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Missouri stem cell group wins national award

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The Missouri Coalition for Lifesaving Cures recently received the 2007 National Grassroots Advocacy Award from Genetics Policy Institute for its coalition building to promote ethical stem cell research and protect patient access to federally approved therapies and cures in Missouri.

Jeff McCaffrey, a University of Missouri-Kansas City student and coalition volunteer, also received a 2007 National Student Advocacy Award during the annual "Stem Cell Summit" in Boston. The event focused on the future of stem cell research and its potential to advance treatments for people with devastating medical conditions.

The coalition fought for passage of the 2006 Missouri Stem Cell Amendment. More than 100 patient, medical and faith organizations joined with more than 60,000 citizens in the Missouri Coalition for Lifesaving Cures.

For more information about Missouri Coalition for Lifesaving Cures, visit www.MissouriCures.com.
