

## **Alabama Public Health Association Hall of Fame Criteria**

The ALPHA Hall of fame is intended to compliment current ALPHA Awards and recognize individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the enhancement and advancement of ALPHA. The Hall of Fame was established by the association in May of 2007.

The following individuals worked on the proposal: Ricky Elliott, Chair, Ruth Underwood, Ruth Harrell, Don Pugh, Ashvin Parikh, and Dennis Blair.

### **Selection Criteria :**

1. The name of the recognition is the "ALPHA Hall of Fame".
2. To be considered for the ALPHA Hall of Fame, an individual must be or have been a member of ALPHA for at least 10 years.
3. The nominee must had made, or is making, a significant contribution to ALPHA through membership growth, advancement of ALPHA nad public health, improvement of the organization, (ALPHA)
4. Nominee may be living or deceased.
5. Any current member may present a nominee to the ALPHA Hall of Fame Committee. The Hall of Fame Committee shall consist of the Hall of Fame Chairperson (appointed by the President) , current Awards Committee Chairperson, ALPHA P resident and two at larger members selected by the Hall of Fame Committee Chairperson .
6. In the inaugural year of the Hall of Fame, 2008, a total of 10 people will be inducted. Thereafter a maximum of 2 people will be selected for induction into the Hall of Fame.
7. The nomination must include a one page justification letter detailing why the nominee should be inducted into the Hall of Fame.
8. Each year's inductees will be introduced at the ALPHA's Annual Education Conference during the Awards Ceremony. They, or their family, will be presented with a plaque of recognition.
9. The ALPHA Hall of Fame will be printed in the conference program each year.