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From left to right: Christopher D. Hillyer , MD, President and CEO, NY Blood Center; Barbara Bragg, DCAS; Howard P. Milstein, President & CEO, Emigrant Savings Bank and Chairman of the Board, NY Blood Center; Commissioner Edna Wells Handy, DCAS and Andrea Wrubel, DCAS

### **NYC Employee Blood Program Receives Honors**

At New York Blood Center's 50th Anniversary Gala on November 18, 2013 at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel, the NYC Employee Blood Program was inducted into the Blood Center's inaugural Hall of Fame class, along with Johnson & Johnson and MetLife. DCAS represented Mayor Bloomberg, and delivered remarks on his behalf.

In addition, at New York Blood Center's Chairperson's Recognition Breakfast on October 25 at the New York Academy of Medicine, the NYC Employee Blood Program received an award for being 2012's Top Performer for collecting 37,893 pints of blood. DCAS was also honored for being among those entities with 1,000 or more donations (1,767 pints of blood).