



## The 2009 Dr. Earl L. Wiley Outstanding Board Award: ORDRE DES CHIROPRACTIENS DU QUÉBEC

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*Presented by Dr. Oliver "Bud" Smith, Jr., FCLB President*

Each year, the accomplishments of one board set a new standard for chiropractic regulation. They model for others the excellence that marks the daily responsibilities of protecting the health, safety and welfare of the public.

They say it can be done – and then they do it.

The FCLB recognition for outstanding regulatory boards is named in honor of Ohio regulator, Dr. Earl L. Wiley. His dedication to public protection stands as a shining example to all of us. His commitment to what is fair and what is true serves as a compass point to every regulator. Dr. Wiley stood on a firm foundation of ethics, while looking forward with a sense of possibility.

His desire to protect patients through responsible governance is reflected by many of the Federation's member boards, but especially by this year's winner. This board stands out in its efforts to improve patient care and practitioner accountability.

- " 2008 saw this board stand up to the medical profession as they reaffirmed the doctor of chiropractic's qualifications to diagnose, pursued this right in court, and won.
- " Further, this board fought for public protection as they pushed to prevent osteopaths from false representation.
- " Finally, this forward-thinking board has begun revamping the chiropractic act, modernizing it to meet current practitioner and patient needs.

From establishing appropriate scope of practice to protecting the public, from proactive efforts to envision the future of chiropractic to incorporating those concepts into their act, these people have taken the board of tomorrow and brought it into clear focus today.

The foundation for their integrity is their commitment to service. Without hesitation, they stand strong for patients' welfare.

For their creativity in finding effective methods to address the future of chiropractic regulation...for their commitment to protecting the public...and for their willingness to volunteer generously their ideas and talent with the Federation family...



*Dr. David Hayes (left) and Dr. Daniel Saint-Germain (right) accept the 2009 FCLB Earl L. Wiley Outstanding Board Award from FCLB President Dr. Oliver Smith, Jr.*

**FCLB's 2009 Dr. Earl L. Wiley Outstanding Regulatory Board Award**  
is presented to

**ORDRE DES CHIROPRACTIENS DU QUÉBEC**



Members of the Québec delegation accepting the award:  
Dr. David Hayes and Dr. Daniel Saint-Germain