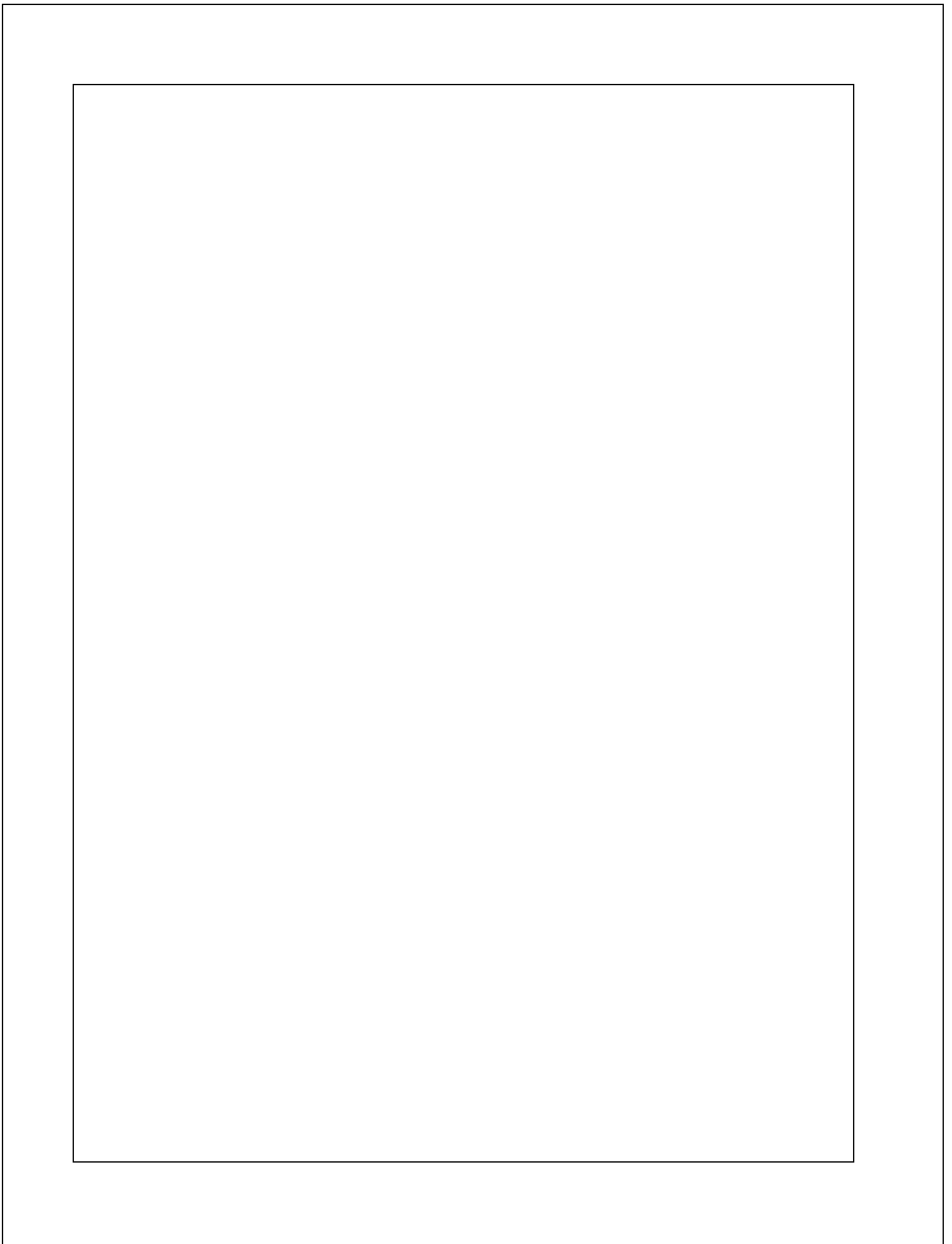




## Nomination Form

<b>Full Name of Nominee</b>	<b>Rank (If applicable)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Agency</b>
<b>Years of Service</b>	<b>Date of CIT Graduation</b>	<b>Direct Supervisor</b>	<b>Supervisor Contact Number</b>
<b>Person making nomination</b>		<b>Contact number of nominator</b>	
<i>Please select the proper category for the listed nominee below</i>			
Virginia CIT Law Enforcement Officer of the Year	Virginia CIT Correctional Officer of the Year	Virginia CIT Communications Officer of the Year	Virginia CIT Behavioral Health Provider of the Year
Virginia CIT Program of the Year	Virginia CIT Coordinator of the Year	Virginia CIT Lambert/Ratcliffe Trainer of the Year Award	Virginia CIT Peer of the Year

Please refer to the VACIT award categories and their descriptions on page 3



**Virginia CIT Law Enforcement Officer of the Year:** An award for outstanding achievement as a CIT-trained law enforcement official in Virginia and for embodying the CIT mindset in all aspects of his or her job. May be recognized for a single event that exemplifies the use of their CIT skills or for multiple events that highlight their outstanding dedication to the CIT program, CIT services and advancing its success.

**Virginia CIT Correctional Officer of the Year:** An award for outstanding achievements as a CIT-trained corrections officer in Virginia and for embodying the CIT mindset in all aspects of his or her job. May be recognized for a single event that exemplifies the use of their CIT skills or for multiple events that highlight their outstanding dedication to the CIT program, CIT services and advancing its success.

**Virginia CIT Program of the Year:** This award celebrates a Virginia CIT program that upholds a strong commitment to developing and nurturing a strong CIT program. Nominee must be a developing or operational CIT program in Virginia that is able to demonstrate strong community partnerships and support. Nomination should demonstrate numerous successes and accomplishments and be a positive example for other CIT programs.

**Virginia CIT Coordinator of the Year:** This award acknowledges a Virginia CIT Coordinator whose exemplary leadership in the community makes their CIT program a success and model for other communities. Nominee should demonstrate their leadership in organizing their CIT program, ensuring community support and participation, and using their leadership abilities to help grow and sustain CIT as a community program. Must be a Coordinator for a developing or operational Virginia CIT Program.

**Virginia CIT Communications Officer of the Year:** An award for outstanding achievement as a CIT-trained Communications Officer in Virginia and for embodying the CIT mindset in all aspects of his or her job. May be recognized for a single event that exemplifies the use of their CIT skills or for multiple events that highlight their outstanding dedication to the CIT program, CIT services and advancing its success.

**Virginia CIT Lambert/Ratcliffe Trainer of the Year Award:** This award recognizes an individual who has demonstrated outstanding CIT skills and an exceptional ability to train and convey the core objectives of CIT.

**Virginia CIT Behavioral Health Provider of the Year:** This award recognizes a behavioral health provider whose dedication and active membership in a Virginia CIT program has greatly enhanced the program's success. This person demonstrates ongoing commitment and active involvement with CIT community partnerships and works to improve access to services within their own system or with the community mental health system.

**Virginia CIT Peer of the Year:** This award honors a dedicated and active peer from a Virginia CIT program whose contributions have greatly enhanced the program's success. Nomination should demonstrate the individual's active involvement with CIT as a community program, such as promoting, planning, participating in training, assisting with implementation, and/or involvement in assessment site service provision.

**Thank you for your nomination,**