

Healthcare Innovative Solutions Named Entrepreneur of the Year!

SEVILLE, OHIO - November 15, 2007 - The 4th Annual Medina County Business Awards (MCBA) named Healthcare Innovative Solutions (HIS) this year's Entrepreneur of the Year. Sponsored by Westfield Bank, the awards recognize business excellence in five categories—Entrepreneur of the Year, Capital Investment, Small Business Enterprise and Corporate Citizen of the Year (to both a company and an individual).

A prescreening committee reviewed all applications and recommended the top three nominees for each category to a panel of three judges. The panel of judges—Ralph Berry (attorney and former Medina County Commissioner), Charles Hawley (former Superintendent of the Medina County Career Center and former Medina County Commissioner) and Brian Tucker (publisher of Crain's Cleveland Business)—determined this year's winners.

With more than 200 in attendance at the Blair Center in Westfield Center on Nov. 15, the award ceremony was combined with The Medina County Economic Development Corporation's Autumn Speaker Series which featured keynote speaker Brad Whitehead, President of the Fund for Our Economic Future.

Earlier this year, Healthcare Innovative Solutions received a Leading EDGE award. Sponsored by The Entrepreneur's EDGE (Economic Development through Growth & Entrepreneurship), the awards honor the top performing Northeast Ohio midmarket companies in creating growth and value creation.

Founded in 2001, Healthcare Innovative Solutions is a consulting firm providing customized products and services for EHR (Electronic Health Record) implementation to hospitals and physician practices. Our partnerships with Siemens Corporation, Misys Healthcare Systems, and Cisco Systems, Inc. allow us to leverage our clinical and technological expertise with the resources of larger organizations to serve a broader range of customers and work with clinicians to improve patient care.

Information regarding HIS can be found on its website at www.customizedehr.com or by contacting 1-800-236-0141.