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Dryden Paramedic recognized for excellence in Paramedic Services

On September 26, 2019, during the Ontario Association of Paramedic Chiefs Annual Gala in Windsor, Ontario, Kenora District Services Board (KDSB) Northwest Emergency Medical Services (NWEMS) Paramedic, Kim Wright was recognized with the Governor General's Emergency Services Exemplary Service Medal.

The award is presented to paramedics who have served for at least twenty years in a commendable manner, characterized by the highest standards of good conduct, industry and efficiency. "This service medal recognizes Kim's commitment to performing her duties in an exemplary manner. We are proud and honoured to have her as a KDSB NWEMS paramedic," says Andrew Tickner, Director and Chief of Emergency Medical Services at the KDSB.

Wright, originally from Fort Frances, began working full-time in her career of paramedicine in February 1998 for the Dryden Ambulance Service, operated by the Dryden Regional Health Centre. In January 2001, she became a KDSB NWEMS employee where she continues to work as a paramedic in Dryden.

Wright was among 115 Paramedics in all of Ontario to be recognized for their excellence in Paramedic Services this year.

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