



ABHP Meeting Highlights

Association of Black Health-System Pharmacists

ABHP GIVES SPECIAL THANKS AND RECOGNITION AT THE STAR AWARDS BANQUET

On Saturday, May 21, 2005, the Association of Black Health-system Pharmacists (ABHP) held its Annual STAR Awards Banquet to give Special Thanks And Recognition for Excellence and Distinguished Service. The banquet was held during the ABHP Annual Meeting in Coral Gables, Florida. Several outstanding health-system practitioners were recognized. Award recipients included:



Pharmaceutical Care Award: Patricia Ayuk-Egbe, PharmD, Associate Professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice, Howard University, Washington, DC



Research & Publication Achievement Award: John J. Scrivens, Jr. MS, PhD Associate Professor and Director of the Pharmacy Practice Division, Tampa Bay Center, Florida A&M University, College of Pharmacy, Tampa, Florida.



Pharmacist of the Year: Jay Blake, PharmD, Clinical Pharmacist, Ambulatory Care Center, Jackson Memorial Hospital, University of Miami/Jackson Memorial Medical Center, Miami, Florida



Wendell T. Hill Award: Jasper W. Watkins III, LTC, MSA, NP, BCNP, Deputy Director Army Pharmacy Program Manager for Patient Safety, Office of the Surgeon General, Directorate of Health Policy and Services, Washington, DC.



Meritorious Service Award: Miriam Mobley-Smith, PharmD, Clinical Assistant Professor and Coordinator of Academic Programs in the Department of Pharmacy Practice, University of Illinois at Chicago.

Industry Relations Award: Rawley M. Guerrero, PharmD, MBA, FASHP, Senior Manager Marketing, Pharmacy Relations and Education, Amgen, Thousand Oaks, California.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



**ANNIE RUTH MILES NEASMAN,
RN, MS**

is President and Chief Executive Officer, Economic Opportunity Family Health Center, Inc. (EOFHC), Miami, Florida. In her current position, she directs and manages sixteen comprehensive community health facilities and social services agency, including five centers in public schools. Her multicultural, multilingual staff serves a diverse clientele of approximately 25,000 individuals who make more than 128,000 visits to the centers each year. Under Ms. Neasman leadership, the EOFHC strives to provide culturally and linguistically congruent comprehensive healthcare in a holistic manner,

to the community's most vulnerable residents, and continue to set the trend and the standard for primary care services in South Florida now and in the future. Ms. Neasman is the former Deputy Secretary of Health and Chief Public Health Nurse of the Florida Department of Health, Tallahassee, Florida. She has also served as the Executive Administrator of the Miami-Dade County Health Department.

MASTER OF CEREMONY



Karl Brown, RN, Esq., Member, Board of Director, Black Nurses Association

ABHP Board of Directors



ABHP Board of Directors takes the oath of office. *L-R: John E. Clark, Patricia Gellineau, Patricia Ayuk-Egbe, Horace Knight, Michael Nnadi, Jasper W. Watkins.* Oath administered by **Mark Woods**, President, American Society of Health-system Pharmacists (ASHP)

BOARD OF DIRECTORS PROFILE



Horace Knight, MS, RPh

is the Treasurer of the ABHP. He is retired Lieutenant Colonel, US Army. Mr. Knight received his MS degree in Hospital Pharmacy from the University of Michigan, BS degree in Pharmacy from Florida A&M University, and completed a residency in hospital pharmacy from Letterman Army Medical Center, San Francisco, California. Mr. Knight has many years of pharmacy management experience, which includes having served as Assistant Staff Director/Chief, Pharmaceutical Division, Defense Medical Standardization Board, Fort Detrick, MD and Deputy Director, Pharmacy Services, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, DC



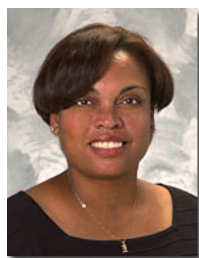
Michael Nnadi, PharmD

is the Board Liaison to the ABHP Council on Organizational Affairs. Dr. Nnadi is Health System Director of Pharmacy, Riverside Health System, Newport News, VA and Associate Clinical Professor, Hampton University, School of Pharmacy, Hampton, VA. Dr. Nnadi received his Master of Health Science degree from John Hopkins University, School of Public Health and Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) degree from University of Maryland, Baltimore, MD. He has Bachelor of Science of degree from the Howard University, College of Pharmacy and completed a residency in Hospital Administration at Memorial Hospital, York, PA



Jasper W. Watkins, LTC, MSA, RPh

is Lieutenant Colonel, United States Army, Medical Service Corps, Medical Command. He currently was serving as Deputy Army Program Manager for Patient Safety, Office of the Surgeon General, Directorate of Health Policy and Services, Falls Church, VA. LTC Watkins received his BS in pharmacy from Florida A&M University, MS in Health Services Administration from Central Michigan University. He is Florida Registered and Board Certified Nuclear Pharmacist



Eva M. Vivian, PharmD

is the Board Liaison to the ABHP Council on Student Affairs. Dr. Vivian is Associate Professor of Pharmacy Practice at Western University College of Pharmacy, Pomona, California. Dr. Vivian received her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the University of Illinois at Chicago and her BS degree from Illinois Benedictine College. She completed a Pharmacy Practice Residency and a Primary Care Residency at the Veterans Administration Medical Center, San Francisco, California. Dr. Vivian is Board Certified in Advanced Diabetes Management, Certified Diabetes Educator, and a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist.



Patricia Gellineau, MS, PharmD

is the Pharmacy Operations Manager, Department of Pharmacy, Jackson Memorial Hospital, Miami, FL. Dr. Gellineau received the BS and MS degree in pharmacy from the St. John's University, School of Pharmacy, Queens, NY and the Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the Florida A&M University, College of Pharmacy, Tallahassee, FL. She is a licensed Florida Consultant Pharmacist. Dr. Gellineau is the past President of the South Florida Society of Health-system Pharmacists



Teresa Pounds, PharmD

is the Board Liaison to the ABHP Council on Educational Affairs. Dr. Pounds is Program Director, Pharmacy Residency Program, Atlanta Medical Center, Atlanta, GA. Dr. Pounds is a Fellow of the American Society of Consultant Pharmacists (FASCP), a Board Certified Nutritional Support (BCNSP) pharmacist, and Certified in Geriatric Pharmacy Practice. She holds the BS and Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) degree from the Mercer University, Southern School of Pharmacy, Atlanta, GA. She completed a Post-Doctoral Pharmacy Residency at Georgia Baptist Hospital and a BS degree in Biology from Spellman College, Atlanta, GA.



Patricia Ayuk-Egbe, PharmD

is Associate Professor, College of Pharmacy, Nursing, and Allied Health Sciences at Howard University, Washington, DC. Dr. Ayuk-Egbe received her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from Howard

University and completed a Pharmacy Practice Residency at Temple University College of Pharmacy. She is also a Clinical Preceptor in Family Practice at Providence Hospital, Washington, DC.



Isiah M. Harper, COL, MS, RPh

Is the Board Liaison to the ABHP Council on Administrative Affairs. Colonel Harper is Director of the Department of Pharmacy Services at the Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, DC. Colonel Harper holds a BS degree in Chemistry from Claflin College, a BS degree in Pharmacy from the Medical University of South Carolina, and MS degree in Healthcare Administration from Central Michigan University. He also completed a Pharmacy Practice Residency at the Walter Reed Army Medical Center. Colonel is a graduate of the Combined Armed Services Staff School Army and the Command and General Staff College.

Eric Balmir, MS, RPh

is the Board Liaison to the ABHP Council on Professional Affairs. Mr. Balmir is Director of Pharmacy, New York Methodist Hospital, Brooklyn, NY. He received his BS degree from the St. John's University, College of Pharmacy, Queens, NY; his MS degree in Business Management and Advertisement from Arnold & Marie Schwartz School of Pharmacy, Brooklyn, NY



Averill D. Gordon, PharmD

Is Commissioned Officer Lieutenant, United States Navy. Dr. Gordon is also Inpatient Clinical Pharmacist and Assistant Division Officer, Naval Hospital of Jacksonville, FL. He received the Doctor of Pharmacy degree from Florida A&M University.



Lydia Ross, PharmD, MBA-HA

is the ABHP Secretary. Dr. Ross is Health Systems Director, Department of Pharmacy, Mount Sinai Medical Center, Miami Beach, FL. She received her BS degree in pharmacy from Howard University, PharmD degree from University of Florida, and her MBA from the University of Miami. Dr. Ross is also a past president and secretary of the South Florida Society of Health-system Pharmacists.

ABHP CALENDAR

Important Dates:

July 22–26: NPhA Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL

Dec 7: ABHP Annual Appreciation & Recognition Luncheon, Las Vegas, NV

Dec 4–8: ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting, Las Vegas, NV

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