

Employer Nomination Form (the Individual Award nomination form is separate)

Nominee information:

Business name:

Business address:

Contact person name:

Contact person phone:

Contact person email:

Business type:

Public* Private* Nonprofit*

How many employees does this business have:

Small: 1-25 26-75 76-99

Medium: 100-170 171-340 341-499

Large: 500-1,000 1001-1999 2000+

Total number of staff:

Number of staff with disabilities:

Nominator information:

Name of person making nomination:

Nominator phone number:

Nominator email:

Name of business making nomination:

Address of business making nomination:

Nomination questions:

1. Tell us about how this employer goes about finding people with disabilities for their job openings.
2. How does this employer keep employees with disabilities engaged at work? How does this employer make sure that employees with disabilities can learn new skills and get promotions?
3. Tell us how this business makes employees with disabilities feel welcomed and included and valued as part of the team.

4. Tell us how this employer provides reasonable accommodations for workers with disabilities. For example: buying adaptive technology or equipment, making modifications to facilities, job sharing, providing supportive supervision, special training or collaboration with job coaches or service organizations.

5. Is this a nomination for the youth employer category?

6. Yes* No (If yes, answer questions 7 & 8. If not, skip to #9)

Youth employer questions:

7. Tell us how this employer supports internships and youth learning opportunities.

8. Tell us how this employer hires youth with disabilities and supports their careers.

Supporting documents, check, and next steps

9. Nominations must include 2 support documents, such as testimonials from employees, newsletter or media articles, and letters of recommendation. These support documents come from people *other* than the nominator. Please note we cannot accept videos at this time.

Support document #1

Support document #2

10. Is your nomination complete?

Nomination form completed in SurveyMonkey

2 support documents submitted via SurveyMonkey or emailed to

GCDEawards@esd.wa.gov.

Next steps:

GCDE staff will contact you to obtain photos of your nominee and releases. We will also ask you for a few sentences about your nominee to be included in the awards ceremony.

Thank you for your submission!

*For more information, visit our website: esd.wa.gov/gcde/projects/awards