



The Earl L. Wiley Outstanding Board Award

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Presented by Dr. Daniel Saint-Germain, 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 board 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 you, our FCLB member boards, but especially by this year's winner.

This board stands out in its efforts to rebuild public trust and board relevance by completely restructuring its entire organization.

- This board instituted ongoing member training on Government Codes and the Open Meeting Act to ensure competence by its members.
- They fought for – and passed – new regulations to grant the board authority to allow a letter of admonishment for minor violations and to cite and fine.
- They hired their own special investigators, additional enforcement analysts, and trained a pool of subject matter experts to dramatically cut enforcement time frames.
- This board completely restructured its administration, developing a Board Member Administrative Manual, creating standing committees to work with the board in maintaining the momentum of change.
- They tightened the operating budget, increasing transparency by making all board and committee meetings available via live Web cast.
- Finally, this board abolished outdated regulations, revised others, and fought for a new regulation governing Manipulation Under Anesthesia.

From reorganizing their house to better protect the public, from proactive efforts to envision the future of chiropractic, to incorporating those concepts into regulation, 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 and transparency in government.

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...

The FCLB's 2010 Dr. Earl L. Wiley Outstanding Regulatory Board Award
is presented to

**THE CALIFORNIA BOARD
OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS**

Members of the California delegation
accepting the award:

Dr. Fred Lerner,
Dr. Hugh Lubkin
and Mr. Robert Puleo