

## 2025 Patient Safety and Quality Award Winners

Place	Hospital	Project Title
<b>Critical Access Hospital (CAH)</b>		
1st	Optim Medical Center - Screven	<i>The Chest Pain Train: Improving Compliance for Door-to-Electrocardiogram Times in the Emergency Room of a Critical Access Hospital</i>
2nd	Effingham Health System	<i>Implementation of Emergency Department Low Acuity Treatment Area to Enhance Patient Throughput</i>
3rd	Morgan Medical Center	<i>Improving Sepsis Outcomes Through Structured Adherence to SEP-1 Bundles in a Critical Access Hospital</i>
<b>Hospitals With Under 100 Beds</b>		
1st	Colquitt Regional Medical Center	<i>Simulations and Escape Rooms: A Recipe for Patient Safety</i>
2nd	Colquitt Regional Medical Center	<i>Use of Rounding Technology to Improve Patient Safety and Satisfaction</i>
3rd	Northeast Georgia Medical Center Habersham	<i>Bridging the Gap: Optimizing Stroke Care Transition for Better Outcomes</i>
<b>Hospitals With 100 to 299 Beds</b>		
1st	Hamilton Medical Center	<i>Employing a Multidisciplinary Approach to Pressure Injury Prevention</i>
2nd	Wellstar West Georgia Medical Center	<i>Enhancing Maternal Safety: A Project to Reduce Hemorrhage Through Improved Protocols and Standardized Practices</i>
3rd	Wellstar West Georgia Medical Center	<i>Implementation of Mobility Program to Improve Patient Outcomes on an Acute Care Unit</i>
<b>Hospitals With Over 300 Beds</b>		
1st	Wellstar MCG Health	<i>One Step At A Time: A Culture of Mobility</i>
2nd	Atrium Health Navicent The Medical Center	<i>Dolls Aren't Just for Babies Anymore!</i>
3rd	Emory University Hospital Midtown	<i>Reducing Readmissions Using Additional Resources (R3)</i>
<b>Health Systems</b>		
1st	Wellstar Health System	<i>Preceptor Bootcamps: Closing the Gap to Support New Team Members</i>
2nd	Emory Healthcare	<i>Keeping Our Patients Safe: Universal Protocol Standardization Project</i>
3rd	Northeast Georgia Health System	<i>Improving Recognition and Awareness of Cardiac Conditions in Obstetrics</i>

<b>Josh Nahum Award for Infection Prevention and Control</b>		
<b>1st</b>	Northeast Georgia Health System	<i>Decreasing CAUTIs in a Large Healthcare System</i>
<b>2nd</b>	SGMC Health	<i>Discharge Antibiotic Optimization for Urinary Tract Infections Based on Results from Weighted Syndromic Emergency Department Antibigram</i>
<b>3rd</b>	SGMC Health	<i>Launching the Antimicrobial Stewardship Team for Better Clinical Outcomes</i>
<b>Specialty</b>		
<b>1st</b>	Northside Hospital Behavioral Health Services	<i>Countering Workplace Violence: The Implementation of Behavioral Health Emergency Response Team</i>
<b>2nd</b>	Wellstar Windy Hill Hospital	<i>Home Tracheostomy Family Training Standardization Project</i>
<b>3rd</b>	Atrium Health Floyd Medical Center	<i>Enhancing Bedside Care with Implementation of Monthly Staff Education Newsletters</i>
<b>Circle of Excellence</b>		
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