



# Volunteer of the Year Award **2013** Now in its 13<sup>th</sup> year.



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## ***Volunteer of the Year Award***

In recognition of the tireless efforts of volunteers throughout Ireland in supporting, education, motivating people with diabetes at local and national levels, in raising awareness of diabetes in the community and in promoting the interest of people with diabetes, Diabetes Ireland have established this annual award.

Now in its 13<sup>th</sup> year, the award will be presented to the person the judging panel believe to have shown an ongoing voluntary commitment in the field of diabetes.

The winner will be awarded a trophy, a weekend hotel break for 2 people and €1,000, the money to be used for a diabetes related project of the winner's choice. There will also be a €100 One4All voucher for the winning nominator.

**CRITERIA:**

Nominations will be assessed against the following, where applicable:

- Voluntary Work – unpaid work (over and above normal employment if in employment) in raising awareness of Diabetes Ireland
- Showing commitment, dedication or giving time in their efforts to provide for people with diabetes.
- Serving people with diabetes with distinction.

**NOTE:** *Previous nominees, but not winners, are eligible to be nominated again.*

**PROCEDURE**

1. A 300 Word (A4 Page) written submission nominating the volunteer.
2. All nominations will be assessed against the above criteria by a representative panel.
3. The presentation of the award will take place at the Annual General Meeting on Sunday, 10 November 2013 at the Regency Hotel, Dublin.

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**“Volunteer of the Year” Award**

Roche Diagnostics, the Ireland market leader in blood glucose monitoring, are delighted to join Diabetes Ireland in sponsoring the Volunteer of the Year Award. The company is committed to working with healthcare professionals to ensure diagnosis and management of people with the condition, and are delighted to highlight the vital role performed by volunteers.

People with diabetes or health professionals who would like further information should contact Roche Diabetes Care line on 1800 709 600.

**CLOSING DATE & SUBMISSION ADDRESS**

Nominations must reach the address below  
no later than **Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2013**

**DIABETES IRELAND**  
(Volunteer Award)  
76 Lower Gardiner Street, Dublin 1

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