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Spirit of Service Nominations Open

All Asante employees who have volunteered at least one hour of service with an eligible agency between Oct. 1 and Dec. 31 can register for prize drawings in the quarterly Spirit of Service Awards program.



Those who have volunteered during their free time can [submit their participation forms](#) no later than Jan. 15 to take part in the current quarter's Spirit of Service drawings. Random drawings are held at the end of each quarter, and six program participants and one first-time participant receive 12,500 points each [from PointRecognition.com](#).

Asante employees contributed more than 13,800 hours in service to qualifying organizations in 2014. For those seeking a place to volunteer, P. Annie's Secret Garden is looking for people to help with various activities. The agency serves both Jackson and Josephine county residents by giving away boxes of locally grown fruits and vegetables to veterans, the disabled, college students, seniors and

low income families.

The Spirit of Service volunteer program encourages and rewards employees who participate in volunteer activities by offering both quarterly and annual awards. Volunteer service qualifies for the program if it's done for a local school, church, police or fire department, ambulance service, city council or a 501(C)(3) nonprofit agency in an Asante service area. Active employees are eligible if they have volunteered at least one hour in the current quarter.

Two annual grand prizes are awarded in a drawing from all forms submitted during the year – one for Jackson County and one for Josephine County.

More information about the Spirit of Service program is available on [HR Central's Recognition/Communication tab](#) on MyAsanteNET.