

Past YWCA Woman of Achievement Honorees

1973

Margaret Kolarik
Hortense Blake
Clemmie Hightower
Darlene Gordon
Frances Munson
Lou Lyon

1974

Joan Richeson
Oreida Anderson
Mary East
Gladys Hendrix
Ellen McGee
Darlene Stuedemann

1975

Dorothy Camp
Donna Gabriel
Nettie Yourd
Marian Critz
Marie Jorgensen
Maxine Teele

1976

Ruth Culberson
Marian Morthland
Lois Miller
Kathryn Luebe

1977

(No Awards Given)

1978

Lois Seger
Mildred Paaske
Barbara Hagenson
Barbara Mask
Florence Dierks

1979

Marjorie Blaess
Margaret Gideonsen
Elaine Lass
Louise Potter
Elizabeth Petersen

1980

Rosemary Haack
Arlene Huizenga
Jeanette Petersen
Ethelyn Trent
Marianne Jensen

1981

Evelyn Dymkowski
Dagmar Jones
Helen McCutcheon
Jane Orman
Sister Marjorie Wisor
Karen Cossman

1982

Edith Cadogan
Cheryl Neverman
Marian Shaff
Carolyn Tallett
Agnes Walton

1983

Barbara Bianchi
Marjorie Bloom
Marian Irej
Ruth Schmunk
Kathryn Zimmerman

1984

Mary K. Hanson
Marie Hartmann
Marjorie Herkelmann

Dr. Maryellen Knowles
Colleen Last
Alma Nichols

1985

Ruth Lepird
Ann Moran
Sister Marcella Marie
Narlock
Lana Underdonk
Alice Vining
LaMetta K. Wynn

1986

G. Ann Bell
Doris L. Carstensen
Sharon K. German
Katherine Long
Betsy Zerrien

1987

Kim Aycrigg
Margaret S. Emmons,
M.D.
Sallyann McCarthy
Adelaide Petersen
Margaret A. Vogel

1988

Nancy Den Besten
Kamalini Kumar
Marilyn Schmidt
Rita S. Dennis
Susan Peters
Mary Smith, OSF

1989

Dorothy Luckritz
Betty Snyder
Catherine L. Utroska
Janet McEleney
Leslie McCreery

1990

Connie Andersen
Anne Broshar
Carol Machael
Kathryn Ann Schuitema
Eunice Logan

1991

Bobbie Dalton
Patricia Duvall-Lawson
Phyllis Hainline Peck
Jacqueline A. Rutledge
Delores Solberg
Cheryl A. Tack

1992

Denise B. Baker
Fern Whalen
Desna L. Wallin
Valerie Anne Hill
Sherri Wulf

1993

Jean Buikema
Denise Marie Byers
Laurie L. Musel
Dorothy A. O'Brien
Judy Weber

1994

Jill Davisson
Kathy French
Carolyn R. Grimes
Sue Weiss
Leslie A. Kaup
Lori Freudenberg

1995

Ruth Alyce Cox, O.S.F.,
R.N., Ph.D.
Ethel M. Hamdorf
Karen J. Vickers

Barbara Niedermeyer
Sha Petersen
Pat Braudt

1996

Florence M. Dingmon
Kathleen A. Klahn
Mary Swanson
Kathryn R. Plein
Jennifer VanBuer
Sharon Alm
Carla Jean Rogis

1997

Marcia Flory
Noreen Humes
Barb Jacobsen
Sara Misiewicz
Sue Buelow
Barb Hanrahan

1998

Kim Clausen
Jan Doemel Feeler
Connie Kissack
Megan Kross
Maureen Miller
Julie Ramirez

1999

Connie Chase
Sister Marilyn Huegerich
Alma Mariano
Mollie Mangelsen
Kristina Carstensen
Linda Lakin

2000

Katiera Egging
Diana Grimes
Louise Laurent
LaRee Mangler
Edith Pfeffer
Judy Potts

2001

Polly Bukta
Marie Brumer Dudley
Nancy Foley
Lynn McGraw
Barbe McGee
Karen Witt
Megan Vens

2002

Paula Burggraaf
Lynne Darr
Ann Eisenman
Mary Jo Dopson
Nona Oleson
Julie Soenksen
Barb Suehl
Barb Willoughby

2003

Elise King
Mary Ann Phelan, OSF
Theo Smith
Julie Allesee
Rohini Ramnath
Judy Bonnet

2004

Jennifer Graf
Lydia Halbach
Carla Hilgenberg
Margo Hansen
Charlotte (Cigi) Low
Linda Kranz
Carolyn Stevens

2005

Ronelle Clark
Heather Herkelman
Carol McGuire
Jean Morgan
Pat Ohsann
Sharon Roling
Anne Schmidt

2006

Stacy Kinkaid
Frances Hill
Brenda Thornton
Emma Nelson
Laura Liegois
AllStar Staffing
Jane Taylor

2007

Hilary Mullany, OSF
Sarah Hood
Carissa Evans
Kristin Campbell
Brenda Kunau
Cathy Crosser

2008

Rita Holm
Ethel Soesbe
Deb Vath
Tammy Ebensberger
Betty Mantsch
Clinton National Bank
Lindsey Thornton
Heather Hilgendorf-Cooley

2009

Lori Susie
Jean Roeder
Tammy Meyer
Laura Wessels
Nancy Buikema
Karli Jacobsen
Citizens First Bank
Sue McQueen

2010

Shirley Darsidan
Jenny Boysen
Theresa Judge, OSF
Gabrielle Leblanc
Alison Sullivan
Clinton Community College
Judy Doughty

2011

Diane Dethmann
Lori Callahan
Elna Wilke
Maxine Faley
Niki Green
Clinton Area Chamber of
Commerce
Becky Mallory-Meurs

2012

Dr. Angela Gabel
Sheryl Kennedy
Janice Cebula, OSF
Carla Haubrich
Hannah Peart
Roxanne Eversoll

2013

Amy Berentes
Frances Bickelhaupt
Pamela Eggers
Rev. Jennifer Henry
Mercy Medical Center
Mardell Mommsen
Marquel Schultheis
Mary Winn
Mary Wolfe

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2014

Laura Anderson
Karli Atkinson
Gaile Brinkman
Rebecca Kroeger
Merlyn Law
Marlys Lyons
Sisters of St. Francis
Penny Welch

2015

Marie Goldbeck-Strunk
Rev. Edith Lenz
Rastrelli's Restaurant
Shannon Sander-Welzien
Jane Schmidt
Sydney Schreiber
Maggie Stafford

2016

Krista Atkinson
Maribeth Bousman
Gateway State Bank
Rita Hart
Debbie Heusinkveld
Jessica Kinser
Pam Petersen

2017

Caitlyn Jacobs
Roberta Churchill
Kathryn A. Forrest
Erin Meyermann
Marla Schultz
Hy-Vee
David Sivright, Jr.

2018

Lt. Stephanie Hartley
Idell Klein
Donna Simmons
Sidney Smith
Sandi Sills
The Painted Rooster
Jesse Lawson

2019

Sarah Brubaker
Bristi Frahm
Olivia Gossard
Jenifer Green
Judy Holesinger
Information, Referral &
Assistance Services
Pam Pfister