

# The Arc of New Jersey Heroes of 2020

You are invited to submit the name of a Local County Chapter or Family Hero to be recognized on The Arc of New Jersey's Heroes of 2020 virtual wall of honor starting October 15, 2020.

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2020 has been a year like no other. The COVID-19 pandemic changed the way we live, learn, work and socialize. Keeping people with I/DD safe while supporting them to live a meaningful life has been an enormous challenge. But for many, it is a challenge that they have met head on with dedication, creativity, perseverance and empathy. These are the Heroes of 2020 and it is our wish to acknowledge, commend and thank them for their unwavering commitment to people with I/DD and their families. **Please complete this form by providing the following information:**

Name of nominee *(Exact name of nominee as it should appear on the page)*

Mailing address

Email Address

City/State/Zip

Phone

Name of person submitting this form

Organization

E-mail

Mailing address

City/State/Zip

Phone

Please use the space above to tell us about your nominee. Use additional pages if needed.

Who are the Heroes of 2020? Nominees can be: an individual or a group; those who in 2020 went “above and beyond” to support children and adults with I/DD and their families. They provided exemplary support, found creative ways to engage and assist people with I/DD, volunteered their time and talent, or was the person everyone could count on; employees of Local County Chapters or self-directed employees serving families of The Arc; Direct Support Professionals, support staff, managers or other professionals; Volunteers from Local County Chapters or community volunteers that assisted Local County Chapters. Please only one entry per chapter or family.

Email this form along with a photo of your nominee to [cfortin@arcnj.org](mailto:cfortin@arcnj.org). Submissions will be posted starting October 15, 2020 so submit your candidate as soon as possible! Questions? Call Céline Fortin at 732-733-6013 or email at [cfortin@arcnj.org](mailto:cfortin@arcnj.org).