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**JERRY BRASHER RECEIVES 2013 *COMMUNITY IMPACT AWARD***

FORT LUPTON, Col. – Stanley “Jerry” Brasher, President and CEO of Salud Family Health Centers, was honored as a recipient of the Community HealthCorps Inaugural *Community Impact Award* on April 3, 2012.

The *Community Impact Award* began this year as a way to nationally recognize individuals and organizations for their dedication to the Community HealthCorps program with their contributions of time, money or expertise. Brasher and 10 other recipients nationwide are the first to receive this honor.

Brasher urged Salud Family Health Centers to host Community HealthCorps/AmeriCorps Navigators and actively worked to integrate the Community HealthCorps program into Salud’s organizational culture. His mentorship and attention has lent to the program’s growth and acceptance within the organization, in large part because Mr. Brasher fosters a belief that Community HealthCorps Navigators are tomorrow’s leaders in health care. As such, the Community HealthCorps program has become one of Salud’s programs that he values most.

Brasher accepted his award during a ceremony April 3, attended by the entire Salud Community HealthCorps staff and volunteers. “What a surprise,” said Brasher. “You didn’t even tell me I was nominated!” Brasher was grateful for the recognition and had the opportunity to spend the afternoon with the Salud Community HealthCorps over a potluck lunch. He spoke about the importance of continuing their education and careers in the health field.

Founded in 1995 by the National Association of Community Health Centers, Community HealthCorps is the largest health-focused, national AmeriCorps program that promotes healthcare for America’s underserved, while developing tomorrow’s healthcare workforce.

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