

## **2020 Patient Safety and Quality Winners**

### **CRITICAL ACCESS HOSPITALS**

1st Place - Effingham Health System

“Infection Control is in Your Hands - Organizational Improvements in Hand Hygiene Compliance”

2nd Place - Effingham Health System

“Prioritizing Medication Safety Through Utilization of Barcode Medication Scanning”

3rd Place - Miller County Hospital

“Care Coordination Project”

### **HOSPITALS WITH LESS THAN 100 BEDS**

1st Place - Meadows Regional Medical Center

“Reducing Post-Operative Respiratory Failure”

2nd Place - Piedmont Mountainside Hospital

“Quantifying Blood Loss During Delivery to Reduce Severe Maternal Morbidity”

3rd Place - Piedmont Mountainside Hospital

“Opioid Awareness”

### **HOSPITALS WITH 100-299 BEDS**

1st Place - St. Joseph’s/Candler - Candler Hospital

“The Journey: Improving Surgical Site Infections - Colon Surgeries”

2nd Place - Piedmont Rockdale Hospital

“Saving Georgia Mothers with Quantitative Blood Loss Measurement: Every Delivery! Every Time!”

3rd Place - Redmond Regional Medical Center

“The Patient and Provider Partnership: Screening, Diagnosing and Saving Lives through a Community-Based Hospital Lung Screening Program”

### **HOSPITALS WITH GREATER THAN 300 BEDS**

1st Place - The Medical Center, Navicent Health

“Reducing Falls with Injury”

2nd Place - Emory University Hospital and Emory Healthcare

“Choosing Antibiotics Wisely for Our Community”

3rd Place - Emory University Hospital

“Impact of System-Focused Quality Acceleration Team with Reduction of Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections”

**SPECIALTY HOSPITALS**

1st Place - Emory University Hospital at Wesley Woods  
“Implementing a Behavioral Emergency Response Team in the Inpatient Psychiatric Units”

2nd Place - Shepherd Center  
“Improving Patient Safety with Efficient Patient Monitoring Techniques”

**Josh Nahum Award Winners for Infection Prevention and Control**

1st Place - Emory University Hospital Midtown  
“Making Safety ‘Instrumental’ Across the Facility:  
A Sterile Processing Journey to Standardize Pre-Cleaning and Transport”

2nd Place - Emory University Hospital Midtown  
“Targeting Zero: Preventing Surgical Site Infections by Reducing Immediate-Use Steam Sterilization  
(IUSS) of Surgical Instruments”

3rd Place - Redmond Regional Medical Center  
“Sepsis: A Bundle to Save Lives”

**Circle of Excellence Award Winners**

Emory University Hospital Midtown  
The Medical Center, Navicent Health  
Redmond Regional Medical Center