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Russellville Pharmacist Jerrold White Honored for Outstanding Community Service

Washington, DC – The Kentucky Pharmacists Association has selected Jerry White as the recipient of the 2014 Bowl of Hygeia Award for outstanding community service. White was presented with the award at the Annual Convention on Saturday, June 7. The award is sponsored by the American Pharmacists Association Foundation, the National Alliance of State Pharmacy Associations and the American Pharmacists Association with support from Boehringer Ingelheim.

White was a Jaycees member from 1965-1976, and served as Vice President of the Jaycees from 1967-69 and President of the Jaycees in 1970. He has been a Rotary member since 1966, serving as President in 1979. White has served as a Chamber of Commerce board member for many years and the Retail Merchants President in 1966, 1969, and 1972. He served as Chairman of the 175th Greater Russellville Anniversary Celebration and was a board member of the Russellville Independent Board of Education from 1978 to June 2003, serving as Vice Chairman and Chairman for several years. White has served on the Logan County Board of Health since 2006 and is a Deacon at First Baptist Church, where he was also the Secretary/Treasurer of the Board for three years.

Established in 1958, the Bowl of Hygeia Award recognizes pharmacists who possess outstanding records of civic leadership in their communities and encourages pharmacists to take active roles in the affairs of their respective communities. The award is presented annually by participating state pharmacist associations, including those in the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico. In addition to service through their local, state and national pharmacy associations, award recipients have devoted their time, talent and resources to a wide variety of causes and community service.

The Bowl of Hygeia is the most widely recognized international symbol for the pharmacy profession and is considered one of the profession's most prestigious awards. The Bowl of Hygeia has been associated with the pharmacy profession since as early as 1796 when the symbol was used on a coin minted for the Parisian Society of Pharmacy. The bowl represents a medicinal potion and the snake represents healing. Healing through medicine is precisely why the pharmacy profession has adopted the Bowl of Hygeia symbol.

Information regarding contributing to the Bowl of Hygeia future is available by contacting the APhA Foundation at 202-429-7565 or info@aphafoundation.org.

About the American Pharmacists Association Foundation

The APhA Foundation, a nonprofit organization based in Washington, D.C., is a trusted source of research demonstrating how pharmacists can improve health care. The APhA Foundation's mission is to improve people's health through pharmacists' patient care services. The APhA Foundation is affiliated with the American Pharmacists Association, the national professional society of pharmacists in the U.S. For more information, please visit the APhA Foundation website www.aphafoundation.org. Follow the APhA Foundation on [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#) for the latest updates.

About the National Alliance of State Pharmacy Associations

The National Alliance of State Pharmacy Associations (NASPA) promotes leadership, sharing, learning, and policy exchange among pharmacy leaders in all 50 states and Washington, DC, and provides education and advocacy to support

pharmacists, patients, and communities working together to improve public health. NASPA was founded in 1927 as the National Council of State Pharmacy Association Executives (NCSPA). For more information, please visit the NASPA Web site www.naspa.us.