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## 2015 NSMC SURGICAL SERVICES EXCELLENCE AWARD

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**Sheldon Sevinor M.D.**

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*Chairman*

Why recognize Clinical Excellence and Professionalism at NSMC?

We are surrounded by exceptional nurses, technologists and doctors, but we are so busy that we rarely pause to recognize them. Even worse, health care today is so focused on regulatory requirements, pay for performance and micro-management of resources that too frequently the feedback our superb clinicians get is negative. The Surgical Services Excellence Awards is the annual event where we recognize the best of the best – as voted by their peers.

The criteria for our honorees are listed below:

- Always places the needs of the patient first
- Is compassionate, empathetic and kind
- Has excellent outcomes
- Is respectful of patients, families, trainees and other caregivers
- Takes full responsibility for their patients and those they cover
- Seeks assistance when a problem is beyond their expertise
- Uses evidence based care
- Works collaboratively with others and communicates well
- Makes an effort to educate other caregivers and trainees
- Thinks critically and voices concerns

Congratulations on an outstanding job. Below are just a few of the comments from those who nominated you for this award:

- Dr. Sevinor always places the needs of the patient first. I have seen him go the extra mile to make sure his patients had the best care, the best experience and the best outcome so many times over the years.
- He is respectful of patients, families, students and basically everyone! A special person on our medical staff.
- Always honest. Always empathetic. A great communicator and wonderful for the nurses to work with
- I think he really cares about the staff and about Union Hospital. We are lucky to have him.