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**Sturgis Hospital Announces Its Associate of the Year 2010**

[Sturgis, MI – January 21, 2011] Sturgis Hospital Associates named Kathy Wonderly, RN, as its Associate of the Year.

Wonderly is an RN on Medical/Surgical/Pediatric unit and has worked for the Hospital for over 2 years. Kathy was nominated by Kristine Kirsch, House Supervisor. "Kathy is such an asset on the night shift. She volunteers for the open hours to ensure adequate nursing staff. She works in any unit she is needed without hesitation. And she'll ask if anything else needs to be done and what can she do to help," says Kirsch. "I have witnessed her answering patient's lights, even if the patient is not assigned to her. Kathy does all of this with a smile on her face."

This honor is given to a Sturgis Hospital associate who provides superior customer service and exemplifies a dedication to serve others in and out of the organization. The recipient of the award is given a certificate and a \$100 savings bond, along with a designated preferred parking spot for the next year.

Kathy is a Sturgis resident.

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(Electronic photos attached: Kathy Wonderly, RN)