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SCP Physician Recognized by SSM St. Mary's Hospital

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Dr. J. Ross Avila was recently recognized as the 2015 Physician of the Year for SSM St. Mary's - St. Louis! The award, presented in the second quarter of 2016, is given to a recipient chosen by the hospital's nursing leadership. It was developed to recognize the partnership that nurses have with the physicians at St. Mary's.

Dr. Avila joined SCP as a provider in early 2015. According to an [article written for the SSM newsletter](#), "In just a little over a year, he has become a favorite among nurses and staff who describe him as a very engaged physician who consistently delivers high quality care and exceptional customer service with a smile." Congratulations, Dr. Avila!

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