



AWARD CATEGORIES

Rising Star Award

Has been a caregiver for three years or less and already demonstrates enormous promise for the profession.

Client Impact Award

Frequently recognized or praised for their efforts that make an impact on the quality of their clients' lives.

Going the Extra Mile Award

Passionate about providing extraordinary care to their clients in ways that exceed expectations.

Leadership Award

Serves as a role model and demonstrates teamwork and a willingness to help other direct care workers and staff.

Longevity Award

Has performed outstanding work as a caregiver each year for the last 10 or more years and plans to continue working in the field.

Direct Care Worker of the Year Award

The Best of the Best. Outstanding in every area.

SHARP

DIRECT CARE WORKER AWARDS

Honoring nurse aides, personal care aides, companions, senior living assistants, etc., who have provided outstanding services to Orange County residents over the past year.

November 14, 2024

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.



2024 Orange County Sharp Direct Care Worker Honor Roll

ORDER OF EVENTS

Candace Tilley	Alexandria Crisp	Raven Smith
Latasha Branch	Khodija Dafa	Lakbira Wright
Maria Rollins	Sabrina Chambers	Sadie Tabon
Phyllis Sheref	Elijah Cheruiyot	Breon Polk-Bembury
Janet Lawrence	Margaret Osafo	Linda Borkowski
Monique Hazel	Citllali Ceron	Ahmani Carthins
Dezarae Stone	Mary Ellen Feamster	
Adalgovany Caceres	Karin Jones	

4:30 p.m.

Welcome

Janice Tyler, Director
Orange County Department on Aging

Award Purpose

Ann Bradford, SHARP (Senior Health Advocacy & Resource Partners) Member, and Aging Advisory Board Chair

Jamezetta Bedford, Chair
Orange County Board of County Commissioners

4:45 p.m.

Award Announcements

Honoree Slideshow
Rising Star Award
Longevity Award
Leadership Award

Going the Extra Mile Award
Client Impact Award

2024 Direct Care Worker of the Year

5:30 p.m.

Closing Congratulations



2024 Nominating Agencies

CareYaya	Right at Home of the Triangle
Carol Woods Retirement Community	Acorn Homecare Services
Soltys Place	Cone Health
Brookdale Meadowmont	R Place
TerraBella of Hillsborough	Individual Family Caregivers
Homewatch Caregivers of the Triangle	

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Aging Family Solutions	Orange County Department on Aging
All About Seniors	Positive Approach to Care
AuthoraCare Collective	Right at Home of the Triangle
Carol Woods Retirement Community	Snow Approach
Harmony Advisors	Terra Bella of Hillsborough
Homewatch Caregivers of the Triangle	