Eileen Moynihan, MD To Receive Outstanding Medical Executive Award

Edward J. Ill Excellence in Medicine Association Announces 2008 Awardees

Lawrenceville, NJ – December 13, 2007 – Paul J. Hirsch, MD, Chairman of the Edward J. Ill Excellence in Medicine Association, today announced that Eileen Moynihan, MD will receive an Outstanding Medical Executive Award. The award will be presented at the Edward J. Ill Excellence in Medicine Awards™ ceremony on May 7, 2008 at the Hyatt Regency Princeton.

The Outstanding Medical Executive Award is presented to an executive in a medically related organization or field who is usually, but not necessarily, a layperson and who has demonstrated exceptional leadership in the enhancement of patient care and medical practice in New Jersey. Eileen Moynihan, MD maintains a solo practice in rheumatology in Woodbury, New Jersey. She served as medical director of Medicare for traditional fee-for-service, Part B, New Jersey, for Prudential, Xact Medicare and Empire Medicare in succession. In 2007, Dr. Moynihan became the advisor to the Relative Value Update Committee of the AMA for the American College of Rheumatology, and she reviews proposed relative values of medical services and their components. Dr. Moynihan served as president of her county medical society from 1998-1999 and as president of the Medical Society of New Jersey in 2005-2006. She is currently an alternate delegate to the AMA on behalf of the Medical Society of New Jersey and is chair of the Committee on Rheumatologic Care for the American College of Rheumatology.

“We are proud to recognize Dr. Moynihan for the leadership she has provided to New Jersey’s physicians,” said Dr. Hirsch. “She is a role model for female physicians in New Jersey who want to have their voices heard in the policy making arena.”

The other 2008 awardees include:

- Edward J. Ill Physician’s Award™: Walter J. Kahn, MD, FACS
- Outstanding Medical Educator Awards: Joel DeLisa, MD, MS and Deepak V. Patel, MD
- Outstanding Medical Executive Awards: Judith Burgis
- Peter W. Rodino, Jr., Citizen’s Award™: Senator Peter A. Inverso
- Community Service Leader Awards: Henry Acosta, MA, MSW, LSW on behalf of the National Resource Center for Hispanic Mental Health and Monsignor William J. Linder on behalf of the New Community Corporation
- Special Award: Steven E. Ross, MD and Robert F. Ostrum, MD for the extraordinary trauma care provided to Governor Jon Corzine

The Excellence in Medicine Awards are named after Edward J. Ill, MD, a New Jersey physician who was a pioneer in promoting continuing education in ways that set the national standard. To register for the event or to learn more about the awards, contact the Edward J. Ill Excellence in Medicine Association at 609-803-2350 or visit www.EJIawards.org. Profits from this year’s event will be donated to Hunterdon County Medication Access Partnership. The awards program is sponsored by MDAdvantage Insurance Company of New Jersey, a leading provider of medical professional liability insurance in New Jersey.