mission is to raise funds and distribute emergency assistance to vulnerable older adults to purchase fuel, food and other critically-needed items.

The nomination form is attached, with return instructions. The submission deadline is **Friday**, **March 1, 2024**.

Thank you for your participation. Please save the date for the Emergency Fund luncheon on **June 6th**. It is always a great opportunity to raise funds for a tremendous cause with our silent auction, entertainment, and good fellowship.

EFC Members include: Better Home Care LLC, Center for Advocacy for the Rights and Interests of the Elderly (CARIE), CLARIFI, Firehouse Active Adult Center, Home Instead Senior Care, Intercommunity Action (Center at Journey's Way), Jewish Family and Children's Services of Greater Philadelphia, Jewish Relief Agency, KleinLife, Liberty Lutheran Services/Lutheran Children and Family Service (West Philadelphia Senior Community Center), Mayor's Commission on Aging, Northern Living Center, Philadelphia Corporation for Aging, Philadelphia Senior Center, Philip Jaisohn Memorial Foundation, Polish American Social Services, Salus Health, Inc., SeniorLAW Center, Senior Helpers, Philadelphia, Southwest Senior Center, UESF, and Unitarian Universalist House Outreach Program.

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