

Winona Health Foundation

2025 Ben and Adith Miller Community Service Tribute Request for Nominations – Deadline: February 27, 2026

In May 1989, Mr. Benjamin A. Miller announced his intention to make an annual gift of \$25,000 to the Ben and Adith Miller Patient Care Fund of the Winona Health Foundation in the name of an outstanding person or persons who have done the most for the betterment of Winona and the Winona area and/or Winona Health.

Ideal candidates for the Ben and Adith Miller Community Service Tribute have demonstrated notable acts of service over time, in a multitude of ways, and had a clear impact on the community. Innovation, advocacy, and generosity of time, spirit, energy and/or charitable donations are all key characteristics of Ben and Adith Miller Community Service Tribute honorees.

Your Name (nominator): _____

E-mail: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address (City, State, Zip) _____

Nominee's Name: _____

E-mail: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address (City, State, Zip) _____

Nomination Required Materials Checklist:

- ☐ This completed Nomination Form
- ☐ Narrative from nominator outlining why the nominee should be considered as a recipient of the Ben and Adith Miller Community Service Tribute, addressing the criteria below.
- ☐ Two (2) letters of support for the nominee. These can be from a co-worker, fellow community organization member, family or friend of the nominee.

Criteria to address:

- Define the nominee's outstanding service to the Winona community and/or Winona Health.
- Identify the nominee's service over the previous calendar year or an extended period of years – this may include a single significant contribution or many contributions.
 - Describe any involvement with community organizations and any leadership roles. Identify the populations served and the impact on those people by the nominee's efforts.
- Explain how the nominee has demonstrated their generosity of time, spirit, energy and/or charitable donations.
 - Examples of how the nominee demonstrates time, spirit, energy and/or charitable donations may include innovations, improvements and/or enhanced quality of life for the Winona area/region/community.

Nomination materials (This completed form, the Nominator's Narrative, and two letters of support) should be submitted to the Winona Health Foundation by **February 27, 2026**. For more information, call 507.494.7384 or email foundation@winonahealth.org.

Should you prefer to mail in materials, please address to: **Winona Health Foundation, 855 Mankato Avenue, PO Box 5600, Winona, Minnesota 55987.**