



## Star Awards – “Recognition, Innovation, Inspiration”

**WHAT:** Star Awards 2018

**WHY:** To recognize companies who have initiated, as well as maintained, Employee Wellness Programs over the years; to recognize companies who have moved wellness activities outside the box and used innovation to motivate their employees; and to recognize and award an individual employee who has inspired others to live healthier lives.

**WHO:** Any organization with a wellness program is eligible and encouraged to apply. Many will be recognized for establishing Employee Wellness Programs through this application, one company will be recognized for its outstanding innovation and one individual employee will be recognized for inspiring fellow employees by significantly changing lifestyle habits. You may nominate as many employees as you believe might be worthy of this recognition.

### TYPES OF AWARDS:

- **Recognition Star Award** – recognizes companies with established Wellness Programs
- **Innovation Star Award** – recognizes a company with the most innovative activity for promoting health and well-being for the employees and the organization
- **Inspiration Star Award** – recognizes an individual employee whose lifestyle changes have inspired coworkers

**JUDGING:** A Working Well Board committee will review all applications and recognize existing Wellness Programs; evaluate the top *Innovation Star Award Winner* based on creativity and success in reaching goals; determine the *Inspiration Star Award Winner* based on the most inspiring employee story.

**WHEN:** Get started now. **The deadline is Friday, January 5, 2018.** Awards presented at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Working Well CEO Breakfast January 30, 2018. Nominees must be present. **There is no fee for applications.**

Applications must include the “Application Cover Sheet”. You may apply for all three awards. Instructions on how to apply are included in the applications. All forms are below.