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ACCC ELECTION RESULTS

The results of a membership vote for ACCC officers, trustees, and members of the nominating committee were announced at the recent House of Delegates Business meeting.

President-Elect (one-year term) John E. Feldmann, M.D. Treasurer (two-year term) David H. Regan, M.D. Trustees (two-year terms) Robert J. Brooks, M.D. Charles H. Nash III, M.D. Nancy A. Nowak, M.A. Teresa D. Smith, R.N., M.S.N. R. Lawrence White, M.D. Members of the Nominating Committee for 1995-96 Paul N. Anderson, M.D. Robert T. Clarke, M.H.A. Albert B. Einstein, Jr., M.D. David K. King, M.D. Diane M. Otte, R.N., M.S.

NEW COMMITTEE CHAIRS

ACCC President Diane Van Ostenberg, B.S., R.N., announced the new Committee Chair people for 1995-96.

Bylaws

Joyce G. Stair, M.S., B.S.N. Governmental Affairs James L. Wade III, M.D.

Membership

Robert T. Clarke, M.H.A. Program

Michael E. Mohnsen,

M.H.A. Dean H. Gesme, Jr., M.D.

Strategic Planning
John E. Feldmann, M.D.
Ad Hoc Committee for
Reimbursement

David K. King, M.D. Ad Hoc Committee for Standards

Nancy A. Nowak, M.A. Collaborative Research Group Steering Committee Albert B. Einstein, Jr., M.D. Special Interest Group (SIG) Chairs for 1995-96 were also announced. Administrator: Nancy A. Nowak, M.A.; CCOP: Carl G. Kardinal, M.D.; Medical Director: Gordon R. Klatt, M.D.; Nursing: Teresa D. Smith, R.N., M.S.N.; Radiation Oncology: R. Lawrence White, M.D.

David K. King, M.D., will serve as ACCC's liaison representative to the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer, and Robert W. Frelick, M.D., will serve as representative to the National Cancer Advisory Board.

MISSION, GOALS, AND OBJECTIVES

At ACCC's March Board meeting, a motion was approved to amend an objective dealing with interdisciplinary guidelines. Instead of "research the feasibility, funding sources, and partners to develop useful interdisciplinary guidelines...," the new objective reads

"initiate the development of interdisciplinary guidelines."

The change was made to reflect the rapid progress being made in carrying out this goal. The final, approved Mission, Goals, and Objectives for 1995-96 were presented to the membership at the House of Delegates meeting on Friday, March 17, 1995.

SPECIAL APPRECIATION

In February former National Cancer Institute Director Samuel Broder, M.D., sent a letter of thanks to ACCC members. Following are his remarks.

"As I prepare to step down from my duties as Director of the National Cancer Institute, I wish to take this opportunity to express my heartfelt gratitude to the members of the ACCC. Perhaps more than any other organization, the ACCC has supported the National Cancer Institute and its efforts to ensure high quality clinical trials in the

community, with the greatest respect for scientific integrity. I am very proud that during my tenure as the Director, actual resources committed to the prevention and control line, and specifically to the Community Oncology Programs, increased dramatically. I believe that even more resources need to be committed, and regret that I will not be there to finish the job. However, our clinical trials process is certainly alive and well and in no small measure, this success is due to the commitment of the members of the ACCC.

"I have confidence in the future and look forward to progress that will be made possible by the continuing activities of the ACCC, in collaboration with the National Cancer Institute."



During the final moments of ACCC's 21st Annual National Meeting, incoming ACCC President Diane Van Ostenberg, B.S., R.N., presents ACCC Immediate-Past President Carl G. Kardinal, M.D., with a plaque of appreciation for his distinguished service to the Association.