



# Head-to-Toe Fashion Show

WOMEN LIVING CONFERENCE

NOVEMBER 10, 2007

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CHICAGO

The Head-To-Toe Fashion Show will recognize women living with HIV/AIDS by featuring significant life achievements at the upcoming Women Living Conference. Each woman highlighted will receive a makeover to acknowledge women who have overcome barriers in their lives and are living with HIV/AIDS!

**We are looking for HIV+ women, trans-women, and HIV+ female youth within the Chicago area that incorporate some or all of the following in their life:**

- **Vision and values**
- **HIV advocacy**
- **Community service**
- **Savvy and persistence**
- **Personal qualities (passion, humor, strength of character, creativity, or sensitivity for the overall human condition)**

For each participant, a showcase of the woman's success stories and accomplishments will be revealed as a beauty team performs makeovers.

If you know of someone with these qualities, we invite you to nominate them for Head-to-Toe, by submitting the attached interview and consent forms and returning it to Barb Marcotte at TPAN no later than **October 1, 2007**.

All submitted nominees will be video and/or photo interviewed and a committee will identify 4 finalists who will be invited to participate. During the final showcase at the conference, "before and after" presentations will be staged with video and/or photo testimonies and a final in person "make-over" reveal immediately following.

Questions? Comments? Suggestions?

Contact: Barb Marcotte at Test Positive Aware Network

773-989-9400

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## HEAD-TO-TOE FASHION SHOW NOMINATION FORM

**To nominate someone you must:**

- Use the following form to interview the nominee about their life
- Fax/E-mail/Send nomination and signed consent form by October 1, 2007 to:

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 TPAN  
 5537 N. Broadway  
 Chicago IL 60640  
 773-989-9400  
 Fax: 773-989-9494  
[b.marcotte@tpan.com](mailto:b.marcotte@tpan.com)

### Rules for Nomination

**Nominees must:**

- Be HIV positive
- Not nominate themselves
- Currently identify as female (but don't have to be born a female)
- Exemplify some of the following: Vision and values, HIV advocacy, community service, savvy and persistence, exemplary personal qualities
- Be aware that if chosen, nominee will be highlighted in a public conference and their likeness may be used in conjunction with their story. (Attached release must be signed for consideration.)
- Not been a Head-to-Toe Fashion Show winning contestant previously

### Nominator Information

Name:	Phone:
Address:	E-mail:

### Nominee Information

Name:	Phone:
Address:	E-mail:
Age:	HIV status <input type="checkbox"/> HIV Positive not AIDS <input type="checkbox"/> HIV Positive (AIDS status unknown) <input type="checkbox"/> CDC Defined AIDS



Gender at birth: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Date diagnosed with HIV:
<b>Please ask the nominee the following questions, and jot down their answers. Feel free to add extra sheets of paper, or expand the spaces if needed.</b>	
1. When did the nominee discover their status? Describe their thoughts and feelings.	
2. Tell a story about when the nominee overcame an HIV-related hardship.	
3. Describe how the nominee is inspiring you or others.	
4. Describe how the nominee advocates for HIV causes.	
5. Describe a conversation that the nominee would have with someone who knows nothing about HIV-related issues.	



6. Nominator, explain in your personal opinion why this woman is an inspiration to the HIV+ community.

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Release of Information Authorization  
TALENT RELEASE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Production Title: Women Living Conference, Head-2-Toe Fashion Show

I hereby give Test Positive Aware Network (TPAN) absolute and irrevocable right and permission to make and use the video and/or photo images and audio recordings of me for the sole purpose of the Head-2-Toe Fashion Show during Women Living Conferences. I understand that this conference will be open to the public. Further, I understand that both my complete likeness will be associated with HIV/AIDS subject matter. I understand that my **HIV-positive status and life experience will be exposed** to all present during the entire conference and scheduled programs.

I hereby release and discharge Test Positive Aware Network (TPAN) from any and all claims, and demands arising out of or in connection with the use of the **above-described images and recordings**.

I understand that my refusal to authorize the release of information above will prevent disclosure and **accordingly, will preclude me from participating** in the Head-2-Toe Fashion show.

**I am signing this Release of Information Authorization knowingly and voluntarily, having read it carefully. I have not been subjected to any force, coercion, duress or fraud in signing this Authorization, but rather am doing it of my own free will.**

Talent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent / Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_