

# Muskogee Regional's Becky Elliott, Infection Preventionist, Earns Quality Recognition



Becky Elliott, MT(ASCP), Infection Preventionist at Muskogee Regional Medical Center (OK), has been recognized by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services Quality Improvement Organization Program, receiving a certificate for 22 months of continuous reporting of quality data to the National Health Safety Network and participation in a 10-month collaborative effort with other Oklahoma hospitals supporting the use of evidenced based practices for reducing the rate of healthcare-associated Methicillin-Resistant Staphylococcus Aureus (MRSA) Infection in Acute Care Settings. Through the collaboration MRMC has been able to reduce the number of cases of MRSA infection in the Intensive Care Unit.

“Becky has been instrumental in leading infection prevention initiatives that have positively impacted outcomes at Muskogee Regional Medical Center,” said Teresa Williams, RN, BSN, CLNC, MHA, PhD, Vice President and Chief Quality Officer for Capella Healthcare. “She has also provided ‘champion’ leadership for training/educational efforts for her peers across Capella.”