2015 NOMINATION FORM

APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY:

Name: _______________________________________________________________  Organization: __________________________________________________________

Phone:  ______________________________________________________________  Email:  ________________________________________________________________

CPST OF THE YEAR NOMINEE:

Name: _______________________________________________________________  Organization: __________________________________________________________

Phone:  ______________________________________________________________  Email:  ________________________________________________________________

Tech #: _______________________________________________________________

To the best of your knowledge, please answer the questions below about the person you are nominating.

1. How many years has the nominee been involved with CPS?
   a. Less than one year  b. 1-3 years  c. 4-6 years  d. 7-9 years  e. 10 years or more

2. Please indicate which programs the nominee is actively involved with. (Select all that apply)
   a. Safe Kids  b. Permanent fitting station  c. Car seat events
   d. Training/education outside of seat checks  e. Other - please specify below

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3. In your opinion, why is this person the Michigan CPST of the Year? (Please include all relevant information including accomplishments, program participation, awards, etc.) If needed, please use up to two additional pages.

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INSTRUCTIONS

Please submit any supporting documentation, including photos, news articles, or other materials with the nomination form. Nominations must be submitted by November 30, 2015, to Alyson Kechakyo, Occupant Protection Coordinator with OHSP, at kechkayloa@michigan.gov. A confirmation email will be provided when the nomination is received.

All identifying details will be removed when nominations are reviewed. Only currently certified CPSTs may be nominated. CPS instructors are not eligible for nomination. Anyone may submit a nomination.
Michigan Child Passenger Safety Technician of the Year

The Michigan Office of Highway Safety Planning (OHSP) is pleased to announce the Child Passenger Safety Technician of the Year Award. Each year, OHSP recognizes a Child Passenger Safety Technician (CPST) for his or her outstanding contributions to ensuring children are transported safely in the correct car seat.

Nominated individuals should be:

- certified as a CPST
- committed to providing training and support to parents and caregivers
- devoted to the focus and mission of CPS programs in the state and serve as an example to other CPSTs

AWARDS

The 2015 CPST of the Year will receive a scholarship to attend the 2016 Kidz in Motion Conference. The scholarship will include registration costs, ground travel, hotel, and meal reimbursement.

Four additional nominees will be selected to receive their Safe Kids recertification fee paid for one, two-year cycle, as well as a scholarship (registration only) to attend the Michigan CPS Conference, May 25-26, 2016.

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