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## Helpline Center & Black Hills Urgent Care name June Volunteer of the Month

RAPID CITY - The Helpline Center and Black Hills Urgent Care congratulate Anne Miller on being named June 2016 Volunteer of the Month.

The Volunteer of the Month program is sponsored by the Helpline Center and Black Hills Urgent Care, a division of Black Hills Surgical Hospital.

Miller was nominated by Girl Scouts Dakota Horizons for always going "above and beyond," ensuring that things always get done right and the Girl Scout girls always have a fun learning experience, wrote nominator Kari Carlson of the Girls Scouts Dakota Horizons.

Miller began volunteering for the Girl Scouts in August 2014 and became a troop leader in 2015. She volunteers in the Northern Hills, filling an important role. "She volunteered to help lift, sort and haul cookies in our warehouse this past February and March. She drove down weekly to help in our cookie cupboard. She often loaded her van to the brim with cookies and delivered them to area troops in Spearfish, Lead and Belle Fourche," said Carlson. "And it should be noted that making deliveries to a hilltop residence in Lead during the winter is not for the faint of heart."

In addition, when the cookie sale coordinator stepped down, Miller volunteered to assist in the duties for her area troop leaders. "If a challenge presents itself, Anne comes up with a solution and takes action. She supports not only her service unit and other troop leaders but the district office as well," Carlson said. "Anne is always there, always willing to help, with a smile on her face."

Helpline Center and Black Hills Urgent Care presented Miller with a framed certificate, gifts from Black Hills Urgent Care and a letter of appreciation from Rapid City Mayor Steve Allender.

The Helpline Center will also recognize Miller at the Spirit of Volunteerism Awards banquet on Tuesday, May 2, 2017.

For information on volunteer opportunities, please call the Helpline Center at 211 or visit <a href="https://www.helplinecenter.org">www.helplinecenter.org</a>



Pictured are Lynn Taylor Rick of the Helpline Center, Kathy Lees of Black Hills Urgent Care, Anne Miller, June Volunteer of the Month, and Staci Miller and Kari Carlson of the Girl Scouts Dakota Horizons.