

## Hearts of Gold 2011 Nomination Cover Page

**One award will be given in each of the four following categories:**

1. Volunteerism
2. Community commitment to women and children
3. Empowering women
4. Removing cultural barriers and eliminating racism

**Award Criteria:**

- Anyone (person or organization) may make nomination.
- Nominee must be living.
- Nominee must be a woman.
- Nominations must be received in the YWCA office by close of business on May 13, 2011.
- The following criteria are utilized in reviewing and judging the nominations:
  1. The nominee gives freely and unselfishly by volunteering her time to community activities;
  2. The nominee inspires others and acts as a role model;
  3. The nominee has a positive impact on the direction and success of community projects, programs or individuals;
  4. The nominee improves the lives of others;
  5. The nominee reflects the mission of the YWCA: to eliminate racism and to empower women.

Please attach as many sheets as needed to the information form and answer the following questions:

1. Provide a description of why this person is being nominated for the YWCA Hearts of Gold award.
2. Provide a description of how the work done by the nominee and her leadership capabilities positively impacted the lives of others.
3. Give an example of how the nominee has made strides toward eliminating racism and/or empowering women.
4. Describe any significant achievements, awards or other formal recognition for community service.

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**Hearts of Gold 2011  
Award Information Form**

**Nominee:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominated by:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_