

Patient Services Newsletter

5th Edition

Caring with Purpose, Serving with Passion

September 30, 2025

A Special Message from Vicki Dodson, SVP of Patient Services



The Power of Purpose with Passion



We are excited to announce that we had an amazing third quarter because of the hard work of those of you in our centers delivering the care to our patients each day!

Our quality metrics are one thing used to determine our highest achievers each year at our annual patient care conference. This year, we embraced the inspiring theme, "The Power of Purpose with Passion." NHC is committed to recognizing and providing purpose not only to our patients and residents, but to our partners as well! This conference not only celebrated our shared commitment to outstanding patient care but also set the stage for honoring those who exemplify this spirit every day. Please see page 9 for our big three winners!

As part of our ongoing dedication to recognizing excellence, we also held special events across the South Central, Metro Nashville, and Missouri regions to celebrate our Certified Nursing Assistants. Each celebration culminated in the prestigious naming of a Regional CNA of the Year, underscoring the remarkable impact these professionals have on our patients, other partners, the communities, and the lives they touch each day.

On August 13, 2025, **Metro Nashville Region** held their Annual CNA Banquet at Dave and Buster's in Nashville, TN for a fun day of gaming and honor! **Michelle Craft** from **NHC Sumner** was selected as the **Metro Nashville Region 2025 CNA of the Year**.

On August 14, 2025, **South Central Region** held their CNA Day celebration at King B. Farm in Ardmore, TN. The day embraced a fun and engaging "Casino Shenanigan's" themed decorations, gaming and attire, creating an exciting and festive atmosphere for all attendees. **Nikki Mayhew** from **NHC Pulaski** was selected as the **South Central Region 2025 CNA of the Year**.

On October 8, 2025, **NHC Missouri Region** held their 31st Annual CNA Banquet honoring "The Champions of Patient Care – CNA". The event was held at Piazza Messina in St. Louis and the participants enjoyed educational booths, crafting, massages, photo booths, breakfast and banquet luncheon. NHC CEO Dr. Steve Flatt was the keynote speaker. **Madison Thebeau** from **NHC Desloge** was selected as the **Missouri Region 2025 CNA of the Year.**

Congratulations to Michelle, Nikki, & Madison!



A special message continued from Vicki Dodson, Senior Vice President of Patient Services

Congratulations to Michelle Craft of NHC Sumner for being selected Metro Nashville Region 2025 CNA of the Year, and to all the Metro Nashville Region Nominees!

NHC Cool Springs

HC
Kendall Alderson
Agatha Bolivar
Kimberly Embody
Dominique McDugald

AL Rachel Jones Martae Jeffries Ebonee Watkins

NHC Franklin

LaMesha Nunn Alexis Prayer **Anna Stanford** Sheila Starnes

NHC Glasgow

Sandi Bailey
Barbara Branstetter
Carlowin Chinamo
Faith Frodge
Brandy Perkins
Katie Whitlow
Emily White

NHC Heartland

Colya Billops Maria Rainey Kinisha Rouse

NHC Hendersonville

Savannah All Isreya Osborne **Shanna Troutt** Tisha Miller

Our CNAs put

their hearts

into everything they do!





<u>From Left to Right</u>: NHC Sumner DON Catina Ross, Metro Nashville Region 2025 CNA of the Year – Michelle Craft, NHC Sumner Administrator Cory Wamble

NHC Sumner

<u>HC</u> Michelle Craft

Julie Dollar Tanya Miller Tounee Whitehead

AL Samira Begum Carlla Bebee



Lakeshore Meadows

Tierra Anderson Debra Bland **Hannah Jacques** Charlotte Womack Darria Vincent

NHC Place at the Trace

<u>HC</u>
Madison Beard
Kailynn Beshears
Courtney Thomas
Jeanette Timbrook

<u>AL</u> Megan Heath Kelli Anderson

Richland Place

Ty Kidder Shanette Mack Sandra Morrow Albertina Perks Brenda Slaughter Yalanda Speed Trina Reed

NHC Springfield

Pam Baker **Janice Garrison** Zerna Reynolds Pavielle Smith

West Meade Place Anthony Hill

Starla McNeil Brittany Pannell Paula Polo Brittany Reid





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Congratulations to Nikki Mayhew of NHC Pulaski for being **selected South Central Region 2025 CNA of the Year,** and to all the South Central Region Nominees!

NHC Anniston Angela Quintero

Samara Dawson Jamal Johnson Sharee Thompson

NHC Columbia

Cadence McKennon Hailey Brewer Randall Bryant William Jackson Tina Whitaker

NHC Dickson Tatiana Butts

Wakeena Campbell David Clark Cory Davidson Delaney Rodriguez Sandra Saunders Serafina Tomlinson Mallory Vineyard Katlin White Laura Wicks

NHC Lawrenceburg **Crystal Cash**

Karley Brown Heather Hines Jessica Russell Ivy Thigpen

NHC Lewisburg

Lloyd Dorman Jocy Gunnel Chandra Hall





South Central Region 2025 CNA of the Year Nikki Mayhew from NHC Pulaski





NHC Pulaski Nikki Mavhew

Addison Jones Hannah Kuehnhold McKimmy Lane Jessica Scott



NHC Maury Ashlev Ruiz

Julie Daniels Aaliayah Pillow Calleigh Stewart

NHC Milan Wendy Boyd

Linda Dollar Esther Ewell Tammy Farrell Alma Frazier

NHC Moulton Charlotte McCluskey

Evelyn Cottingham Yolanda Echols Olivia Lampkin Connor Reed Felecia Warren Bridget Williams Kelley Williams

NHC Oakwood Tammika King

Brittani Jones Sandi Mills Peggy Seff

NHC Scott Lydia Bowling

Angel Jakob Tiffany Ubben

NHC Somerville Denise Baskerville

Deanna Cannon Jessica Markle April Worles Sandra Perry Gloria Walker





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Congratulations to Madison Thebeau of NHC Desloge for being selected Missouri Region 2025 CNA of the Year, and to all the Missouri Region Nominees!

NHC Joplin Tristan Elsten Briana Estrada Althea Jones



NHC Osage Beach Rishe Garrett Sonja Musser Wanda Smith Gloria Trummell

NHC St. Charles

Elizabeth Umfleet **Dashia Wilson**

NHC Kennett
Hayley Brown
Kayla Gibson
Karry Hampton
Carissa Oliver

Lake St. Charles
Shelia Coats
Clara Delaney

NHC Macon
Penny Danner
Amanda Schomaker
Leann Seiger
Sarah Stanfield

Springfield Rehab & HC Ctr TuTu Carston

NHC St. Peters MC

Belinda Thompson

Joey Zarro

Victor Chesang Shea Farmer Jourdan Goff Bailey Jones Klaas Knibbe

NHC West Plains Grace Burnett

NHC Maryland Heights
Angela Caves
Laneisha Cobbs

Laneisha Cobbs
Kayin Jones
Lakenya Lewis
Debbie Liggins
Mary Melau
Taneshia Moffit
Jackie Mooring
Winnie Nanago
Michelle Perry
Ricjeana Washington
Janitta Williams

NHC Desloge Administrator David Moody & Missouri Region 2025 CNA of the Year Madison Thebeau from NHC Desloge

> NHC Desloge Samantha Hastings Madison Thebeau





Our CNAs respect your privacy, dignity, & confidentiality!



Highlights from our 2025 Patient Care Conference Fort Worth, Texas





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Keynote Speaker
Ditching the Drama &
Calling Teams to Greatness
Alex Dorr





Banquet Night at Patient Care Conference

















Rick Sellars, Retiree

Rick began his career with NHC in 1979 as an Administrator-in-Training at NHC Johnson City. He went on to serve as Administrator at NHC Somerville and NHC Ft. Sanders in Knoxville before dedicating 26 years as Administrator at NHC Greenwood.

In 2019, Rick transitioned into the role of Assistant Vice President, overseeing all of NHC's Assisted and Independent Living operations. In this position, he played a key role in aligning Assisted Living with enhanced reporting and programming initiatives and was instrumental in the implementation of The Mindful Way, a new memory care program.

Rick also brought his creativity and enthusiasm to company projects, lending his acting talents to The Promise Screener Video for The Better Way and even portraying "Hans" in a Saturday Night Live–style skit focused on fall prevention.

Throughout his remarkable 45-year career with NHC, Rick has been a mentor, leader, and source of inspiration to countless partners across the company. We are deeply grateful for his dedication, his many contributions, and his unwavering commitment to NHC.

Greg Bidwell, Retiree

Greg literally "grew up" with NHC with his first job during high school at NHC HealthCare Glasgow. Following his achievement of a nursing degree at Western Kentucky University, Greg entered the NHC Administrator-in-Training (AIT) Program in 1985 and ultimately served several locations as an administrator before moving into his current role as Senior Vice President of the Central Region.

Throughout his 40+ years at NHC, Greg has had incalculable impact as a mentor and an been an inspiration to his fellow Regional VPs, his regional team, and countless administrators and partners across NHC.





Banquet Night at Patient Care Conference



Celebrating Dedicated Partners

15 Years of Service



<u>Left to right</u>: Presenter Mike Ussery, Tami Galik, Ashleigh Orellana, Dawn Perrone,

20 Years of Service



<u>Left to right</u>: Presenter Mike Ussery, Wendie Follmar, Laura Brown, Paul Saylor, Steve Flatt

25 Years of Service



<u>Left to right</u>: Presenter Mike Ussery, Alexandria Cummings, Tange Williams, Renee Smith, Susan VanWey, Presenter Steve Flatt

30 Years of Service



<u>Left to right</u>: Presenter Mike Ussery, Edwin Lopez, Allison Burwin, Christy Beard, Melissa Wallingsford, Jodi Crawford, Presenter Steve Flatt

40 Years of Service



<u>Left to right</u>: Presenter Mike Ussery, Vicki Dodson, Greg Bidwell, Presenter Steve Flatt

45 Years of Service



<u>Left to right</u>: Presenter Mike Ussery, Rick Sellars, Mel Rector, Presenter Steve Flatt



Banquet Night at Patient Care Conference

The "Big Three" Awards





2024 Director of Nursing, Dustin Boggs NHC Clinton

Vicki Dodson, SVP Patient Services, says, "Congratulations to Dustin Boggs, our 2024 DON of the Year! Dustin, along with his team at NHC Clinton, understand that it takes commitment to achieving effective systems with accountability in order to deliver the highest quality patient care and to improve each day. Dustin was a finalist in all 5 of our key awards this year and NHC Clinton was the winner of our Honor Club Award for the most effective Nursing Program! Congratulations!



2024 Director of Rehabilitation, Ashleigh Orellana NHC Tullahoma

Kami Horsman, AVP Rehab, says, "Ashleigh Orellana has been honored with the 2024 DOR of the Year award! Ashleigh's unwavering commitment and leadership have consistently propelled their team to excellence, culminating in outstanding achievements for 2024. Known for her exceptional dedication to patient and partner well-being, Ashleigh's influence is profoundly felt in the superior quality of care delivered at NHC Tullahoma. Congratulations, Ashleigh, for setting a shining example of excellence and compassion!"



2024 HomeCare of the Year, Vero Beach Lisa Archer, Administrator

Sabrina Gann, VP HomeCare, says, "Well done to our team at Vero Beach Homecare, led by their leader, Lisa Archer. It is truly the mission, the vision, and the values that each of you live and bring to the bedside that makes Vero Beach the Best in Class. We honor and salute each partner for their commitment and dedication to the patients we serve."