



National Association of
Pediatric Nurse PractitionersSM
OHIO

Past Scholarship, Grant, and Award Recipients

2023

NP of the Year Award: Jill Bennison, MSN, APRN, CPNP-PC

Student of the Year Award: Brook Ackerman, BSN, RN

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Mandi Cafasso, DNP, APRN, CPNP-AC

Member National Conference Scholarship: Emily Vasilchek: \$1,500

Student Member National Conference Scholarship: Rachel Smith: \$1,500

NAPNAP Emerging Leader-Ohio: Keeley Harding, DNP, APRN, CNS, CPNP-AC/PC

Founder's Award: Janet McCleary and Phillis Cunningham



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2022

NP of the Year Awards: Jennifer Weiner

Student of the Year Award: Lindsey Shaw

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Shelly Senders, MD

2021

NP of the Year Award: Lori Beth Milliron

2020

NP of the Year Award: Amy Provenzano

2019

NP of the Year Award: Tomara Price

Student of the Year Award: Kathryn Blocher

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Nancy Ford

Research Grant: Maryanne Tranter

Service Grant: Beth Bish

Member National Conference Scholarship: Kathleen Cox

Student Member National Conference Scholarship: Kathryn Blocher

Mental Health Scholarship: Katie Gast



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2018

NP of the Year Award: Teresa Fletcher

Student of the Year Award: Michael Storts

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Lisa McKissick

Research Grants: Liz Hutson and Kahla Gagne-Loper

Member National Conference Scholarship: Amanda Hadad

Student Member National Conference Scholarship: Christine Mayer

2017

NP of the Year Award: Jill Smith

Student of the Year Award: Ashley Bober

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Tammy Mapp

Research Grant: Gail Hornor

Service Grant: Stephanie Hosley

2016

NP of the Year Award: Teresa Mutterspaw

Student of the Year Award: Shivani Patel

Student Member National Conference Scholarships: Whitney Serafini and Jennifer Scavone (declined)



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2015

NP of the Year Award: Joyce McArdle

Student of the Year Award: Kayla Gagne

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Susan Meyer

Student Member National Conference Scholarships: Kayla Gagne and Heather Hammer

2014

Student of the Year Award: Kelly Griffith

2013

NP of the Year Award: Gail Horner

Student of the Year Award: Stacie Leeper

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Michelle Wilson

Mental Health Scholarship: Robin Brian

2012

Lifetime Achievement Award: Phillis Cunningham

NPs of the Year Awards: Tracey Herstich and Julie Tsirambidis

Student of the Year Award: Dina Cirino



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2011

Mental Health Scholarship: Kathi Minarcheck

2010

NP of the Year Award: Stephanie Marszal

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Mallory Curran, JD

Mental Health Scholarship: Stacie Huff

2009

Lifetime Achievement Award: Judy Gibeaut

NP of the Year Award: Sharon Juszli

Student of the Year Award: Jennifer Johnntony

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Jill Kilanowski

Mental Health Scholarship: Mary Ann Rosencrans

2008

Student of the Year Award: Carrie Lynn Baker

Child Advocate of the Year Award: James Bryant, MD

2007

Lifetime Achievement Award: Sue Milne



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NP of the Year Award: Barbara Schaffner

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Combined Health District of Montgomery County Community Child Health Centers

Students of the Year Awards: Shelli Reed and Barb Hillegas

2006

Lifetime Achievement Award: Jan McCleery

NP of the Year Award: Wendy Bowles

Students of the Year Awards: Abby Reidel, Emily Boone, Susan Myer, Shana Edwards, Stephanie Adams, Michele Brown, & Tammy Young

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Liz Bright

2005

NP of the Year Award: Jackie Kerman

Student of the Year Award: Karen Martin

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Ohio Association of Advanced Practice Nurses (OAAPN)

2004

NP of the Year Award: Kelly Justus

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Pat Marquis



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2003

NP of the Year Award: Marguerite (Peg) Dimarco

Student of the Year Award: Terra Ruthenberg

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Louis Guardiola & Sherrill Williams

2002

NP of the Year Award: Kathy Barron

Student of the Year Award: Karen Helminger

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Beatrice Lampkin, MD

2001

NP of the Year Award: Sally Steward

Student of the Year Award: Heather Schober

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Jill Potts

Research Grant: Marguerite (Peg) Dimarco (\$1,000)

2000

NP of the Year Award: Marcia Simmons

Student of the Year Award: Sherry Kahn

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Elise Ellick

Member National Conference Scholarship: Susie Hindel (\$500)



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1999

NPs of the Year Awards: Donna Abbott and Roberta Anderson

Student of the Year Award: Wendy Gill

Child Advocates of the Year Awards: Elspeth Sawyer and Mt. Carmel Outreach Department

Research Grants: Theresa Skybo (\$1,000) and Hannah O'Handley (\$1,000)

1998

NP of the Year Award: Linda Kerr

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Bellflower Center for Prevention of Child Abuse

Research Grants: Janet McCleery and Gail Horner (\$1,238)

Member National Conference Scholarships: Kathy Barron (\$250) and Jeanette Kight (\$250)

1997

NPs of the Year Awards: Jean Mallonn and Paula Render

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Carolyn Work

Research Grant: Kathy Pong (\$500)

Member National Conference Scholarship: Mary Telloni (\$500)



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1996

NP of the Year Award: Judy Gibeaut

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Sue Hooverman

Research Grant: Linda Kerr (\$500)

1995

NP of the Year Award: Jennifer Bradley

Child Advocate of the Year Award: Mary Ann Rosencrans

Research Grants: Judy Whitesell (\$500) and Roxanne Anderson (\$500)

1994

NP of the Year Award: Jeanne Reitz