



Opportunities for Ohioans
with Disabilities

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Accepting Applications for 2017 Annual Awards

The Governor's Council on People with Disabilities (GCPD) annually recognizes businesses, groups and individuals who have significantly contributed to employment opportunities and community involvement for people with disabilities. It is anticipated that their example will inspire others in both the public and private sectors to realize ability rather than disability as the most important factor in employment and community inclusion.

We would like to hear from you about the leaders in your community! Please take a moment to review the awards on our website <http://gcpd.ohio.gov/Awards> and nominate a community leader, organization or business for the appropriate recognition.

This year, the awards will be presented on September 29th at the Statehouse.

GCPD Annual Awards

- \$250 GCPD Scholarship
- Accessible Medical Services
- Advocacy
- Best Practices Award
- Karla M. Lortz Scholarship
- Maureen Fitzgerald Leadership Award
- Ohio Employer of the Year Award
- Ohio Public Service and Enforcement

Deadline for applications to be received is July 15, 2017.