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FMC EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR CEREMONY HELD ON MAY 15, 2009

LANCASTER, Ohio (May 18, 2009) – Fairfield Medical Center was proud to recognize and congratulate Freda Roby, Dietary Cashier in the Dietary Department and Lancaster resident, as the 2009 Employee of the Year. The Employee of the Year ceremony took place in the cafeteria May 15, 2009, among fellow employees. Freda began her career at the Center in 1971 as a full time Cashier, and the following comments from her peers demonstrate her commitment to FMC, "Freda's coworkers really appreciate her hardworking nature. She is very respectful to other departments, helpful, trustworthy and listens to their needs." Freda goes above and beyond everyday, and is a great addition to the staff at FMC. Congratulations Freda.



Employee of the Year runners up included Fran Lyon, CEO/CFO/CMO Division winner and Justin Grant, Patient Services Division winner.



Fran Lyon, Clerical Specialist in the Human Resources Department and Lancaster resident, first began her career at the Center in 1997. She was honored as the CEO/CFO/CMO Division winner for 2009. Fran is definitely a valuable employee to FMC. Comments from her peers include, "Fran goes above and beyond to make an employee's issue her own. She has

the initiative to address their concerns and see them through to completion, regardless how involved. She is willing to stop what she is doing and offer her assistance.”



Justin Grant, Patient Attendant in the Surgery Department and Lancaster resident, was honored as the Patient Services Division winner for 2009. He began his career at Fairfield Medical Center in 2004. The following comment from his co-worker shows how much of a hard worker and dedicated employee he is, "Justin is always pleasant and is very prompt in getting things for us in a very timely manner. I observed him helping a nurse return a bed to 4th floor after he saw her struggling with it at the elevator. He always goes above and beyond to help others."

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