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It is easy to submit a nomination. Just fill out a nomination form available by contacting Eileen Fisher, associate director of I-CASH, at (319) 335-4224, eileen-fisher@uiowa.edu, or at www.public-health.uiowa.edu/icash. Then, write a brief letter telling why the nominee deserves the award and get two other people to write letters of support. Additional supporting materials, such as newspaper articles, newsletters, program curriculum, and materials the nominee has created, also may be submitted.

The judging panel will be a group of health and agricultural leaders with expertise in agricultural safety and health issues particular to Iowa.

I-CASH is headquartered at The University of Iowa College of Public Health and is a joint venture of The University of Iowa, Iowa State University, the Iowa Department of Public Health, and the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship. The I-CASH motto is “Helping Farmers Stay Alive and Well.”

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Nominations requested for I-CASH Hall of Fame Award
May 8, 2006
I-CASH Agricultural Youth Injury Prevention grant recipients for 2006
April 17, 2006