

## PARTNERSHIP FOR TB CARE AND CONTROL IN INDIA

CALL FOR APPLICATION FOR TB CHAMPION AWARD (INDIVIDUAL)

Tuberculosis is one of India's greatest public health challenges. India has the highest burden of TB in the world, accounting for one-fourth of the global incidence – 2.3 million cases annually. There are countless efforts and actions taken by many organizations and individuals to fight TB and empower affected communities across the country, but these often go unrecognized and TB occupies a limited space in the public imagination.

The Partnership for TB Care and Control is pleased to announce an annual award for TB Champions in India to recognise and honour the achievements of individuals as well as organizations committed to working on critical issues around TB in India.

The first call for applications and nominations for the TB Champion Award (Individual) is issued by The Partnership for TB Care and Control in India to recognize the extraordinary efforts of individuals working for tuberculosis care and control in India.

**A cash prize of 50,000 INR** will be awarded to the winner of TB Champion Award (Individual) of the year in recognition of their significant contributions in combating TB.

**Applications and nominations are both welcome** in this category, which is open to selection of any Indian citizen working for TB Care and Control in India. All applications and nominations will be screened and reviewed by the selection committee.

The winner of The Partnership Award for TB Champion (Individual) will be announced at the 4<sup>th</sup> National Consultative Meeting of the Partnership in January 2013 at New Delhi, India.

**The last date** for receiving applications/nominations is 30 November 2012.

**Application and Nomination forms** are available on the website <a href="https://www.tbpartnershipindia.org">www.tbpartnershipindia.org</a>

Sincerely,

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