

# Extra Mile Award

2021

## ABOUT

At every Crossroads conference, we will honor up to three former or current Medicaid officials and/or pharmacy benefit managers with the award. The Extra Mile Award is a special honor created to recognize those who have shown continual concerted effort in doing or achieving something above what is expected.

## Selection Criteria

The Extra Mile Award recipients are considered leaders by their peers. They are thoughtful, decisive, and proactive. They collaborate with state peers, providers, pharmaceutical manufacturers, associations, and other diverse thought leaders in the industry. They initiate discussions when others are hesitant. They maintain relationships, and they show an ability and drive to pioneer creative, successful solutions.

## Selection Process

**Four months** prior to the Crossroads conference, all registered attendees, speakers, Advisory Board members, and Artia Solutions staff members will be allowed one nomination. These nominations will create The Extra Mile Award Nominations List.

**Three months** prior to the Crossroads conference, all registered attendees, speakers, Advisory Board members, and Artia Solutions staff members will be allowed to vote for any three nominees listed on The Extra Mile Award Nominations List.

The top nominees will then be voted on by the Advisory Board members and Artia Solutions staff members, and **up to three nominees will be awarded** with The Extra Mile Award at each Crossroads conference.

## AWARD BENEFITS

All recipients of the award will be allotted a **scholarship** to attend all future Crossroads conferences, and they also will have **special recognition** each year at Crossroads.

## 2021 KEY DATES

**Monday, May 3** Nominations Open

**Friday, May 14** Nominations Close

**Monday, May 17** Voting Opens

**Friday, June 4** Voting Closes

## 2020 AWARD RECIPIENTS

### Paul Jeffrey

Director of Pharmacy, MassHealth

### Michael Sharp

former Director of Pharmacy,  
Indiana Medicaid

### Dave Campana

former Medicaid Pharmacist, Montana  
Medicaid; former Medicaid Pharmacy  
Program Manager, Alaska Medicaid