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Easter Seals Wisconsin Recognizes Jennifer Fiegel-Newlon with Personal Achievement Award

Madison, WI—Easter Seals Wisconsin held their biennial Recognition Dinner on October 9 at Nakoma Golf Club in Madison, to honor people and organizations that have made a significant impact on the programs and services of the organization and the disability community statewide. Ten individuals, families, and organizations were recognized as honorees with distinguished awards.



Jennifer Fiegel-Newlon accepts the award for Personal Achievement from Easter Seals Wisconsin Board Member Andy Crooks.

One of those honored was Jennifer Fiegel-Newlon, a dedicated nurse practitioner with a Ph.D. in psychiatry, who has worked for Easter Seals Wisconsin Camps for 21 years. Many campers have multiple and severe disabilities and are medically fragile. Fiegel-Newlon's first job after graduation placed her right at the heart of Easter Seals Respite Camp in Wisconsin Dells. Over the years she has served campers and staff in the role of Medical Coordinator, ensuring outstanding health care of campers and the well-being and support of camp counselors in their demanding role. Easter Seals Wisconsin Camps are known to camps nationwide and to international staffing agencies as camps that are particularly supportive and nurturing to all staff. Her dedication and expertise has kept campers with disabilities and the staff who serve them safe and healthy.

About Easter Seals Wisconsin: For over 90 years, Easter Seals Wisconsin (www.EasterSealsWisconsin.com) has provided services that help children and adults with disabilities gain greater independence. Easter Seals' primary services – vocational rehabilitation, respite services, camping and recreation, information and referral, and public education – benefit close to 10,000 individuals with disabilities and their families each year throughout Wisconsin.

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