



## Roubal Care & Rehab Center Receives Governor's Award of Excellence

**Stephenson, Mich.** – Roubal Care & Rehab Center is pleased to announce it has received MPRO's 2014 Governor's Award of Excellence for achievements in reducing health care acquired conditions in nursing homes. To receive this honor, Roubal's not only improved the quality of resident care in clinical quality areas such as antipsychotic use, and falls reduction, but provided organizational improvement, and actively participated in the statewide Michigan Learning and Action Network and the National Advancing Excellence Nursing Home campaign.

"This award demonstrates Michigan's deep commitment to providing high quality, safe and efficient health care," said Snyder. "By using proven, evidence-based practices, these organizations are making sure individuals get the right care at the right time."

The initiative began with a small group of Roubal Care & Rehab staff members identifying specific issues that they wanted to improve on for the care of their elders. Once the specific issues were identified, the core group then spread the word to their co-workers and everyone worked to improve on the care provided.

"All the staff worked extremely hard to achieve the goals that were set and are very proud of the successes that we have achieved. Ultimately, the residents benefited from the staff efforts and the end result is a much calmer and happier home environment!" stated Sue Stenzel, Administrator.

The Governor's Award of Excellence was developed in 2003. The current award is based upon work from 2012-2014 in the following areas:

- Reducing health care associated infections
- Reducing health care acquired conditions in nursing homes
- Reducing adverse drug events
- Integrating care for populations and communities through improving care transitions and coordination
- Improving preventive care and early diagnosis through immunizations and screening
- Improving clinical quality measures associated with improving cardiac health
- Improving clinical quality measures among acute care and critical access hospitals
- Reducing disparities of care in cardiac health

For more information about the Governor's Award of Excellence, including a list of winners, go to <http://bit.ly/OCbcRD>.

### **About Roubal Care & Rehab Center**

Roubal Care & Rehab Center is a 3<sup>rd</sup> generation family owned Skilled nursing facility established in 1959. It is currently houses 39 bed's with primarily private rooms. Rehabilitation services and short and long term care are provided.

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