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Date:	
I would like to nominate:	
because: (Tell us about how the person you are nominating has gone the extra mile for you)	
Job title:	
The name of their Hospital/Primary Care Trust or Social Services.	

Motor Neurone Disease Association

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Like Luise and Roger, is there an extra special professional involved in your care? If so, why not nominate them for an Extra Mile Award.

The Extra Mile Awards are run by the MND Association to celebrate health and social care professionals who have provided care 'beyond the call of duty'.

"Our Occupational Therapist was always one step ahead, thinking about what Luise needed before we realised it ourselves. A good Occupational Therapist can make your life so much easier and thankfully we had a great one."

Roger Curry, husband and carer to Luise Curry

I first came up with the idea for our Extra Mile Awards

(EMAs) while driving back with a colleague from a Trustee

(EMAs) where we had been discussing the difference really high

meeting where we had been discussing with MND.

quality care can make for people living with MND.

We began thinking about just how difficult things could be for people working in the Mts and for social services at the moment. And yet we knew there were amazing people out there doing exceptional work pulling out all the stops for families coping with MND.

As we talked I asked: "What about an award to recognise really special support?"

We both felt sure the idea could work and following enthusiastic support from the Board of Trustees and staff I'm delighted to say that the EMAs have arrived!

If you would like to nominate an individual or indeed a whole team for an EMA simply fill in the nomination form telling us about your Health and Social Care Professional and how they have gone the extra mile for you.

Helen

Helen Clifford-Jones Trustee



You can either fill in the attached form or download a form from:

www.mndassociation.org/emas outlining why you are nominating the health and social care professional for this award. Please use examples and state what the health and social care professional did to help you.

Who is eligible?

Nominations will be accepted from anyone living with MND, that includes people diagnosed with MND, a carer or family member.

Nominations must be for a health or social care professional such as:

Occupational Therapist, Respiratory Nurse, Speech and Language Therapist, Palliative Care Nurse, Doctor, MND Specialist Nurse, Physiotherapist, Dietitian, Social Worker, Benefits Officer, Housing Officer, or a Health or Social Care Team.

If you are not sure that your nominated person is eligible please contact your Association visitor or Regional Care Development Adviser.

Health or social care professionals nominated will receive an award to recognise their commitment and hard work.



What happens next?

Award winners will be notified. If possible we would encourage you to present the award to the health and social care professional at your local branch/group AGM.

The award winner will be presented with a special EMA badge and certificate. A letter will also be sent to their immediate Manager at their Hospital/Primary Care Trust/Social Services.

Entry Deadline

Entries can be submitted at any time.

Entrants should submit their completed entry form to:

EMAs MND Association PO Box 246 Northampton NN1 2PR



Queries and requests for further information should be directed to the national care administration team. Tel: 01604 250505