Rolland J. Van Hattum Award for Schools-Related Professionals (ASHAF)

This award is a memorial recognition of Rolland J. Van Hattum, who had a distinguished career in the provision of services and support of audiology and speech-language pathology in the schools. It is presented by ASHF to an individual who has demonstrated outstanding commitment and specific contribution to the delivery of audiology or speech-language pathology services in a school setting.

A plaque and a monetary award is given to the annual recipient of this award. In addition, \$500 will be awarded to the school system that the recipient represents, to further the work for which she/he is being honored. The recipient is announced and honored at the annual ASHA Convention.

Criteria

Nominees for this award demonstrate outstanding commitment and specific contribution to the delivery of audiology or speech-language pathology services in a school setting. Eligible activities or achievements for which the award is given could include, but would not be limited to:

- The conduct of exemplary clinical services, supervision or research in a school setting.
- The development of an innovative program (e.g., clinical, training) in a school setting with an emphasis on those that are replicable.
- The promotion or enhancement of public or private support for audiology and/or speech- language pathology services in schools.

Nominations and deadline

Please see www.ashfoundation.org for the specific deadline (typically April 15) and all applicable forms. Applications are submitted directly to ASHF. Award applications are available from the ASHA Foundation starting in January of each year.