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**NORTH SHORE MEDICAL CENTER**  
**ANNOUNCES PHYSICIAN OF THE YEAR AND HONORS ALL PHYSICIANS AT**  
**DOCTOR'S DAY EVENT**

**MIAMI, Fla. – May 2011** - North Shore Medical Center honored its physicians with a luncheon on March 30<sup>th</sup> for Doctor's Day. At the event, CEO Manny Linares proudly announced the Physician of the Year, Dr. Moses Alade, a family medicine physician. Other physicians also honored at the event were Dr. Ramon Hachavarria, Most Responsive; Dr. Frederick Bloom, Most Legible Orders; Dr. H. Vincenzo Patone, Best Bed-Side Manner and Dr. Paul Fassbach, Best Team Player. Awards were determined based on votes by the employees at the hospital.

“North Shore Medical Center is proud to celebrate the dedication and commitment of its physicians,” says Manny Linares, chief executive officer, who takes personal pride in working with such loyal, committed and hard working individuals. “It is our pleasure to honor not only these physicians, but all of our physicians for everything they do for our patients and community.”

**ABOUT NORTH SHORE MEDICAL CENTER**

North Shore Medical Center, part of Tenet Healthcare, is a 357-bed general acute care community hospital located at 1100 NW 95 Street in Miami. The hospital has been serving the medical and health care needs of its community for more than 57 years. North Shore Medical Center offers a broad range of services, including 24-hour emergency care with Fast Track service, maternity, Level III Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, and psychiatric services. The hospital also offers specialized centers, including the C. Gordon Griffith Comprehensive Cancer Center with IMRT and X-Knife Radiosurgery, Intensive Care Unit, Wound Healing Center, Sleep Disorders Center, and Pain Care Center. The hospital was honored with the prestigious Tenet *Circle of Excellence* award for outstanding performance in 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, and 2010. North Shore received the 2010 CIGNA Centers of Excellence designation for caesarean section, vaginal delivery, stroke, heart attack, heart failure, and pneumonia-adult; the 2009/2010 American Heart Association's *Get With The Guidelines* – Gold Performance Achievement Award for Heart Failure and CAD; Accredited by the American College of Surgeons Commission On Cancer Commendation, 2008-2011; FMQAI's Performance Achievement Award for Hospital Quality improvement; and the 2010 Quality Respiratory Care, AARC Award. In 2008/2009/2010, North Shore Medical Center also received a five-star rating of clinical excellence for maternity care from HealthGrades®. The hospital is fully accredited by the Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations, the nation's oldest and largest hospital accreditation agency. To learn more about North Shore Medical Center, visit [www.northshoremedical.com](http://www.northshoremedical.com).