

Critical Alert Systems President Receives the 2014 Global Critical Messaging Association Industry Award

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Ted McNaught Recognized by Critical Messaging Association For Longstanding Commitment, Leadership And Innovation In The Critical Messaging Industry

Jacksonville, FL – October 20, 2014 – Critical Alert Systems, a leading provider of nurse call and connected care solutions for the Acute Care industry, today announced its President and COO, Ted McNaught, received the Critical Messaging Association’s 2014 Global Industry Recognition Award. The award recognizes industry leaders who have made meaningful impact on the critical messaging industry.

The [Critical Messaging Association \(CMA\)](#), headquartered in Wilmington, NC, is an industry association dedicated to advocacy and innovation in wireless delivery of time-sensitive, critical messages for the healthcare, first responder, emergency industries. The CMA selected McNaught from a list of international nominees.

Ted has been a driving force behind the transformation of Critical Alert into a high growth, healthcare communications company with leading edge technologies. He has driven and managed the operating initiatives to construct a scalable platform capable of delivering the highest levels of customer service and supporting significant growth in the U.S and international markets.

“This recognition for Ted is well deserved,” said Ed Meyercord, CEO of Critical Alert Systems. “With strong leadership, infectious energy and innovative ideas, Ted has made significant contributions to the critical messaging landscape as he has in reshaping Critical Alert into a high growth healthcare technology company. We congratulate Ted for this

recognition on a global stage and thank him for all he has accomplished at our company”, said Meyercord.

McNaught is the founding President of the [American Association of Paging Carriers \(AAPC\)](#), which became the Critical Messaging Association (CMA) in 2010. He is the past President of CMA-A and has been instrumental in expanding CMA’s mission and membership as a global organization. He also is a member of the Enterprise Wireless Association Board of Directors.