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PHOTO ENCLOSED (L to R: Kari Taylor, Ashley Hobbs, Barbara Meadows, Clint Hall (Administrator), Susie White, Melody Anderson (Director of Nursing), Pam Sims, & Opal Parker, NOT PICTURED: Brady McGhee & Brandon Sullivan)

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NHC Smithville Honors CNA's of the Year

SMITHVILLE – Certified Nurse Aides (CNA) provide essential care in healthcare settings by assisting patients with activities of daily living. Eight area residents were recently recognized as CNA's of the Year at NHC Smithville. Ashley Hobbs, Brady McGhee, Barbara Meadows, Opal Parker, Brandon Sullivan, and Susie White of Smithville, and Pam Sims and Kari Taylor of Sparta, were honored at a banquet at Embassy Suites in Murfreesboro, TN to celebrate with other honored CNA's from NHC HealthCare Centers throughout Middle Tennessee and Southern Kentucky.

The honorees were evaluated on knowledge and performance of their duties, among other key factors. Mrs. Pam Sims was further recognized as NHC Smithville's nominee for CNA of the Year for all NHC centers in the Central Region. NHC Smithville Director of Nursing, Melody Anderson, said, "Each of these CNA's are hard-working, professional, compassionate, caring, honest, understanding, and highly skilled. They are a tremendous asset to NHC Smithville and we are truly fortunate to have them as valued partners."

NHC Smithville HealthCare offers inpatient and outpatient rehabilitative care and accepts Medicare, private insurance, workers compensation, managed care, and private funds. The inpatient healthcare center offers skilled nursing and rehabilitation services to adults of all ages on a short-term and long-term basis. NHC Smithville's outpatient clinic offers physical, occupational, and speech therapy services to infants, children and adults of all ages. For more information about NHC Smithville, visit www.nhcsmithville.com or call (615) 597-4284.

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