

Aspen Medical recognised for Ebola response

Aspen Medical has been awarded the gold medal in the International Humanitarian Aid category at the International Project Management Association (IPMA) awards which were held in Warsaw, Poland, on 17 November.

The company was recognised for its management of the [Ebola Response](#) effort on behalf of the Australian, NZ, US and UK governments in Sierra Leone and Liberia in 2014-2015.

Speaking at the awards ceremony, Aspen Medical co-founder and co-Executive Chairman Glenn Keys said the award was an incredible honour for the company which pulled together a rapid response to the global threat in West Africa.

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The Aspen Medical team recorded a zero infection rate despite the high rate of infection commonly associated with the virus.



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Ebola became known as the ‘Carer’s Disease’ due to the high rate of infection in health professionals and Keys said the company is particularly proud of the fact that a large team consisting of hundreds of health professionals and local staff recorded a zero infection rate.

This video follows some of the doctors, nurses and support team who went to Sierra Leone with Aspen Medical to help halt the spread of Ebola

