2024 Humanitarian Award
Awarded to: Graig Strauss, DNP, APRN, FCUCM

Below is the biography submitted by the awardee.

Graig Strauss, DNP, APRN, FCUCM: Graig Strauss, DNP, APRN, FCUCM serves as the President and Founder of Rockland Urgent Care Family Health NP, P.C. Since its opening in September 2015, he has expanded his practice to multiple sites in New York State.

For the past seven years, Graig has been actively involved in a multi-national medical mission to Uman, Ukraine, where he serves as the American Liaison to the Uman Emergency Clinic. During his time in Ukraine, Graig not only cares for the local community but also for the thousands of people gathering for religious pilgrimages. He has been present during critical events such as the measles outbreak, COVID-19 outbreak, and even now during the ongoing war. Additionally, while on his missions, he participates in ongoing emergency training with the local community to ensure they are well-equipped with the latest knowledge in emergency medical care.

When Graig is not overseeing his Urgent Care facilities or contributing to missions in Ukraine, he dedicates time to volunteering in his local community. With over 25 years in emergency services, he serves as an EMT/Ex-Captain of the Spring Hill Community Ambulance Corps and as a Medical Officer/Engineer with the Monsey Fire Department.