

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2014

**Sponsor our annual staff awards and say thank you to your local NHS staff**

Local firms are being offered a unique opportunity to sponsor The Dudley Group's annual staff awards to help celebrate the dedicated and committed staff who work tirelessly to give patients the very best possible care.

They are being asked to sponsor the Trust's annual Committed to Excellence Awards which recognise the hard work and dedication of the most committed members of staff.

Paula Clark, Chief Executive for The Dudley Group, said "Our annual Committed to Excellence awards recognise the best of the best here at The Dudley Group, shining the spotlight on those who really do go the extra mile for our patients.

"To help us make sure we say thank you to our shining stars in the way they deserve, we are offering local business the opportunity to support their local healthcare workers by sponsoring our awards.

"The event simply wouldn't be possible without the generous support of our sponsors, and taking up a sponsorship package is the perfect opportunity to say thank you to our hard working staff on behalf of the thousands of patients they look after every day."

Sponsorship packages are available at Gold, Silver or Bronze level, with the option to sponsor a specific award category. Goods, products and services can also be donated as prizes for our awards evening raffle, with all proceeds going to The Dudley Group NHS Charity.

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For information on how to become a sponsor please contact our Finance Department on (01384) 456 111 extension 1034 or visit The Dudley Group website at [www.dudleygroup.nhs.uk](http://www.dudleygroup.nhs.uk)