

# nurse excellence

Emergency Department Staff Nurse **Yvonne**, RN, has been honored with the North Oaks Nurse Excellence Award for June 2009.

Yvonne is a graduate of Nicholls State University and began her career at North Oaks in 1993 in her current position.

**“Yvonne is knowledgeable in Emergency Nursing and remains poised in crisis situations,”** shares Emergency Department Director Cindy Fannaly, R.N., **“She has consistently demonstrated her ability to handle difficult patient loads with great ability and compassion. She represents the department and hospital with expertise, integrity and sensitivity.”**

Yvonne is a New Roads native and currently lives in Baton Rouge. She is a dedicated Louisiana State University football, baseball and basketball fan. In her spare time, she enjoys fishing, reading, going to movies and playing with her two dogs, Molly and Maggie. Yvonne attends St. Aloysius Church and volunteers her time to work with the poor and homeless.



**“I am committed to putting my patients first and to being their voice.”**

**—Yvonne, RN**



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