

Seventh Annual Scripps Health Quality Award Recipients

GOLD AWARDS

Stroke CORE Measures: Scripps System-wide Process Improvement Initiative

Team Leader: Renee Richetts, RN

Physician Sponsor: Thomas J. Chippendale, MD

Team Members:

Katherine Afshar, RN

Chris Bajiewicz, RN

Lynn Berger, RN

Matthew Cantonis

Rebecca Cofinas

Lindsay Olson, RN

Mary Kalafut, MD

Gilda Tafreshi, MD

Jean Rockwell

SILVER AWARDS

System-wide Vaccine Standardization

Team Leader: Kristin Dixon, RN

Physician Sponsor: Howard Miller, MD

Team Members:

Mary Ellen Doyle, RN

Jenee Gillam, RN

Bruce Covner, MD

Andrea Parson, RN

Cynthia Wevers, RN

Maggie Box, PharmD

Stephanie Simmer, RN

Cindy Reed, RN

System-wide Order Set Development

Team Leader: Tom Vollberg, RN

Physician Sponsor: Jim LaBelle, MD

Team Members:

Melissa Flaherty, PharmD

Angela Rosenblatt, PharmD

Aubrey Thompson

Sonia Ford, PharmD

Mark Parmenter, PharmD

Kelli Hardiman, RN

Shane Thielman

Joseph Stein, MD

Coding and Quality Committee

Team Leader: Eileen Wolfard, RN

Physician Sponsor: Edward Chaplin, MD

Team Members:

Gayle Sandhu

Jean Fuller

Greg Bantigue

Jenee Gillam, RN

Sherry Ramos, RN

Robert Kane

Susan De Boer, RN

Kristine Katz, RN

Scripps on Contracting Project

Team Leader: Cecile Hozouri

Team Members:

Diane Cooper

Erin Morton

Katherine Fermin

Steve Johnson

Michael Kessler

Marty Mele

Marisa Perez

Laurie Hazlett

Malalai Wilson

Kim Grinnell

Darleen Thorig

Joshua Spangler

TMI – Reducing Ventilator-Associated Pneumonia in SICU

Team Leader: Jeremiah Darnell, RN

Team Member:

Ryan Phillips

BRONZE AWARDS

Improving Childhood Immunizations

Team Leader: Kathy Wright

Physician Sponsor: Erik Hogen, MD

Team Members:

Janet Battey, MD

Elizabeth Dodson, RN

Gary Chun, MD

Dawn Van Ness, MD

Michelle Sanford, MD

Kathi Chaloux-Halbert

Fatal Bill Edit Electronic Review

Team Leader: Jean Fuller

Physician Sponsor: Juan Tovar, MD

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Greg Bantigue

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Eileen Wolfard

Sherry Ramos

Eric Braun

Lorraine Wilson

Josefine Gomez

Susan De Boer

Kelly Ruff

Ann Marie White

Professional Practice Review Process Development Team

Team Leaders: Barbara Sendar, RN and Joan Benton, RN

Physician Sponsor: Ghazala Sharieff, MD

Physician Consultant: Maida Soghikian, MD

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Jayne Hardyman

Ana Jackson

Karen Lyon, RN

Sylvia Pocius

Sherry Ramos, RN

Kathleen Reilly, RN

Encinitas Patient Falls Reduction

Team Leaders: Gina Nelson, RN; Melissa Johnson, RN; and Linda Metivier, RN

Physician Sponsor: Andrew Accardi, MD

Team Members:

Elena Aijala, RN

Brian Hill

Jeanne Hunter, RN

Tara Johnson, RN

Teresa Lambert, RN

Jeanne Leonard, RN

April Noren, RN

Noelle Vercruysse, RN

Kathleen Vosberg

Vitros 5600 System-wide Chemistry Analyzers

Team Leader: Winnie Carino

Physician Sponsors: John Spinosa, MD; David Bylund, MD and Michael Quigley, MD

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Paul Przybysz

Chris Nicholson

Arlene Mariano

Kathy Hernigle

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Emma Peter

Kathy Stubbs

Patty Nistico

Jim Pascarella

Mary Kay Liggins

Decrease Door to TPA Initiation at Scripps Mercy, Chula Vista Campus

Team Leader: Lindsay Olson-Mack

Physician Sponsor: Gilda Tafreshi, MD

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Interdisciplinary Stroke Care

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Rachel Tanner, PharmD

Fela Nosler, PharmD

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Medication Administration Standardization, Phase III

Team Leaders: Maryls Vespe, RN & Leslie Franson

Physician Sponsor: Jim LaBelle, MD

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Sussie Pangcog, RN

Janet Cane, RN

Catherine Abalos, RN

Gary Bigge, RN

Naomi Junge, RN

Nicolett Fitzgerald, RN

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Comparison of Evidence-Based Aspiration Risk Screening with Current Practice

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Scripps Mercy, San Diego Campus Laboratory Redesign

Team Leader: Winnie Carino

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Mercedes Patawaran

Wilda Mistura

Kathy Hernigle

Remy Galarpe

Kim Foulks

Mary Joan Liwanag

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Debbie Hernandez

Outpatient Imaging Patient Satisfaction Committee

Team Leader: Ryan Corbett

Sponsors: George Ochoa and RJ Salus

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Colleen Flemon

Lori Savage

Vanessa Patrick

Benjamin Can Nieuwenhuizen

Mary Cope

Alejandro Flores

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