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Med Staff Award Nominations

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We are pleased to invite you to submit nominations for our annual Medical Staff Awards to be announced at our upcoming Medical Staff Dinner Meeting on Wednesday, October 17. As you may recall, we awarded the inaugural Marjorie A. Boyd, MD, Award in 2015, the inaugural George L. "Bud" Higgins III, MD, award in 2016 and the inaugural Michael G. Tranfaglia, PA-C, award last year in 2017.

For your reference, the description of each award appears below. You may nominate an individual for each award. Make sure to:

- Indicate which award you are submitting the nomination for.
- Provide a *description* of the nominee's attributions, skills and contributions which exemplify the spirit of the award
- Submit your nominations for *each* award no later than **Wednesday**, **October 3**, at midnight.

The award recipients will be announced at the dinner October 17.

The Marjorie A. Boyd, MD, Award

The awardee embodies a clinician who truly puts patients first in all ways; provides care rooted in humanism; abides by the highest ethical standards; cares for and about colleagues and trainees; and demonstrates enduring service and commitment to the larger community.

Previous Recipients:

- Vincent N. Oliviero, MD (2015)
- Ann Marie E. Lemire, MD (2016)
- Charles Belisle, MD (2017)

The George L. Higgins III, MD, Award

The award winner is a superior clinician, who is also widely recognized for both dedication to and superlative abilities as an educator.

Previous Recipients:

- Virginia A. Eddy, MD (2016)
- Marc Jacquet, MD (2017)

The Michael G Tranfaglia, PA-C, Exemplary Advanced Practice Provider Award The award winner is a compassionate and dedicated Advanced Practice Provider, well-known for superb clinical and professional skills.

Previous Recipient:

• Jonathan Bradstreet, CRNA (2017)