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CMC Employees Honored

Carlsbad Medical Center recently honored 49 employees for their service at the company's employee awards banquet.

Angela Wickes, Respiratory Care Practitioner, was named 2010 Carlsbad Medical Center Employee of the Year for her outstanding patient care, work ethic and generosity. Clint Kendall, Director of Acute Services, was honored as the 2010 Clinical Director of the Year. Pat Dunbar Venegas, Executive Director of Revenue Cycle, was honored as the 2010 Non-Clinical Director of the Year.

The following CMC and Pecos Valley of New Mexico employees were recognized for five years of service: Connie Tiller; Tara Cummings; Tamar Daugherty; Brian Smith; Melissa Carter; Matilda Lindstrom; Rachel Bindel; Rayma Bryant; Chris Barrick; Shanna Griffith; Elliot Marcus, M.D.; Richard Macias; Veronica Villa; Candy Vigil; Brenda Garcia; Gene Luna; Joe Stockton; Kris Ann Smith; Jennifer Martinez; Jinny Frith; Anjeanette Bartels; Tanessa Colorado; Alma Crabb; Bianca Duran; Lisa Granger; Michael Cole; and Robert Pendrak, M.D.

The following employees were recognized for 10 years of service: Graciela Hernandez; Arturo Munoz; Rosie Munoz; Reagan Leyva; Armando Carrillo; Janet Hodgson; Martha Garza; Deborah Janes; and Shelley McComb.

Honored for 15 years of service were: Jan Menoud; Linda Morrow; Connie Willis; and Dora Carrasco.

Twenty-year awards were presented to: Joe Moore; Karon Finical and Voncile King.

Eusebia Armendariz, Dietary Services Cook and Elizabeth Madison, Certified Nurse Practitioner, Cardiovascular Associates of Carlsbad, were honored for 25 years of service.

A special award was presented to Chief Nursing Officer Carol Welch, in honor of her retirement after 34 years of dedicated service.

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About Carlsbad Medical Center

Carlsbad Medical Center is a full-service 115-bed community hospital. Since 2004, CMC has reinvested a total of \$35 million in improvements and expansions, including a new Outpatient Diagnostic Center, upgraded diagnostic imaging equipment, an expanded Intensive Care Unit, and an upgraded and expanded Emergency Department. A \$15 million renovation project was completed in January 2011, resulting in additional operating rooms, a new inpatient laboratory, a renovated Women's Services Unit, and a remodeled front entrance and lobby.