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Tickets: \$45.00 each Cocktails: 5:30 p.m. Supper: 6:30 p.m.

Presentation and Awards: 7:30 p.m. Featured Entertainment: 8:30 p.m.





Tazz is a father and a comedian from Winnipeg who believes that the best way to deal with mental illness is to put on a positive face. For the last seven years he has run a comedy benefit for the Mood Disorders Association of Manitoba, which has grown to include over 1,200 guests. Tazz enjoys making people laugh, and loves working with children. On stage, "Big Daddy Tazz, The Bipolar Buddha" shows his willingness to identify and embrace his illness, bipolar disorder. With loving support from his son, Tazz uses comedy and laughter to combat the stigma associated with mental illnesses. Tazz's

ability to share his experiences with candor and just the right amount of humour provides insight for people on the impact bipolar disorder can have on individuals and their families. Big Daddy Tazz shares his story through comedy to make a difference for people living with mental illness. As Tazz says, "It's time to give stigma a bad name." Recovery is Possible









# 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual



## **Champions of Mental Health Awards**



### **Nomination Form**

#### **Description:**

The North Battleford Branch of the Registered Psychiatric Nurses Association of Saskatchewan is hosting their 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Awards Banquet and is looking for individuals/ organizations within the Battlefords area that have made a positive impact to individuals suffering from a Mental Illness.

#### Categories

An Individual/ organization may be nominated in one of 4 categories:

- 1. Two (2) awards will be awarded to any Mental Health Staff within the Battleford area who have made a positive impact in a individuals life that has suffered from a Mental Illness.
- 2. One (1) award will be awarded to a Community Based Mental Health Organization who provides services to Mental Health clients.
- 3. One (1) award will be awarded to a Supportive Employer who hires individuals with Mental Illness.
- 4. One (1) award will be awarded to a Volunteer/ Volunteer Organization that provides services to make a positive impact on individuals with Mental Illness.

#### **Nomination Application**

Tell us about the nominee.

How are they an inspirational role model? How have they demonstrated excellence in the area of Mental Health? How have they improved the quality of life for others?

#### Please type or print legibly. Information on Nominee: Organization (if any): Category (required): (Choose 1, 2, 3 or 4 from Category list above) Address, City, Province and Postal Code: Telephone number where nominee may be reached: E-mail address: Nomination submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Organization (if any): \_\_\_\_\_ Your Name: Address, City, Province and Postal Code: Telephone number: E-mail address: **Deadline for Nominations:** April 10, 2011

Please mail all completed nominations to Darcy McIntyre c/o RPNAS Box 2034 Battleford, SK S0M 0E0