



Mid Georgia Ambulance Honors Employees at Save Awards

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Mid Georgia Ambulance honored seven of its employees and one employee of the Macon-Bibb Fire Department at its Save Awards Luncheon on Wednesday, April 21, 2010. A Save Award is given to recognize employees for the excellence they have shown in the saving of a human life before the patient is treated at a hospital. Employees eligible for this award are field medics, calltakers and dispatchers. One criterion for the award is that patient must be discharged from the hospital alive and with minimal neurological defects. There have been 27 confirmed saves since Mid Georgia Ambulance began the Save Award program in July 2006.

The seven employees recognized at this Save Award Luncheon were:

EMT Gene Harvey

Paramedic Robert Ridgeway

Paramedic David Byrd

EMT Troy Hubbard

Paramedic Connie Thompson

Paramedic Richie Thompson

Firefighter Alex Hammond

Firefighter Richard Green

Employees were honored with the luncheon in front of management, co-workers and family members and given an 8x10 plaque detailing the incident involving the save.

“One of the most important things we do at Mid Georgia Ambulance is the Save Awards. Not many professions get to say that they save lives and we are here today to celebrate and recognize these employees for the saving of human lives. Thank you for your service to Mid Georgia Ambulance and to the communities in which you serve,” stated Ben Hinson, President and CEO of Mid Georgia Ambulance.

Mid Georgia Ambulance Service, Inc. is a full service Emergency Medical Service based in Macon, Georgia. Mid Georgia Ambulance has been in business since 1977 and provides primary and supplemental 911 coverage, critical care transport, interfacility transport, neonatal transport, special event and standby coverage in eight counties within the state of Georgia. In 2008, Mid Georgia Ambulance was named "One of the Best Places to Work in Georgia" by Georgia Trend Magazine. For more information about Mid Georgia Ambulance contact Joe Robinson at (478) 207-3306.

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