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Peggy Stickney, MD, honored as Physician Citizen of the Year

Madison (April 29, 2010) – Peggy Stickney, MD, of ProHealth Care in Hartford was honored with the 2010 Physician Citizen of the Year Award at the Wisconsin Medical Society’s Annual Meeting in Madison April 16-17. Doctor Stickney was nominated by a patient who repeatedly thanked her for “taking time” to find answers to her medical questions.

The Physician Citizen of the Year Award was created to recognize physicians who have volunteered their time and talents to improve their communities and the state of Wisconsin. Awarded annually, the award honors recipients for civic, cultural, economic and charitable services they provide to their communities.

George Lange, MD, outgoing Chair of the Society’s Board of Directors, presented the award to Dr. Stickney, a family physician, saying she “embodies the concept of ‘patient-centered medical care,’ which we value and that our patients want and need.”

“Although patients often show their gratitude, it’s not every day that a patient goes the extra mile to publicly recognize her physician,” Dr. Lange said. “Doctor Stickney has truly made a difference in the lives of her patients.”

“Thank you for reminding us that patients often come to us when they are most vulnerable,” he added, “and the time we spend with them can have a profound impact, not only as it relates to their medical care, but also on a purely human level.”

With nearly 12,500 members dedicated to the best interests of their patients, the [Wisconsin Medical Society](#) is the largest association of medical doctors in the state and a trusted source for health policy leadership since 1841.

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