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The March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation Hosts Annual Nurse of the Year Awards Banquet

(Las Vegas, Nev. – September 28, 1999) – The March of Dimes will be hosting the 1999 Southern Nevada Nurse of the Year Awards Ceremony and Banquet at the Stardust Resort and Casino on November 5, 1999. Former First Lady Sandy Miller will be Mistress of Ceremonies. The event begins at 6:00 p.m. and includes a Silent Auction from 6:15 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. and dinner at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$45 per person. For ticket or sponsorship information contact the March of Dimes Office at 732-9255.

The Nurse of the Year awards program began in 1985 and honored a single nurse. Since that time the event has experienced significant growth. This year's event will recognize nursing specialists in over 15 categories. Nursing is a dynamic profession that provides opportunities and challenges for personal and professional development. These awards recognize the efforts of individuals who consistently act as positive role models by sharing their knowledge, supporting their peers and celebrating the victories of their patients and colleagues. Nominees demonstrate qualities and strengths which others admire, respect and emulate.

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