

2008



ASHA

*Awards*



**Douglas Kirby, PhD**  
2008 William A. Howe Award

During the past 30 years, Dr. Douglas Kirby has been responsible for shaping and guiding the field of comprehensive sexuality education and his outstanding contributions have left an impact like few others before him. The American School Health Association is proud to present Dr. Douglas Kirby with the 2008 William A. Howe Award.

Dr. Kirby earned his doctorate in Sociology at the University of California, Los Angeles, and is currently a Senior Research Scientist at ETR Associates. Dr. Kirby has conducted social science research for more than 30 years and has been studying adolescent sexual behavior and programs to reduce their sexual risk-taking behavior for more than 25 years. He has directed numerous evaluation studies of adolescent sexual behavior, abstinence programs, sex and STD/HIV education programs, school-based clinics, school condom-availability programs, and youth development programs. He co-authored research on the *Reducing the Risk, Safer Choices*, and *Draw the Line* curricula, all of which significantly reduced unprotected sex, either by delaying sex, increasing condom use, or increasing contraceptive use among teens. He has painted a more comprehensive and detailed picture of the risk and protective factors associated with adolescent sexual behavior, contraceptive

use, and pregnancy, and has identified important common characteristics of effective sexuality education and HIV education programs. In 2001, he authored the groundbreaking publication, *Emerging Answers: Research Findings on Programs to Reduce Teen Pregnancy*, and in 2007 he authored *Emerging Answers: Research Findings on Programs to Reduce Teen Pregnancy 2007* both of which have been widely acclaimed. He has also written reviews of the field for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the National Institutes of Health, and various foundations.

Over the years, Dr. Kirby has reviewed nearly all the studies worldwide that used strong research designs to assess the impact of these programs on adolescent sexual behavior. He conducted intensive evaluation studies that compared curricula that were effective at reducing adolescent sexual risk behavior with a smaller number of curricula that were ineffective. This comparison led to the identification of 17 characteristics of effective sexuality and STD/HIV education programs.

Dr. Kirby has also contributed to the theoretical underpinnings of sexual and reproductive health promotion with the Behavior-Determinant-Intervention (BDI)



logic models. These models have drawn heavily from intervention mapping and stipulate that to achieve a health goal, the development team must 1) specify the health goal(s) to be achieved, and 2) specify all the behaviors that directly affect those health goal(s), specify the determinants (also called risk and protective factors) that affect each of the behaviors, select the important determinants that can be changed, and finally describe the activities that can change each of the selected determinants. A key feature of BDI logic models is the specification of the determinants that can be changed and that in turn affect behavior.

Dr. Kirby has published more than 140 articles, chapters, or monographs on sexuality-related programs and has given more than 300 presentations or trainings to professional groups or to the media on this topic. To better increase awareness of the problems of school-aged pregnancy and STDs and to promote efforts to more effectively address these problems, Dr. Kirby has given more than 400 speeches throughout the United States and the world and has also appeared on radio or television more than 50 times. As a result of these efforts, he has been quoted thousands of times in professional journals and popular newspapers and periodicals including the *Wall Street Journal*, *New York Times*, *Washington Post*, *Today*, *Newsweek*, *Oprah*, *Readers Digest*, and *Seventeen*.

Dr. Kirby has worked collaboratively with numerous organizations to help young people avoid pregnancy and STD. These include, among others, the American School Health Association, the National Association of State Boards of Education (NASBE), the National School Boards

Association, the Division of Adolescent and School Health at CDC, the Division of Reproductive Health at CDC, the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, the National Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy, the Healthy Teen Network, the South Carolina Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy, the California Department of Health, the Georgia Department of Health, the Florida Department of Health, and the American Public Health Association's Section on Population and Reproductive Health.

Though most of Dr. Kirby's work has been in the United States, he has also worked with the World Health Organization, UNAIDS, UNESCO, and the Nigerian Ministry of Education. This work has taken him to Brazil, Mexico, Canada, England, France, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Nigeria, Uganda, Swaziland, India, and Thailand. Consistent with his work in many countries, several of his publications have been translated into various foreign languages including Spanish, Chinese, Russian, and Czech. In more recent years Dr. Kirby has undertaken international work in Uganda and other developing countries under the auspices of the World Health Organization, USAID, the African Medical Research Foundation, UNESCO, and other organizations.

Dr. Kirby's work in evaluating sexuality education curricula led to his work with ETR Associates and the development and subsequent evaluation of the curriculum titled *Reducing the Risk*. It was the first study to provide strong evidence that any sex or STD education program actually changed sexual behavior and reduced sexual risk by both delaying the onset of



sexual intercourse and increasing the use of contraception among some groups of youth (e.g., females).

Also in the early 1980s, his nationwide study of sex education programs included one program in a school-based clinic in St. Paul, Minnesota, that not only provided education, but also a range of clinic services, including contraceptive services. Because the results of this program were promising, Dr. Kirby and colleagues searched for other similar clinic programs throughout the United States which led to "Support Center for School-Based Clinics" within the Center for Population Options (now called Advocates for Youth). Dr. Kirby and colleagues obtained funding and organized the first annual conference on school-based clinics, and Dr. Kirby wrote the first widely disseminated summary of school-based health clinics. The Support Center for School-Based Clinics has since evolved into the National Assembly on School-Based Health Care.

Because of his tireless work and service to school health education, Dr. Kirby has received numerous awards: A few include:

- South Carolina Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy Award for Outstanding Contribution to Research in Teen Pregnancy Prevention, Columbia, South Carolina, 2005.
- CACSAP Beatrice Gore Award, California Alliance Concerned with School-Age Parenting and Pregnancy Prevention, San Francisco, 2005.
- AASECT Professional Standard of Excellence Award 2005, American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors and Therapists, Portland, 2005.
- NOAPPP 2004 Outstanding Researcher Award, National Organization for Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention and Parenting, New Orleans, 2004.
- ASHA Research Award for Outstanding Contributions to Research in School Health, American School Health Association, Denver, 1998.

Dr. Douglas Kirby is a giant in the field of sexuality education research and it is an honor for ASHA to recognize his outstanding work by bestowing upon him the William A. Howe Award for 2008.





## **Susan E. Clark, MS, FASHA** 2008 ASHA Distinguished Service Award

The American School Health Association is proud to present Mrs. Susan E. Clark the Distinguished Service Award. After receiving her bachelor's degree from the University of Iowa, Mrs. Clark started her education career as a Physical Education teacher and coach in northern Illinois more than 30 years ago. She began teaching high school health classes after completing graduate classes in health education at Western Illinois University and receiving her health education teaching certification. At the beginning of her career, Mrs. Clark taught Physical Education and Health at both public and private school venues in Illinois.

Later, she became the Health and Safety Services Director for the Northwest Illinois Chapter of the American Red Cross. In this setting she continued teaching First Aid and CPR classes and worked with Disaster Services to aid in ensuring the health and safety of area residents. After moving to Indiana, Mrs. Clark completed a Master's Degree in College Student Personnel Administration while taking health classes and teaching first aid and CPR extension courses for Indiana University. After a short stint as the Assistant to the Vice President for Student Affairs, she became the Coordinator of Student Discipline at the University of Louisville. Mrs. Clark's health background was very

useful as she dealt with decision making, goal setting, and conflict management while challenging students to rethink their choices. When another move was prompted by career changes, Mrs. Clark came to Ball State University where she has been an Instructor of Coordinated School Health Programs for elementary education majors for the past fifteen years and the Internship Coordinator for the past five years.

Throughout her years as a member of ASHA, Mrs. Clark has made many outstanding contributions, and the trait that many most admire about Mrs. Clark is that she is honest and forthright about her opinions on how to improve ASHA. Mrs. Clark currently serves on the ASHA Board of Directors as well as serving as Chair of the Professional Development Committee. During her tenure in this position ASHA has begun the development of teaching modules online, enhanced the accreditation process for school nurses and health educators, and moved toward more directed professional development opportunities. Her latest endeavor on the Board is assisting in the formulation of the first ever Golf Scramble to raise funds for student research.

Mrs. Clark is also a member of the 2008 Conference Program Planning Committee,



a committee that requires a lot of time and diligence. She has served on numerous other committees including the Finance Committee (2000-2006), Ad Hoc Committee for Short Term Financial Interests (Chair 2005), Outstanding School Health Educator of the Year Award Committee (1995-1997), and has held many offices for the School Health Instruction and Curriculum Council (Secretary, 1999-2001; Chair, 2001-2008; and Past Chair, 2006-2008). In April of 2008, Mrs. Clark served as the ASHA representative to the Healthy People 2010 Public Meeting in Chicago, IL. Clearly, she has answered the call for service.

In addition, Mrs. Clark has served as a reviewer for journals and as an ASHA representative to other organizations. She has a long history of professional publications in the *Journal of School Health*, and she has made many presentations at the annual convention. Her first presentation was in 1998 and she has continued to make presentations through the most recent convention. It is obvious that she has dedicated a great deal of her professional life to ASHA.

Besides her professional commitment to ASHA, Mrs. Clark has served as facilitator/consultant for Southern Wells Community School District through the MICHIANA Coordinated School Health Program initiative (February 2003 - August 2007); presented to Southern Wells Health Advisory Council (April 18, 2005); and attended the YRBS Training for MICHIANA Schools (December 13, 2005). She is currently serving as the coach for West Central School Corporation during the second MICHIANA Institute. Mrs. Clark has been an advocate for health education

since she first started teaching and believes that prevention of risk behaviors, illness, and premature death can be greatly influenced by providing consistent long-term health education messages from multiple venues.

Mrs. Clark enjoys her work with children most. Her pre-service classes present a School Health Fair for approximately 450+ local third grade students each spring and fall term 2001 to the present. Her past work with children has included assisting College Mentors for Kids with health presentations. During the spring and fall of 2001, Mrs. Clark served as facilitator and recruiter of college students for tutoring opportunities at Washington - Carver Elementary School in Muncie, IN.

Because of her many contributions to the American School Health Association and to school health education, Mrs. Susan Clark is deserving of, and is hereby awarded, the 2008 Distinguished Service Award.





## **Carolyn J. Fisher, EdD, CHES, FASHA** 2008 ASHA Distinguished Service Award

The American School Health Association is proud to present Carolyn Fisher, EdD, CHES, with the Distinguished Service Award. Dr. Fisher has been a “solid” contributor to ASHA and school health in general in a variety of roles and over many years. Not only has she attended the annual conference faithfully for many years, she has also taken on numerous leadership roles. She served two terms on the ASHA Board of Directors (2004-2006 and 2007-2009), as well as having served on the Executive Committee (2004-2006). Her role on the ASHA Board has included serving as Chair of Sections (2004-2006) and Historian (currently).

Dr. Fisher has served on several ASHA committees. She was a contributing member of the ASHA Finance Committee from 1999 to 2001 and the ASHA Awards Committee from 1998 to 2000. Of particular note is her service and professional rigor as a member of the Articles and By-Laws Committee (2002-2004 and 2007-2009). In addition, she has represented ASHA at a number of professional meetings and has authored numerous ASHA-related extended writing assignments.

Dr. Carolyn Fisher is the Senior Advisor for Coordinated School Health Programs, Division of Adolescent and School Health,

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (DASH/CDC) Atlanta, Georgia. Prior to becoming Senior Advisor, Dr. Fisher was the School Program Team Lead overseeing all state and local education agency funded programs, and a Project Officer for numerous national, state, and local funded partners. Dr. Fisher developed CDC’s School Health Education Resources (SHER) web-tool for which she was honored with CDC’s 2008 Excellence in Innovation Award, and participated on CDC’s Healthy Schools Place Goal Committee. She coordinates international activities for CDC/DASH and provides oversight for the Health Promoting Schools portion of CDC’s cooperative agreement with the International Union for Health Promotion and Education.

Before going to the CDC, Dr. Fisher was actively involved in improving school health programs in California. She served on numerous state advisory committees for the California Department of Education (CDE), California Department of Health Services, California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, and the California Division of the American Cancer Society. The California State Board of Education appointed Dr. Fisher to California’s Child Nutrition Advisory Council, where she was elected Chair and served four terms.



She served as a visiting educator for the California Department of Education's (CDE) *Healthy Kids, Healthy California*, a state school health initiative, and the federal Safe and Drug-Free Schools program.

At the local level Dr. Fisher coordinated a multi-component, risk-reduction program in Beverly Hills USD, a forerunner to the *Healthy Kids, Healthy California Initiative*, and taught physical education and health education in Beverly Hills and Los Angeles Unified School Districts. She was the Director of Coordinated School Health Programs at the San Joaquin County Office of Education where she provided numerous professional development offerings, coordinated school health programs with the local

public health department, county agencies, and other community-based organizations, and administered the federal Safe and Drug-Free Schools Program and the state Tobacco Use Prevention Education and Teen Pregnancy Prevention grant programs for 13 school districts (100,000+ students). She was also selected by her peers to participate in the Leadership Institute for the California Physical Education-Health Subject Matter Project.

For her many contributions to ASHA and to school health education, Dr. Carolyn Fisher is well deserving of the 2008 American School Health Association Distinguished Service Award.





**Tina Dake**  
2008 School Health Educator  
of the Year Award

Tina Dake graduated from the University of Toledo with a Bachelor of Education in Health and Physical Education in 1999. She immediately took a job as a health education teacher at Whitmer high school, a large metropolitan high school. After two years, Tina decided to go back to school on a part-time basis to pursue her Master's degree in health education which she completed in 2004. Tina has continued to advance the health education program at Whitmer High School and worked towards the health of adolescents in her community.

Tina's professional accomplishments are numerous for someone who has only been in the field for 9 years. These accomplishments started at the end of her educational career with being awarded the Ohio Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (OAHPERD) Memorial Scholarship and the University of Toledo Physical Education and Health Education Award. While at Whitmer High School, Tina helped mentor two new health education faculty with whom she now works closely on all of her efforts at Whitmer. Together, she and her colleagues have helped their school achieve a bronze level Buckeye Best Award in 2002 and increased that to the silver level in 2006. This award is a State of Ohio award that recognizes

schools that demonstrate a commitment to the health and wellness of their students and staff through the establishment of programs and policies that foster such goals.

Tina has created two new courses during her tenure at Whitmer. In 2005, she developed an advanced health education elective entitled, "Health Promotion" in which upper class students work in small groups to create projects that advance the health of people in the school or the community. Then in 2007 Tina helped to bring health education into the physical education class. She has recently developed an "Individual Fitness" course which now counts as fulfilling the PE requirement at Whitmer (an alternative to the "Team Sport" PE course). This course focuses on the knowledge, attitude, skills, and practice needed to engage students in healthy physical activity throughout their lives. She has had many accolades from parents who, during parent teacher conferences, state how their child has become much more interested in exercising and how they wish such a course was an option when they were in school.

Tina is active on the district level Wellness Council and is the co-chair of Whitmer's School Health Advisory Council. She has also worked to bring students into the fold of health advocacy. She developed a



school club called, "Youth Advocates." This group addresses health problems or concerns at the school through health promotion strategies. One example of a Youth Advocates project was working with the School Food Service Director to include labels identifying which vending machine foods are better choices (Snack-wise) and to create a brochure available in the cafeteria detailing the healthier choices of the cafeteria food. Tina also coordinated efforts with a graphic design faculty member and his students to create posters that promoted these efforts in ways that are appealing to the students. Not only does Tina work towards better health for the students, but the faculty and staff as well. Tina worked with her health education colleagues to design a health promotion program for the staff based on an American Cancer Society program entitled, "Active for Life." This program now has nearly 40 staff involved.

Because of her numerous efforts, she has been requested to present her activities as a guest speaker at the University of Toledo and for the Ohio Action for Healthy Kids conference. In these presentations, she has talked about her successful efforts at assessing her school using the School Health Index and how she has collaborated with others in the school for the benefit of students, staff, and faculty. She loves to share her knowledge and passion for health education. During her tenure at Whitmer she has mentored 4 student teachers, 6 methods students, and acted as a resource person for other health teachers in the Northwest Ohio region.

Tina's level of involvement, her passion for helping her students lead healthier lives, and her continued efforts to promote the field of health education make her an excellent choice for the ASHA School Health Educator of the Year Award.





## **Mark E. Doody** 2008 School Health Leadership Award

Mark E. Doody received a B.S. in Health and Physical Education (1978) and an M.S. in Physical Education Teaching and Administration (1983) from Springfield College in Massachusetts. In addition, he worked on his New York State Administrative Certification attending Castleton State College in Vermont.

Mr. Doody began his teaching career in the Warrensburg Central School District teaching health and physical education from 1978-1989. In 1989 he became the Assistant Principal and Director of Athletics for the Sidney Central School District, in Sidney, NY. In 1992 he changed positions to the central office as the Director of Staff and Student Services. In 1995 he moved to Hudson Falls as the high school principal, serving in this capacity until 2002 when he became the Superintendent of Schools.

As both a former high school principal and now as Superintendent, Mark inspires his school community by being an activist for Coordinated School Health Programs. He took the lead in creating a Comprehensive Nutrition Policy, a Comprehensive Physical Activity Policy, which included the use of heart rate monitors and personalized wellness plans for each student, and a Tobacco Policy for the Hudson Falls Central School District.

His ability to work collaboratively, utilizing a comprehensive approach, has promoted a shared ownership by all stakeholders in the school community. Mark is an advocate of programs that support healthy lifestyles and choices for his students and staff. Evidence of his commitment is demonstrated by his district's participation in The Healthy School Leadership Institute. As part of the Hudson Falls team, Mark never missed a meeting and was completely immersed in his team's efforts and their success. He has been a guest speaker at numerous events including NYS Action for Healthy Kids Conference on Preventing Childhood Obesity, at Wellness Policy Development Workshop and at the NYS School Boards Association Conference.

Mark works with other local and regional administrators in their efforts to model the examples which he has set. Mark has distinguished himself in his school community and throughout the state as a "champion" for healthy schools. He recognizes the connection between healthy minds and bodies, and students achieving at higher levels academically. He is an active, engaged, and motivated administrator. With Mark's leadership, Hudson Falls School District was the recipient of the NYS Healthy Stars Gold Level Award. A colleague of Mark's



offered the following, "He truly exemplifies the characteristics of a fully committed administrator, which is a critical component to the success of a Coordinated School Health Program. He is not a passive supporter of school health, simply permitting others to move forward on activities and initiatives. He is an active, engaged and motivated administrator from start to finish."

In 2007, Mr. Doody was recognized by the NYS Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance with the "Award of Distinction for a School Administrator." This award, presented at the Jay B. Nash Awards Dinner was in recognition for extraordinary leadership and commitment to quality health education.

Mr. Doody has navigated his district's successful six year implementation of the Coordinated School Health model. A risk-taker, Mark's comments such as, "When obstacles or resisting personalities

thwarted progress, I assured my SHAC coordinator that I would intervene to make it happen" underscore his professional and personal commitment.

Mark Doody, an innovative, dynamic district leader, embraces the open, shared-decision making process. He collaborates with the medical, professional, and business community, and provides the necessary resources for a successful Coordinated School Health model. His advocacy, championing spirit and selfless efforts to present and educate, state-wide, exemplifies his outstanding dedication. Mark Doody embodies the very essence of *School Health Leadership* and is deserving of the ASHA 2008 Health Leadership Award.





## **Senator Ted Deutch** 2008 Legislator of the Year Award

Florida State Senator Ted Deutch's continual commitment to the health and well-being of Florida youth is admirable. Senator Deutch has both introduced and supported legislation that is very supportive of comprehensive health education, specifically through his involvement with the Florida Healthy Teens Act, requiring comprehensive sexuality education.

Senator Deutch advocates for and supports programs providing comprehensive, medically accurate and factual information that is age-appropriate to target family planning, pregnancy prevention, and STD/HIV prevention. The Healthy Teens Act would require this of any public school receiving state funding for such programs. His understanding of and support for evidence-based programs is commendable. It is imperative that our young people receive information that has been proven to change behavior to reduce teen pregnancy and STD/HIV infection rates as Florida ranks sixth highest in teen pregnancy and second highest in rates of AIDS cases in the country. Senator Deutch is committed to such efforts.

Senator Deutch has received several awards documenting his dedication to health and education, including the 2007 Friend of Education Award and the 2007

American Cancer Society Legislator of the Year award.

For his commitment to children and youth, Senator Deutch is well deserving of the 2008 ASHA Legislator of the Year Award.





## Senator Frederica S. Wilson 2008 Legislator of the Year Award

Senator Frederica S. Wilson is a native of Miami Florida. She is an educator, former School Board member for Miami-Dade County Public Schools, and presently a Florida State Senator and the Miami Executive Director, in the Office of the Alternative Education and Dropout Prevention, in Miami-Dade County Public Schools.

Prior to becoming a Florida State Senator in 2002, she was elected to the House of Representatives where she served from 1998-2002. As a Senator she is a member of and/or served on several committees. Her committee membership includes: Education Pre-K-12 Committee, Vice Chair; Rules, Vice Chair; Oversight and Procedural Policy and Calendar Committee; Social Responsibility and Policy and Calendar Committee; Banking and Insurance Committee; Governmental Operations Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; and the Health and Human Services Appropriations Committee. Senator Wilson has been recognized for her efforts in culminating and securing passage of the Florida Healthy People 2010 Program Bill.

Senator Wilson's public service accomplishments made a mark long before being elected to the State House. She had proven to be an advocate and a

champion for children in addressing educational, social and health care issues. While serving as a school board member she became aware of a pattern of the many minority male youth that were being incarcerated, entering the illegal drug trade and dropping out of school. It was then that Senator Wilson began to challenge the men of Miami-Dade County to intervene in the lives of male youth who were considered to be "at-risk." As a result, in 1993, the "500 African Male Role Models of Excellence" was born. This program taught young men about healthy living habits, responsibility, respect and how to attain future goals. In 1995, the name was changed to the "500 Role Models of Excellent Project", expanding to focus on all young males from the ages of 9-19 who were considered "at-risk."

For many years, Senator Wilson has been instrumental in bringing community partners together to host a "Back to School Health Fair." This Health Fair's main focus is to provide health services to school-age children for school entry and compliancy.

Senator Wilson continuously avails herself of many activities that focus on children throughout Miami-Dade. When Senator Wilson noticed there were high incidents of female abductions near a



high school she conducted an assembly with the female students to address and discuss how they could prevent abductions.

Senator Wilson has received numerous recognitions and awards. Some include: the SEIU Florida Healthcare Union Legislative Hero Award; Day of the Child Mentoring Award; Project H.O.P.E. Katrina Humanitarian Award; Community Action Agency, Youth Leadership Award; Community Health of South Dade, Inc., Health Hero Award; Health Council of South Florida, Inc., Health

Leadership Award; Community Action Agency, Citizen of the Year; and the American Red Cross Spectrum Award.

Senator Frederica S. Wilson's gallant effort to support school health in the school communities of Miami-Dade County, while focusing on education and social deterrents that can influence health outcomes, merits recognition to be chosen for the Legislator of the Year Award. Her dedicated service to all, especially children, makes her well deserving of the 2008 Legislator of the Year Award.



# Other Awards

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## 2008 Presidential Citations

James H. Price, PhD, FASHA  
B.E. "Buzz" Pruitt, EdD  
Ty J. Oehrtman, CHES

## 2008 Fellows

Matthew O. Adeyanju, MPH, PhD, CHES  
Martha Dewey Bergren, DNS, NCSN  
Linda K. Davis-Alldritt, RN, BSN, MA  
Nancy A. Hudson, RN, MS, CHES  
Dianne L. Kerr, PhD  
Adrian R. Lyde, PhD, CHES  
Terrence P. O'Toole, PhD

## 2008 Student Scholarships

*School Nursing:* Megan Dyan Gates, Great Basin College, Elko, NV

*School Health:* Rebecca Vidourek, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH

*Pediatric/Adolescent Medicine/Dentistry:*  
Hannah Rae Bishop, University of Louisville School of Dentistry, Louisville, KY, and Rebecca Verhaeghe, Truman State University, Kirksville, MO

*Other:* Stacie Lue, Golden West College, Huntington Beach, CA



# William A. Howe Award Recipients

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The **William A. Howe Award**, the Association's highest honor, recognizes individuals for outstanding contributions and distinguished service in school health. Presented in memory of William A. Howe, MD, a founder and first president of the Association, the award acknowledges the recipient's outstanding professional contributions paralleling the aims and objectives of the Association.

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| 1941 | James Frederick Rogers, MD<br>Haven Emerson, MD   | 1974 | Mildred E. Doster, MD                 |
| 1942 | Mrs. William A. Howe<br><i>(no first name ever given)</i><br>Hasbrouck H. DeLamater, MD | 1975 | Hester Beth Bland, HSD                |
| 1943 | Lyman W. Childs, MD   | 1976 | Edwin J. McClendon, EdD               |
| 1944 | <i>No award presented</i>   | 1977 | John M. Lampe, MD                     |
| 1945 | <i>No award presented</i>   | 1978 | Lillian F. Bernhagen, RN, MA, BSEd    |
| 1946 | John A. Sundwall, MD<br>John E. Burke, MD<br>Charles H. Keene, MD                       | 1979 | Vivian K. Harlin, MD                  |
| 1947 | Helen Irene Cary, MD  | 1980 | Herman S. Bush, HSD                   |
| 1948 | Sally Lucas Jean, RN<br>Amos Beaghler, MD   | 1981 | Warren E. Schaller, HSD               |
| 1949 | Arville O. DeWeese, MD<br>Clair E. Turner, DrPH   | 1982 | Virginia M. Thompson, RN, MPH         |
| 1950 | Vladimir Konstantine Volk, MD,<br>DrPH  | 1983 | John P. McGovern, MD                  |
| 1951 | C. Morley Sellery, MD   | 1984 | Judith B. Igoe, RN, MSN               |
| 1952 | Charles L. Outland, MD  | 1985 | Loren B. Bensley, Jr., EdD            |
| 1953 | Charles C. Wilson, MD   | 1986 | Roy Davis, MPH                        |
| 1954 | Gertrude E. Cromwell, RN  | 1987 | Philip J. Porter, MD                  |
| 1955 | Cyrus H. Maxwell, MD  | 1988 | Vince L. Hutchins, MD, MPH            |
| 1956 | William E. Ayling, MD   | 1989 | Philip R. Nader, MD                   |
| 1957 | J. Arthur Myers, MD   | 1990 | Guy S. Parcel, PhD                    |
| 1958 | William W. Bauer, MD  | 1991 | John R. Seffrin, PhD                  |
| 1959 | Guy N. Magness, MD  | 1992 | Georgia P. Macdonough, MA, CSNP       |
| 1960 | Holger Frederick Kilander, PhD  | 1993 | M. Joycelyn Elders, MD                |
| 1961 | Ruth H. Weaver, MD  | 1994 | Dana A. Davis, MEd                    |
| 1962 | I.P. Barrett, MD, MPH   | 1995 | Lloyd J. Kolbe, PhD                   |
| 1963 | Fred V. Hein, PhD   | 1996 | Larry K. Olsen, DrPH, CHES            |
| 1964 | Paul B. Kinney, MD  | 1997 | Diane D. Allensworth, RN, PhD         |
| 1965 | C. Adele Brown, MD  | 1998 | R. Morgan Pigg, Jr., HSD, MPH         |
| 1966 | Delbert Oberteuffer, PhD  | 1999 | Elaine J. Stone, PhD                  |
| 1967 | Leland M. Corliss, MD   | 2000 | James H. Price, PhD, MPH              |
| 1968 | Warren H. Southworth, DrPH  | 2001 | Mohammad R. Torabi, PhD, MPH,<br>MSPH |
| 1969 | Marie A. Hinrichs, MD, PhD<br>J. Keogh Rash, HSD, MPH                                   | 2002 | Robert J. McDermott, PhD              |
| 1970 | Harriett B. Randall, MD   | 2003 | Robert F. Valois, PhD, MPH            |
| 1971 | Irma B. Fricke, RN, MS  | 2004 | Thomas W. O'Rourke, PhD, MPH          |
| 1972 | Elizabeth A. Neilson, EdD   | 2005 | Susan K. Telljohann, HSD, CHES        |
| 1973 | Mabel E. Rugen, PhD   | 2006 | Howard L. Taras, MD                   |
|      |   | 2007 | Steve M. Dorman, PhD, MPH             |
|      |   | 2008 | Douglas Kirby, PhD                    |



# Distinguished Service Award Recipients

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Distinguished Service Awards recognize the exemplary contributions of active or retired ASHA members to the Association. Service to the Association includes offices held, committee memberships, and committee chairs.

## 1961

C. Adele Brown, MD  
Emily Brown, RN  
Mildred Doster, MD  
Charles Pemberton, MD  
Lyda Smiley, RN  
Warren H. Southworth, DrPH

## 1962

Marie A. Hinrichs, MD, PhD  
Paul B. Kinney, MD  
Harold H. Mitchell, MD  
Delbert Oberteuffer, PhD  
Helen T. Watson, RN

## 1963

Leland M. Corliss, MD  
Howard S. Hoyman, EdD  
Harriett B. Randall, MD  
Elena M. Sliepcevich, DPE  
Dorothy C. Tipple, SNT

## 1964

Blanche Babbitt, PhD  
Don Dukelow, MD  
Edward B. Johns, EdD  
Jennelle Moorhead, MS  
Mary B. Rappaport, MS

## 1965

Irma B. Fricke, RN, MS  
Ross E. Gutman, DDS  
Dora Hicks, EdD  
J. Keogh Rash, HSD, MPH  
Elsa Schneider, MA

## 1966

Ruth Abernathy, PhD  
Oliver Byrd, MD  
Mildred Coyle, MA  
Mabel Rugen, MD  
William K. Streit, MA  
Floyd Gage Wetherill, MD

## 1967

Leo V. Feichtner, MD  
Edwin J. McClendon, EdD  
Perry Sandell, MEd  
John H. Shaw, EdD,  
Elizabeth Stobo, RN, EdD

## 1968

Caroline Austin, MA  
John M. Lampe, MD  
Trudys Lawrence, PhD  
Louise McNiff, MA  
Wallace Ann Wesley, HSD

## 1969

Lillian F. Bernhagen, RN, MA,  
BSEd  
Madeline Broderick  
Marian V. Hamburg, EdD  
Austin Hill, MD  
Elizabeth A. Neilson, EdD

## 1970

Hester Beth Bland, HSD  
William H. Creswell, Jr., EdD  
Evalyn Stolaroff Gendel, MD  
Lotta Margarette Stewart,  
DHT

## 1971

Rose M. Daniels, RN, MA  
Joseph S. Darden, Jr., EdD  
B. May Hare, MS  
C. George Murdock, MD  
Carl G. Opaskar, MD

## 1972

Albert Myerstein, MD  
Marion Pollock, PhD  
Raymond Sunderman, MD

## 1973

Helen E. Brophy, RN, MS  
Glenn R. Knotts, PhD  
Sidney Listernick, MD  
Dorothy F. McFarland, RN, MS  
John P. McGovern, MD  
Gladys V. Williams, RN, MEd  
(*posthumously*)

## 1974

Arthur W. Eriksson, MSc  
Jessie Helen Haag, EdD  
Arthur L. Hamett, EdD  
Alice H. Smith, MS  
George R. Spratto, PhD

## 1975

Mildred Catchings, RN, MA  
H. Marie Garrity, EdD  
Sanford A. Glazer, DDS  
Lillian S. Holdeman, MD  
John S. Sinacore, EdD

## 1976

Marietta Crowder, MD  
Vivian K. Harlin, MD, MSPM  
Warren E. Schaller, HSD  
Virginia M. Thompson, RN,  
MEd, MPH

## 1977

Peter Haley, MD  
Michael Haro, PhD  
Sue Boe Kaplan, MA  
Ann E. Nolte, PhD

## 1978

Mary Lou Abbott, RD MA  
Lois P. Frels, RN, PhD  
Dorothy M. Lasalle, EdD  
Robert D. Russell, EdD



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## 1979

Herman S. Bush, HSD  
Pauline B. Green, RN, BS  
Stephen Jerrick, PhD  
Robert J. Synovitz, HSD

## 1980

Ruth Bellochio, RN, BA, MA  
Loren B. Bensley, Jr., EdD  
Georgia P. Macdonough, RN,  
MA, SNP  
Philip R. Nader, MD  
Janice Pearce, PhD

## 1981

Peter A. Cortese, DrPH  
Fay S. Cleary, RN  
Larry K. Olsen, DrPH  
Guy S. Parcel, PhD  
Merita L. Thompson, EdD

## 1982

Diane DeMuth Allensworth,  
RN, PhD  
Susan C. Baldi, RN, MS  
Thomas W. O'Rourke, PhD,  
MPH  
Molly S. Wantz, EdS

## 1983

Altha M. Crouch, EdD  
K. Victoria Hertel, RN,MS,  
SNP  
Willis L. Zorn, EdD

## 1984

Dana A. Davis, MEd  
Joyce W. Hopp, RN, PhD,  
MPH  
John R. Seffrin, PhD  
Armin D. Weinberg, PhD

## 1985

Richard M. Eberst, PhD  
Jerrold S. Greenberg, EdD  
Lloyd J. Kolbe, PhD  
Lu Ann Nauman, RN, MSED

## 1986

Darwin Dennison, EdD  
Mary L. Michal, MD  
Ian M. Newman, PhD  
Laurna G. Rubinson, PhD

## 1987

Clint E. Bruess, EdD  
Muriel C. Desrosiers, EdD, RN  
Robert S. Gold, DrPH, PhD  
Warren L. McNab, PhD  
R. Morgan Pigg, Jr., HSD,  
MPH

## 1988

Nicholas K. Iammarino, PhD  
Lorraine Henke Jones, MSN  
John M. Krager, MD, MPH  
Elaine J. Stone, PhD

## 1989

Judy C. Drolet, PhD  
Dorothy S. Oda, RN, DNSc,  
FAAN  
Patrick Kidd Tow, MA, PhD  
Betty A. Williams, RN, MEd

## 1990

Melody P. Noland, PhD  
James H. Price, PhD, MPH  
Barbara Rienzo, PhD  
Susan Thomas, MS  
Genie L. Wessel, RN, MS

## 1991

Doris M. Cullen, RN

## 1992

Charles Kegley, PhD  
James J. Neutens, PhD  
Mohammad R. Torabi, PhD,  
MPH

## 1993

Arvil Burks, EdD, CHES  
Rosemary K. Gerrans, BS, RN,  
MPH  
Wanda H. Jubb, EdD

## 1994

Malcolm Goldsmith, PhD  
Linda Olasov, PhD  
Cynthia Wolford Symons,  
DEd  
Hollie Walker, Jr., PhD

## 1995

Steve M. Dorman, PhD  
Martha A. Poolton, PhD

## 1996

David A. Birch, PhD  
Phyllis J. Lewis, RN, MSN  
Sherri T. Reynolds, BSN, MS  
Susan K. Telljohann,  
HSD

## 1997

Charles R. Baffi, PhD  
Laura Kann, PhD  
Jan Ozias, PhD, RN  
James G. Ross, MS  
John S. Santelli, MD, MPH

## 1998

Stephen E. Barnett, MD  
Linda Baily Synovitz, PhD,  
RN, CHES  
Lani S.  
M. Wheeler, MD

## 1999

Beverly J. Berkin, MA CHES  
Kelli McCormack Brown,  
RDH, PhD, CHES  
Marty L. DuShaw, RN, PhD,  
CHES  
David C. Wiley, PhD

## 2000

Charlotte M. Hendricks, MS,  
HSD  
David K. Lohrmann, PhD,  
CHES  
Roberta J. Ogletree, HSD,  
CHES  
Beth Collins Pateman, MPH,  
HSD



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**2001**

Sherry Everett Jones, PhD,  
MPH  
Kathryn W. Breighner, BA,  
FASHA

**2002**

Joyce V. Fetro, PhD  
Mark A. Temple, PhD

**2003**

Dianne L. Kerr, PhD  
Darrel Lang, EdD  
Kweethai C. Neill, PhD  
Susan W. Spalt, MS

**2004**

Danny J. Ballard, EdD  
Ranjita Misra, PhD, CHES  
JoAnne L. Owens-Nauslar,  
EdD

**2005**

Jeffrey K. Clark, HSD  
William Potts-Datema  
Howard L. Taras, MD

**2006**

Tena Bostrom Hoyle, EdD  
Alan J. Sofalvi, PhD  
Robert F. Valois, PhD, MPH  
William H. Zimmerli, EdD

**2007**

Mary A. Doyen, MA

**2008**

Susan E. Clark, MS  
Carolyn Fisher, EdD, CHES

## Presidential Citations

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**1983**

Dorothy Nelson McFarland,  
RN, MS

**1986**

John Creedon, Metropolitan  
Life Foundation

**1987**

Dana A. Davis, MEd

**1992**

Diane D. Allensworth, RN, PhD

**1996**

Diane D. Allensworth, PhD, RN  
Theodore Desch  
Mildred Doster, MD  
Malcolm Goldsmith, PhD

**1997**

Thomas M. Reed  
Mark A. Williamson

**1998**

K. Victoria Hertel, RN, MS, SNP

**1999**

Peter A. Cortese, DrPH, CHES

**2000**

Warren E. Schaller, HSD  
*(posthumously)*  
Robert J. Synovitz, HSD  
Ed Whitman  
Susan F. Wooley, PhD, CHES

**2003**

Children's Health Market  
Council on Early Childhood  
Health Education and  
Services  
National Association of State  
School Nurse Consultants  
Paso del Norte Health  
Foundation  
School Health Corp.  
William H. Zimmerli

**2004**

Charlotte J. Burt  
Martha L. DuShaw  
E.J. McClendon  
Detroit Public Schools

**2005**

Dept. of Applied Health  
Science, Indiana University  
Peter A. Cortese, DrPH, CHES  
Los Angeles Unified School  
District  
Donald B. Sweeney  
Robert F. Valois

**2006**

Marjorie Cole  
sanofi pasteur  
School Health Corp.  
School Kids Healthcare

**2007**

Charlotte J. Burt  
Lola H. Irvin  
Navajo Coordinated School  
Health  
Beth Pateman  
Cynthia Wolford Symons  
Mohammad R. Torabi

**2008**

James H. Price, PhD  
B.E. (Buzz) Pruitt, EdD  
Ty J. Oehrtman, BSH, CHES



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