****

**NOMINATION DEADLINE:**

**January 15, 2020**

**California Family Physician of the Year**

The California Academy of Family Physicians annually honors a family physician who represents the finest characteristics of the specialty. Nominees for Family Physician of the Year should:

* Embody the finest characteristics of family medicine;
* Be directly and effectively involved in public service and/or activities that enhance the quality of life in communities;
* Have at least five years of practice experience;
* Be in good standing in the medical community; and,
* Be members of CAFP.

CAFP’s Staff will submit nominee packets to the Communications Committee for review and selection. The California Family Physician of the Year may be asked to serve as a representative to the media, to write articles for *California Family Physician*, speak to student and resident groups and local chapters, or present a scientific lecture at the Family Medicine Clinical Forum. CAFP’s Family Physician of the Year may also be nominated for the AAFP Family Physician of the Year award.

**Past Family Physicians of the Year**

1985 Charles Pruess, MD

1986 Frank Norman, MD

1987-88 Ron Smith, MD

1989 Joseph Scherger, MD, MPH

1990 Janet Armour, MD

1991 Marcia Sablan, MD

1992 Antonio Velasco, MD

1993 Thomas Nesbitt, MD, MPH

1994 Dana Ware, MD

1995 Todd Coté, MD

1996 Patricia Samuelson, MD

1997 Daniel Takeda, MD

1998 Richard Gibbs, MD + Patricia Hellman

 Gibbs, MD

1999 Harry Walker Depew, MD

2000 Daniel Castro, MD

2001 Elizabeth Morrison, MD

2002 Albert Ray, MD

2003 Timothy Nicely, MD

2004 Korey Jorgenson, MD

2005 Robert Werra, MD

2006 Samuel LeBaron, MD

2007 Ada Marin, MD

2008 Condessa Curley, MD

2009 Alan Glaseroff, MD

2010 Eric Ramos, MD

2011 Peter Broderick, MD

2012 Lyman “Bo” Greaves, MD

2013 Michelle S. Quiogue, MD

2014 Carla Kakutani, MD

2015 Steve Green, MD

2016 Jeffrey Luther, MD

2017 Carol Havens, MD

2018 Tipu Khan, MD

2019 Lee Ralph, MD

**Candidate Information**

Name: E-mail:

Office address: City, Zip:

Office phone: Fax:

Medical school and date of completion:

Residency program and date of completion:

Board certified:  Yes  No Date(s) certified/recertified:

Current Practice Setting and Total years in Practice:

 Solo  FP Group  HMO

 Multispecialty group  Academic  Other (please specify)

CAFP Engagement (committees, faculty, board, etc.):

Areas of Special Interest:

**Briefly describe how the physician exhibits the following criteria:**

1. Provides his/her patients with compassionate, comprehensive and caring family medicine on a continuing basis.
2. Is directly and effectively involved in community affairs and activities that enhance the quality of his/her community.
3. Is a credible role model professionally and personally to his/her community, colleagues, other health professionals, and FM residents and medical students.
4. Can effectively represent the specialty of family medicine.

Insert Photo

Attach CV