

# The Beacon Award

*The Beacon Award is presented by Lower Umpqua Hospital Foundation in recognition of voluntary efforts to improve the health, wellness and safety of those in our community.*

## Nomination

- The person or group to be recognized must try to improve the health, wellness, or safety of residents in coastal Douglas County (the Lower Umpqua Hospital District) outside a scope of employment.
- The benefits can be for the community in general or a specific group.
- Nominations are due by Tuesday, April 6, 2010. Mail to Beacon Award c/o Lower Umpqua Hospital Foundation, 600 Ranch Rd. Reedsport, OR 97467, or leave at the reception desk at Lower Umpqua Hospital.
- A presentation of the Beacon Award will be made during Hospital Week on Monday, May 10, 2010 at a reception to honor the recipient(s).

Please submit a letter that includes such details as

- the name, address & phone number of the individual or group to be recognized
- an explanation of what this person or this group has done to improve the health status of people in this community.
- what role this person or group has in the effort;
- specifically what group has been served;
- how health/wellness/safety status of that group has improved;
- how long or often this effort has been made
- any other details that would be pertinent
- name and contact information of the person making the nomination in the event additional information is needed.