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Health Care Heroes Awards 2011



November 10, 2011 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. Crest Hollow Country Club, Woodbury

Hero (her'o), n: 1. a person of distinguished courage or ability, admired for their brave deeds and noble qualities; 2. a person who, in the opinion of others, has heroic qualities or has performed an heroic act and is regarded as a model or ideal.



They come from all walks of life with singleness of purpose: to help, heal and even save lives. They work excruciating hours and manage a multitude of life-and-death details. They put others before themselves; see problems and solve them. You can't put a price tag on what health care professionals do. But you can say *Thank You*.

Join us as we show our appreciation and

Dr. Peter Bongiorno and Dr. Pina LoGiudice accept their award

recognize the 2011 Health Care Heroes:

Community Outreach Farmingdale College Student Nurse Outreach Program ~ *Jennifer Bryer, Chairperson Department of Nursing* Community Re-Entry Program ~ *St. Charles Hospital* The Ellen Hermanson Foundation Long Island Cancer Help and Wellness Center ~ *Alex Fezza, Executive Director* Healthy Sundays Program ~ *Luz Puello, Project Coordinator*

Complementary/Alternative Medicine

InnerSource Health ~ Peter Bongiorno and Pina Logiudice

Priestley Chiropractic ~ *Walter Priestley, Doctor of Chiropractic*

Health Care Facility Milestones in Home Care ~ *Kelly Duranti, RN, MSN and Denise Giovanniello, RN, BSN, Co-founders* Smithtown Center for Rehabilitation & Nursing Care ~ *Marsha Noren, Administrator* Angela's House ~ *Bob Policastro, Founder* South Nassau Home Health Care Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care and Rehabilitation ~ *Michael Rosenblut, President and CEO*

Health Care Professional Hero Ed Brennan ~ *East Meadow Fire Department* Vita Incantalupo ~ *Neuro-Clinical Social Worker, St. Charles Hospital* LuAnn Skolnik ~ *Licensed Clinical Social Worker* Jill Snelders ~ *Recreational Therapist, John T. Mather Memorial Hospital*

Hospital Award South Nassau Communities Hospital ~ *Joseph Quagliata, President & CEO* **Nurse Educator** Lucille Hughes ~ *Director/Diabetes Education, St. Joseph Hospital* Judie Lizewski ~ *Wound Care/Nursing Education, Peconic Bay Medical Center* Lisa Quinones ~ *Professor of Nursing, Suffolk County Community College* Stacy Wahl ~ *Nurse Educator/Critical Care, North Shore University Hospital-Manhasset* Sandra Zaera ~ *Clinical Educator, Winthrop University Hospital*

Nurse Hero Cecilia Hill ~ *Director, Infection Control, St. Charles Hospital* Kathryn Brennan ~ *Peri-Operative Supervisor, Good Samaritan Hospital* Diane Carlson ~ *Director of Nursing Support Services, Stony Brook University Medical Center* Shyni Charley

~ Assistant Nurse Manager, NuHealth-Nassau University Medical Center Margaret Connick ~ Staff Nurse, St. Catherine of Siena Medical Center Theresa Grimes ~ Associate VP/Nursing Services, John T. Mather Memorial Hospital Maria Vitsentzos ~ Palliative Care Nurse Champion, St. Francis Hospital **Physician Hero** Daniel Baram ~ Pulmonary/Critical Care, John T. Mather Memorial Hospital Kevin Bock ~ Pediatric Intensivist, Cohen Children's Medical Center Renee Clauselle ~ Child and Family Psychology Juan Goetz ~ Attending podiatrist, South Nassau Communities Hospital Lawrence Hurst, MD ~ Professor/Chairman, Department of Orthopaedics, Stony Brook University School of Medicine Luis Martinez ~ Professor, Long Island University-CW Post Campus Sumeer Sathi ~ Neurosurgeon, Long Island Neuroscience Specialists Michael Sauter ~ MD, St. Charles Hospital **Veterinary Hero** Central Veterinary Associates Nina Malik ~ Long Island Veterinary Acupuncture Dori Scofield ~ Save-A-Pet Animal Rescue and Adoption Center, Inc. **Volunteer Hero** Michael Focazio ~ John T. Mather Memorial Hospital Alison Oickle ~ St. Charles Hospital

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