

## **Perry Memorial Hospital Receives Occupational Excellence Achievement Award**



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The National Safety Council recently awarded Perry Memorial Hospital as a 2009 recipient of the Occupational Excellence Achievement Award. The award recognizes companies and facilities that have met the criteria according with OSHA requirements. The guidelines include working without the occurrence of a total lost workday case incidence rate equal to or less that 50% of the BLS (Bureau of Labor Statistics) rating reported during the calendar year January 1 though December 31.

Safety is a high priority at Perry Memorial Hospital and these awards represent the Company's hard work in ensuring a safe work environment for its teammates and customers. Our goal remains to have zero incidents and we continue to work diligently to that end. I am extremely proud of all our employees and safety council for their dedication and commitment to safety, stated Joe Duerr, CEO of PMH.

Perry Memorial Safety Council is composed of PMH employees representing several hospital departments. Members include; Mary Clark, Laquita Copeland, LaDonna Harbour, Christi Jones, Christina Kitterman, Todd Payne, Linda Ryan, Vicki Shimanek, Robin Webb and Marsha Young.

LaDonna Harbour, PMH RN and Safety Officer stated, "I am proud to be part of efforts to ensure that Perry Memorial Hospital is providing their workers with the safe and healthful working conditions they deserve."