

ASHA Awards



1941 to Present

William A. Howe Award Recipients

The **William A. Howe Award**, the American School Health 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.

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



Award Recipients
American School Health Association

Distinguished Service Award Recipients

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. Recipients must be current ASHA members.

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. Sliepecevic, 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

1979

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



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1980

Ruth Bellochio, RN, BA, MA
Loren B. Bensley, Jr., EdD
Georgia P. Macdonough, RN, MA
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 D. 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
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

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



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2004

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

2005

Jeffrey K. Clark
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

Presidential Citations

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
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
Mary Beth Pateman
Cynthia Wolford Symons
Mohammad R. Torabi
William H. Zimmerli



Outstanding School Nurse Achievement Award

1984	Judith B. Igoe, RN, MSN	1993	Bette L. Denlinger, MA, RN, CHES	2001	Marilyn Koop, RN, MPH, NCSN
1985	Earline Schnelle, RN	1994	Elaine F. Brainerd, RN, MA, CSN	2002	Margaret C. Bodie, RN, NCSN, BSN, MSN, MEd
1986	Georgia P. Macdonough, RN, MA, CSNP	1995	Dorothy S. Oda, DNSc	2003	Beverly Hine
1987	Victoria Hertel, RN, MS, SNP	1996	Susan Lordi, CPNP, RN, BSN, MS	2004	Sandy McCarl Landry, MEd, RN, PNP
1988	Alicia Allman Snyder, MA, RN	1997	Betty J. Holton, RN, BSN, MA, Med	2005	New Orleans School Nurses
1989	Dolores Houden, BS, RN	1998	Mary Ellen Hatfield, RN, BSN, MN	2006	Deborah S. Cook, RN
1990	Doris M. Cullen, RN	1999	Susan Praeger, MSN, EdD		
1991	Beverly Ann Shipe, RN, MSN	2000	Mary Zombeck, MSN		<i>presented by the ASHA School Nurse Section</i>
1992	Beverly Bradley, PhD, RN				

Outstanding School Health Educator Award

1990	Sherri Reynolds, BSN, MS	1997	Tena Hoyle, MEd	2004	Deborah A. Tackmann, BS, MEPD
1991	Joyce V. Fetro, PhD	1998	Linda Reilly, RN, MEd	2005	Millie J. Shepich
1992	Candace O. Purdy, MS	1999	Joan Stear, MEd	2006	Leslie Whitehill, MS
1993	Stephen R. Sroka, PhD	2000	Helen Geurkink, MEd	2007	Robin L. Harvel, BSN, RN
1994	Molly K. Berger, RN, MHEd	2001	Barbara A. Hall		
1995	Pamela K. Terry, PhD	2003	Susan W. Spalt		<i>presented by the ASHA Health Educator Section</i>
1996	Beth Galligan, MEd				

Research Council Award

1985	Philip R. Nader, MD	1995	James H. Price, PhD, MPH	2004	Michael E. Young, MEd, PhD
1986	Guy S. Parcel, PhD	1997	Robert J. McDermott, PhD	2005	Carolyn Johnson, PhD
1987	Ian M. Newman, PhD	1998	Douglas Kirby, PhD		
1988	Lloyd J. Kolbe, PhD	1999	Robert F. "Skip" Valois, PhD, MPH		<i>presented by the ASHA Research Council</i>
1989	Robert S. Gold, DrPH, PhD	2000	David K. Lohrmann, PhD, CHES		
1990	Cheryl L. Perry, PhD	2002	William L. Yarber, HSD, FASHA		
1991	Thomas W. O'Rourke, PhD, MPH	2003	Chudley E. Werch		
1992	Elaine J. Stone, PhD				
1993	Brian R. Flay, DPhil				
1994	Mohammad R. Torabi, PhD, MPH				

Legislator of the Year Award

2002	Sandra Murman	2005	Martha M. Escutia	2007	Norman Sakamoto
2003	Garnet Coleman, Texas		Tom Torlakson		
	Eliot Shapleigh, Texas	2006	Tom Harkin		<i>presented by the ASHA Advocacy Committee</i>



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