

## 2017 Community Leader Corporate Award



## **Harmac Medical Products**

Harmac is a Buffalo-based medical supply company that designs and manufactures single-use products for a wide-range of medical procedures and treatments. Located on Buffalo's East Side, this second generation owned business counts among its client base several Fortune 500 companies. They are an industry leader offering world-class products, but what truly separates Harmac from their competition is their commitment to their employees, to this city, and to the environment.

Harmac has made tremendous investments in the neighborhood in which its production facility is located. Harmac's employees are very diverse, with twenty percent of them living within walking distance. They offer educational programs to employees, summer camp scholarships for their kids and grandkids, and they have partnered with outside agencies to bring services to the plant including tax preparation and money management.

In addition, Harmac has partnered with UB's School of Architecture, Habitat for Humanity, Urban Fruits & Veggies, and others to transform the neighborhood around their facility. They have built new houses and apartment complexes, a community greenhouse and garden, athletic fields and parks, and a site for a job training program bringing new pride to an area that has become known for its abandoned buildings and vacant lots.

For its work to revitalize our City, and for its commitment to its diverse and inclusive workforce, the NFJC proudly presents Harmac with the 2017 Community Leader Corporate Award. Accepting this award is CEO and President John Somers.



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