

Remembering Judi Chamberlin



Judi Chamberlin was one of the “founding mothers” of the consumer/survivor movement when it emerged in the early 1970s. She was the author of *On Our Own: Patient-Controlled Alternatives to the Mental Health System*, originally published in 1978, a seminal work outlining the values and principles of the movement. She was a co-founder of the National Empowerment Center and the National Coalition of mental Health Consumer/Survivor Organizations (NCMHCSO). She served on numerous mental health boards and committees; and was a keynote speaker at many conferences and meetings around the world. In

1992, Judi received the Distinguished Service Award of the President of the United States from the President’s Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities, and the David J. Vail National Advocacy Award from the Mental Health Association of Minnesota. In 1995, she was the recipient of the N. Neal Pike Prize for Services to People with Disabilities, from the Boston University School of Law. In March 2010, she posthumously received the Coakley Award from the American Academy of Mental Health Administrators.

A permanent virtual memorial to Judi is found at <http://www.judi-chamberlin.virtualmemorials.com>

The Documentary Project

A five-minute trailer for a planned documentary on the consumer/survivor movement, featuring highlights from Judi’s life and public talks, is available at www.ncmhr.org. We appreciate your contribution to this important documentary project, which will be the first to showcase the 40-year history of our civil rights movement. For more information or to donate, please visit www.ncmhr.org.

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