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Patient Safety Awards – another win for VitalPAC®



The contribution VitalPAC is making to patient safety in the NHS has been recognised with another prestigious award.



The national 2010 Patient Safety Awards, organised by HSJ and Nursing Times, saw Portsmouth Hospitals NHS Trust take home Best Use of IT and Technology to Improve Patient Safety for the system. It is the third significant awards success for the product in the past three months.

At Friday night's Patient Safety Awards ceremony, held in a packed room at the prestigious Grosvenor House Hotel in London, HSJ and Nursing Times editor-in-chief Alistair McLellan said the judges deemed VitalPAC "very innovative and well thought [out], which had contributed significantly to patient safety." He continued: "It demonstrated an excellent development process utilising existing evidence, while the ongoing use of data is further developing clinical practice in this area."

Recent months have seen a multitude of prizes for VitalPAC. In addition to the Patient Safety Award, the product was recently highly commended at the eGovernment Awards and received a West Midlands ICT Excellence Award.