

# NAHQ Welcomes New CPHQs

*The CPHQ credential demonstrates a commitment to advancing quality, safety and value.*

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(NAHQ) is proud to announce the most recent recipients of the [Certified Professional in Healthcare Quality®](#) (CPHQ) credential.



“Healthcare quality and safety professionals who earn the CPHQ credential have demonstrated knowledge, understanding, and application of the domains of healthcare quality and safety; they are prepared to make healthcare better,” said Jennifer Pitts, NAHQ’s vice president of programs, products, and certification. “We congratulate each of our CPHQ’s for demonstrating an ongoing commitment to excellence and lifelong learning, and a dedication to enhancing quality and patient safety.”

The following individuals join the ranks of nearly 14,000 individuals around the world who have earned the CPHQ:

Alabama

Heather Martinez, Odenville

Alaska

Elizabeth Coler, Nome

Arizona

Tami Cramer, Chandler

John Hughes, Jr., Tucson

Surya Poudel, Gilbert

Nicole Salter, Tucson

Arkansas

Susan Williams, Gillett

## California

Joan Baca, Orangevale

Melanie Cariker, Long Beach

Alicia Casapao, Oxnard

Cindy Estrada, Bakersfield

Lisa Hatter, Santa Clarita

Leslie Jones, Bakersfield

Harpreet Kooner, Rocklin

Heatherose Pitman, Berkeley

Cynthia Powers, Irvine

Sarah Sanders, Chowchilla

Bruce Winningham, Long Beach

## Colorado

John Lieberman, Colorado Springs

## Connecticut

Stephanie DeGaetano, Old Lyme

Brianna Devonshuk, Beacon Falls

## Delaware

Lucienne Creque, Wilmington

## Florida

Lisa Manis, Tampa

Susan Ono, Orlando

Lacey Rains, Clearwater

Julie Rosentel, Miramar Beach

Roxie Zarate, Tallahassee

## Georgia

Trisha Jones, Canon

Susan Reich, Woodstock

Kanmani Saminathan, Sandy Springs

## Idaho

Julia Koch, Boise

## Illinois

Jennifer Burke, Chatham

Angela Rome, Rossville

Regina Superczynski, Sterling

Charles White, Elmhurst

Indiana

Kathleen Abrahamson, West Lafayette

Kansas

Paula Flattery-Aaron, Prairie Village

Kentucky

Heather Napier, Flat Lick

Nicole Shorr, Lexington

Louisiana

Karen Grevemberg, Lacombe

Maine

Sharon Economides, Sebago

Maryland

Danielle Blair, Silver Spring

Lori Davies, Frederick

Lauren Gelles, Arnold

Rachel Meek, Baltimore

Katherine Piazza, Pasadena

Massachusetts

Kelly Eng, Boston

Michigan

Jayaprakashnarayanan Bhagirathan, Canton

Alexi Callaway, Manistee

Taylor Taylor, Crystal Falls

Lyndsey Winfield, Kalamazoo

Minnesota

Sarah Farnlof, Thief River Falls

Elizabeth Kiserow, Wyoming

Missouri

Heath Velasquez, Plattsburg

Montana

Sarah Furtney Cardy, Missoula

## Nebraska

Angella Herbert, Imperial  
Bridget Norton, Omaha  
Dana Steiner, Elm Creek

## New Hampshire

Natasha Bartlett, Laconia  
Kerri Federico, Sanbornton  
Christina Swanberry, Ossipee

## New Jersey

Maureen Bueno, Edison  
Monique Caesar, Carteret  
Amy McCrae, Sewell  
Kellyann Morrison, Collingswood  
Michelle Rivkin, Saddle Brook  
Sarah Vander Wagen, Hoboken

## New Mexico

Susan Taylor, Rio Rancho

## New York

Tamar Berger, East Northport  
Marissa Broadley, Ballston Lake  
Jason Littman, Syosset  
Sigrid Stieger-Crandall, Port Chester  
Susan Ulmer, Floral Park

## North Carolina

Jennifer Trueheart, Oxford  
Christopher Wiggs, Durham  
Melissa Williams, Durham  
Lora Wright, Wake Forest

## Ohio

Rebecca Cesa, Cleveland  
Kathryn Hiney, Akron  
Kristi Phillips-Burkhart, Powell  
Kimberly Wooten, Berea  
Xhileta Xhaja, Lakewood

## Oregon

Tomi Abbott, Portland

Angela Amundson, Oregon City  
Stacy Dirks, Sherwood

Pennsylvania  
Vinu Abraham, Huntingdon Valley  
Cheryl Ambush-Mansfield, East Norriton  
Jessica Blair, Pottstown  
Adriane Burgess, New Freedom  
Yara Nielsenshultz, Dresher

South Dakota  
Katie Biggins, Gregory  
Candice Crownover, Tyndall  
Amanda Karrels, Sturgis  
Amber Oines, Madison

Tennessee  
Macy Wade, Brighton  
Alisha Westmoreland, Kingsport

Texas  
Lyndsey Broussard, Fresno  
Kristin Cummins, Frisco  
Toni Denison, Lubbock  
Adam Mitchell, Austin  
Shannon Morris, Houston  
Lindsey Wilson, Cypress

Utah  
Alison Day, West Jordan

Vermont  
Joseph Aloï, Burlington  
Tara McMahon, Essex Junction  
Lynn Pilcher, Cuttingsville

Virginia  
Jean Bishop, Arlington  
Ralph Johnson, Falls Church  
Rachel Redman, Alexandria

Washington  
Jill Jones, Issaquah

Jennifer Kurtz, Kirkland  
Jill Langle, Mountlake Terrace  
Lisa Wolfe, Maple Falls

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