# Needham Youth Services

## May RAY of Hope Recipient

# Mae Hardebeck

Left to right: Dhaval Prajapati PT, DPT President of New England Therapy Associates, Mae Hardebeck, May RAY Recipient and Katy Colthart, Youth Services Clinician

### May 2014 Recipient – Mae Hardebeck

Mae is a senior at Needham High School. Nominated by Shira Cahn-Lipman,Med, Youth Director at Planned Parenthood League of Massachusetts, and leader of their new peer education program GRTC (Get Real Teen Council). “Mae is one of our most responsible, mature and remarkable member, although she is the only member from Needham High School, Mae has established herself as a trusted friend and resource to everyone” according to Shira.

Mae has always felt it important to serve and help others. She has volunteered all four years of high school at the Beth Israel Deaconess Hospital in Needham and is an active member in the senior youth group at Needham Congregational Church. As part of that group, Mae has helped to build and repair houses for flood victims in Louisiana and New Jersey. She has also interned at the law office of Russell and Associates.

Mae is incredibly active in Needham High School. She is the president of the National Honor Society. She is on the Varsity Volleyball and Ultimate Frisbee teams and is the anchor for the Needham High School Student News Team. Mae is very excited to be attending Dartmouth College next fall and continue her involvement in her community.

**Watch the ceremony honoring Mae at:** http://youtu.be/5vjJOiExHDQ

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