

A reminder that nominations for Cynthia Gayles Human Relations Grant are due by February 15th.

Objectives of the Cynthia Gayles Human Relations Award Recipient program:

1. To reward those high school counselors who have made professional contributions to their students and community
2. To enhance the diversity of RMACAC and NACAC
3. To recruit new colleagues to this professional organization

The Cynthia Gayles Human Relations Committee is again offering **five grants to high school counselors** to attend this year's spring RMACAC conference. One counselor from each of our member states will be selected to attend. This grant is targeted towards high school counselors who represent minority groups and/or work with underrepresented populations, and who are non-members or are relatively new RMACAC members.

The RMACAC Cynthia Gayles Human Relations Grant will cover

1. Spring conference registration fee
2. Travel expenses to and from the conference
3. Lodging rates for one-half of a double occupancy room (if requesting a single room, the recipient will be responsible for the additional costs)
4. Meals at a daily rate of \$34.00/day
5. 1-year membership in RMACAC

Following the spring regional conference, one Cynthia Gayles Human Relations Award recipient will be selected to attend the fall NACAC conference in St. Louis, MO from September 30th-October 2nd. Once again, the conference registration fee, travel expenses to and from the conference, lodging and meals will be covered.

Counselors may nominate themselves as well as their colleagues. Please feel free to forward this information to any other school, counselor, college, etc. you think might be interested in nominating someone.

Nomination forms should be fully completed and returned to Carlos Jimenez no later than February 15th 2010. Nomination form and submission instructions can be found at:
http://www.rmacac.org/downloads/cg_hr_awardapp.pdf