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The APhA Foundation Awards 2013 Incentive Grants

WASHINGTON, DC – The American Pharmacists Association (APhA) Foundation announces the recipients of the 2013 Incentive Grant recipients. The awarded grants offer pharmacists seed money to implement or support innovative patient care services within their pharmacy practice. The awards are given out in four categories: Residents and their Preceptors, Practitioner Innovation in Pharmaceutical Care, Innovation in Immunization Practices and Student Pharmacist Innovation in Immunization Practices. The 2013 recipients by category are:

Student Innovation in Immunization Practices - $2500

- University of Kentucky College of Pharmacy – Lexington, KY

Innovation in Immunization Practices - $1000

- Sharon Dindial – Dominick's Pharmacy – Countryside, IL
- Sara Flynn – Walgreens/MCPHS – Chelsea, MA
- Leslie Norris - Moose Professional Pharmacy- Concord, NC

Resident and their Preceptors - $1000

- Courtney Ammons - Jewel Osco Pharmacy – Lombard, IL
- Bobby Bero II – Wheeler Pharmacy – Lexington, KY
- Macon Carroll – Duren's Pharmacy – Waynesboro, TN
- Sarah Krahe Dombrowski – Ride Aid Pharmacy/Rite Care – Pittsburg, PA
- Holly Fahey – The Charitable Pharmacy of Central Ohio – Columbus, OH
- Taylor Garber – University of Cincinnati and Kroger Pharmacy – Cincinnati, OH
- Valerie Garcia – Centro San Vicente Health Clinic – El Paso, TX
- Amanda Gates – Kerr Drug – Chapel Hill, NC
- Alison Huet – Kroger Pharmacy – Indianapolis, IN
- Bijal Patel – Dominick's Pharmacy – Chicago, IL
- Andrea Santoro – Kroger Pharmacy – Cincinnati, OH
- Brittany Snodgrass – Fruth Pharmacy – Pt. Pleasant, WV
- Renee Stephenson – Jewel-Osco Pharmacy – Chicago, IL
- Jennifer Wang – Quality Food Centers – Bellevue, WA
- Anthony Weiland – Middleport Family Health Center – Middleport, NY

Practitioner Innovation in Pharmaceutical Care - $1000

- Jean-Venable "Kelly" Goode – The Daily Planet, Inc. – Richmond, VA
- Amanda Hollar – Kerr Drug – Chapel Hill, NC
- Christine Rash - The Antithrombosis Clinic (ATC) at the University of Illinois Hospital and Health Sciences Center – Chicago, IL

Under the umbrella of the Knowlton Center For Pharmacist-Based Health Solutions, the Incentive Grants have been a starting point for many pharmacists to begin active involvement and leadership with APhA, the Foundation and in pharmacy practice. The APhA Foundation believes that awarding incentive grants encourages practitioners to foster new ideas and allows them to "lead by example." Questions regarding the incentive grant program can be directed to the APhA Foundation by phone at 202-429-7565 or by e-mail at info@aphafoundation.org.

The APhA Foundation partners with the Community Pharmacy Foundation (CPF) to fund the Incentive Grants program. The immunization incentive grants program was developed by The Foundation and is now supported through the

Immunization Fund. To contribute to the Immunization Fund, the Incentive Grant program or the APhA Foundation, please visit www.aphafoundation.org.

About the American Pharmacists Association Foundation
The APhA Foundation is affiliated with the American Pharmacists Association, the national professional society of pharmacists in the U.S. The APhA Foundation, a nonprofit organization based in Washington, D.C., works to design solutions to medication use problems in America. The APhA Foundation's mission is to improve people's health through pharmacists' patient care services. For more information, please visit the APhA Foundation website www.aphafoundation.org.