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California Long-Term Care Providers Receive National Quality Award

SACRAMENTO – The American Health Care Association (AHCA)/National Center for Assisted Living (NCAL) National Quality Awards Program has announced the recipients of this year's *Bronze – Commitment to Quality Award*. Twelve long-term care providers in California have earned the special national distinction for their dedication to enhancing the quality of care for our most vulnerable populations.

This year's award winners include the following:

- [Brookfield Healthcare Center, Downey](#)
- [Buena Vista Care Center, Anaheim](#)
- [Emanate Health Inter Community D/P SNF, Covina](#)
- [Fairmont Rehabilitation Hospital, Lodi](#)
- [Mission Park Healthcare Center, Santa Barbara](#)
- [Monte Vista Healthcare Center, Duarte](#)
- [Oak River Rehab, Anderson](#)
- [Pacifica Nursing & Rehab Center, Pacifica](#)
- [Sierra Salem Christian Homes, Modesto](#)
- [University Post-Acute Rehab, Sacramento](#)
- [Veterans Home of CA – Lancaster](#)
- [Vista Pacifica Center, Riverside](#)

The program involves a rigorous three-level process that evaluates the capabilities of long-term care organizations against nationally recognized standards for excellence. It helps facilities identify critical areas for improvement, implement a plan to be stronger, resilient and more successful.

“Receiving the Bronze Award reflects the deep commitment of skilled nursing providers to continuous quality improvement and resident-centered care,” said Cassie Dunham,

CEO/President of the California Association of Health Facilities (CAHF). “This national recognition underscores the dedication of frontline caregivers and leadership teams who work tirelessly to ensure high standards and compassionate care in long-term care communities.”

The *Bronze – Commitment to Quality Award* is the first of three progressive award levels with each one requiring a more detailed demonstration of superior performance.

For more information about the awards, visit [AHCA's website](#). To learn more about CAHF, visit our [webpage](#).

Founded in 1950, the California Association of Health Facilities is a non-profit professional organization representing nearly 900 skilled nursing facilities and 420 intermediate care facilities for individuals with intellectual disabilities. CAHF is the largest provider of continuing education for long-term care professionals in California, facilitating continuous quality improvement for providers and improved outcomes for residents.

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