

**CP of NYS Annual Award Recipient**

**ANTHONY J. KOENIG VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD**



**Jeffrey W. Baker – CP Rochester**

Jeffrey Baker has been a tireless volunteer and valuable member of the Boards of Directors of CP Rochester, Happiness House and Rochester Rehabilitation during a very challenging period. He has been a member of the CP Rochester board for 30 years. Mr. Baker is currently the board chairman for all three agencies, as well as serving on the Board of the Golisano Autism Center.

In addition to his work with the boards, Mr. Baker has been a volunteer with the CP Rochester children's swimming program for 30 years and still spends most Monday mornings in the pool. He has made supporting the swim program a family affair encouraging his children and then his grandchildren to volunteer as well.

Mr. Baker has helped lead the boards of all three agencies in a re-evaluation of their business procedures resulting in increased efficiencies, significant savings in administrative costs and improved benefits for the 6,600 individuals and families served by the organizations.

Mr. Baker has been a major influence in creating a collaborative effort between CP Rochester, Rochester Rehabilitation and Happiness House that has resulted in creating increased opportunities for thousands of individuals and families in the region.