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# Excel Awards



## Awards of Distinction

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### Golden Apple

**Theresa Errante-Parrino, CMA (AAMA), EdD, MEd, PMD, BXMO, CPhT**

Section A = 200 members or fewer Section B = 201–500 members Section C = 501–800 members Section D = 801 members or more
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## Publishing

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**MED-A-GRAM**, published by **Nebraska (C)**, Carol Hipke-Muske, CMA (AAMA), editor

**The Michigan Medical Medical Assistant Journal**, published by **Michigan (D)**, Jane A. Stephens, CMA (AAMA), editor

**Achievements**—**CSMA Today**, published by **Connecticut (C)**, Jennifer Amaral, CMA (AAMA), editor. **NYSSMA Today**, published by **New York (C)**, Lynn Augenstein, CMA (AAMA), MA, editor. **The Statline**, published by **Washington (D)**, Patricia Hightower, CMA (AAMA), editor. **Tempo**, published by **North Carolina (D)**, Elsie Brooks, CMA (AAMA), editor.

## Website Development

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**Montana (A)**, Angie L. Knowles, CMA (AAMA), Web chair

**(Tied) South Dakota (B)**, Jo Penning, CMA (AAMA), Web chair

**(Tied) Texas (B)**, Sherry Bogar, CMA (AAMA), Web chair

**South Carolina (C)**, Jackie Harris, Web chair

**North Carolina (D)**, Rebecca Walker, CMA (AAMA), BS, CPC, Web chair

**Achievement**—**New Hampshire (B)**, Linda Prince, CMA (AAMA), Web Chair. **Connecticut (C)**, Wendy Carros, CMA (AAMA), Web Chair. **Ohio (D)**, Melanie Shearer, CMA (AAMA), MS, MT(ASCP), Web Chair

## Marketing, Promotion, and Recruitment

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**"Faces of Medical Assisting,"** conducted by **Ohio (D)**, Melanie Shearer, CMA (AAMA), MS, MT(ASCP), campaign director

## Community Service

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**"CSMA Spirit of Giving,"** conducted by **Connecticut (C)**, Jennifer Amaral, CMA (AAMA), campaign director

## Membership Retention

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**North Dakota (A)**

**Idaho (B)**

**New Jersey (C)**

**Wisconsin (D)**

**Achievements**—**Montana (A)**, **South Dakota (B)**, **North Carolina (D)**

## Membership Recruitment

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**Alaska (A)**

**Utah (B)**

**South Carolina (C)**

**Illinois (D)**

**Achievements**—**Mississippi and New Mexico (A)**; **South Dakota and Virginia (B)**; **Nebraska and Texas (C)**; **Oregon and Washington (D)**

## Student Membership Recruitment

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**North Dakota (A)**

**Utah (B)**

**South Carolina (C)**

**Illinois (D)**

**Achievements**—**Alaska (A)**; **South Dakota (B)**; **Nebraska (C)**; **Indiana and Oregon (D)**

## CMA (AAMA) Certification

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**Greatest percentage increase of member CMAs (AAMA)**

**Alaska (A)**

**South Dakota (B)**

**Connecticut (C)**

**Minnesota (D)**

## Student Award

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### Essay

**Rebecca Fitts**, West Georgia Technical College, Waco, Ga.