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## **EVANS NAMED EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH AT MISSISSIPPI STATE HOSPITAL**

WHITFIELD— Denesha Evans, from Forest, Miss. has been named Mississippi State Hospital's April Employee of the Month for Support Services.

Evans, a Forest native, is a Mental Health Recreation Therapist who works on Monroe Inn, part of Jaquith Nursing Home, which is located on the MSH campus. She has been employed at the hospital for four years. She has a Bachelor of Arts in piano performance from Millsaps College and a Master of Music Education from Jackson State University.

The MSH Employee of the Month award recognizes employees who have made outstanding contributions to the hospital through their work. The program is sponsored by Friends of Mississippi State Hospital Inc.

*MSH, a facility of the Mississippi Department of Mental Health, was founded in 1855 and facilitates improvement in the quality of life for Mississippians who are in need of mental health, chemical dependency or nursing home services, by rehabilitating to the least restrictive environment, utilizing a range of psychiatric and medical services, which reflect the accepted standard of care and are in compliance with statutory and regulatory guidelines. The hospital is accredited by the Joint Commission.*

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**PHOTO ATTACHED:** Denesha Evans