Gold Star Standards of Excellence

2023 Awardees

The Breathe Easy Gold Star Standards of Excellence program recognizes Maine health organizations that are addressing tobacco use and exposure by implementing strategies that support tobacco treatment and prevention annually. As leaders in health, Maine healthcare organizations, behavioral health organizations, and hospitals seek to optimize the health of patients, clients, and the surrounding community; these organizations provide key community support and are exemplary role models of healthy behaviors.

Platinum Level Awardees

- ABC Behave
- Franklin Community Health Network
- Hometown Health Center
- Houlton Regional Hospital
- LincolnHealth
- Maine Medical Center
- MaineGeneral Medical Center
- Mid Coast - Parkview Health
- Mid Coast Hospital Addiction Resource Center
- Mount Desert Island Hospital
- Northern Light AR Gould Hospital
- Northern Light Eastern Maine Medical Center
- Northern Light Mercy Hospital
- Northern Light Sebasticook Valley Hospital
- Oasis Free Clinics
- Pen Bay Medical Center
- Southern Maine Health Care
- Spring Harbor Hospital
- Stephens Memorial Hospital
- Waldo County General Hospital

Gold Level Awardees

- Calais Community Hospital
- Cary Medical Center
- Crossroads
- Kerish Benttinen LCSW, LLC
- MSAD #75 School Based Health Center at Mt. Ararat High School
- Northern Light Inland Hospital
- VA Maine Healthcare System

Silver Level Awardees

- Affinity

Individual Gold Star Champions

- Jennifer K. Bartlett, RN - ***Northern Light AR Gould Hospital***

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