# The Coulombe Center Award for Innovation

The Coulombe Center for Health Improvement's Mission: The Coulombe Center for Health Improvement acts as a catalyst for action within the community by building relationships and working collaboratively with others to enhance assets in the region and fill gaps, as appropriate, linking people, organizations and resources, but not duplicate efforts in the community.

**The Coulombe Center Award for Innovation** was created in 2018 to highlight community partner organizations who are doing innovative work within the LincolnHealth service area. The selected organizations provide services or perform activities that align with the mission of the Coulombe Center for Health Improvement and look to improve the health of those living and working in Lincoln County. The goal of the award is to build capacity in the community and to further develop innovative programs that already exist locally.

# **Award Guidelines and Eligibility**

- Nominees may not be self-nominated.
- All nomination forms must be complete.
- Nomination forms should include up to two letters of recommendation from organizational partners or clients/families served.
- Nominees must be working within the LincolnHealth service area.
- Nominees must be non-profit organizations.

### **Nominations**

Nominations will be completed and submitted to the Coulombe Center by April 15. A panel of volunteers made up of LincolnHealth Leadership, Community Committees representatives, and CCHI staff will review nominations and select an awardee each spring.

### The Award

Award winners will be honored at a recognition event in the spring and will receive a framed document recognizing their efforts and funds to help further develop their program.



The Coulombe Center Innovation Award Winner2021: Coastal Kids Preschool, with Paul Coulombe, Funder and Anni Pat McKenney, Director of Coulombe Center



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Date:	
Nominee (Please name Non-Profit organization and leader of organization):	
Person Nominating:	
Your Title & Organization:	

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### Materials to be Submitted

- 1. Completed nomination form.
- 2. A 500 word or less description of how the nominee's work stands out, brings new ideas or programming to the local community, or acts as a model for others. Please describe the impact the nominee has on the community, including the number of people the program serves. Also include how the award winner might utilize funding if selected.
- 3. Up to two letters of recommendation (500 words or less) from organizational partners or clients/families served.

Please submit completed materials to the Coulombe Center for Health Improvement by April 15. Materials may be mailed to:
The Coulombe Center for Health Improvement, 6 St. Andrews Lane, Boothbay Harbor, ME 04538 or via email to AnniPat.McKenney@MaineHealth.org.

