

AWARD

TB Controller of the Year

This is the National Tuberculosis Coalition of America's highest award. It recognizes an outstanding contribution and impact on tuberculosis prevention and control at the local, state, regional, or national level. The award recognizes what tuberculosis controllers are all about!

YEAR	RECIPIENT	YEAR	RECIPIENT
2010	Mike Holcombe	2018	Heidi Behm
2011	Kim Field	2019	Jennifer Flood
2012	Phil Griffin	2020	Jason Cummins
2013	Naveen Patil	2021	Dee Pritschett
2014	Masa Narita	2022	Chima Mbakwem
2015	Jane Moore / Pat Infield	2023	Amy Painter
2016	Nancy Baruch	2024	Julie Higashi
2017	Kristin Rounds		

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William Stead TB Clinician Award

This award recognizes outstanding commitment and performance by a clinician providing tuberculosis care, leadership, or mentoring.

YEAR	RECIPIENT	YEAR	RECIPIENT
2010	Barbara Seaworth	2018	Dana Kissner
2011	Lee Reichman	2019	David Ashkin
2012	Richard Ervin	2020	John Bernardo
2013	Gisela Schecter	2021	Marcos Burgos / Charlie Crane
2014	Randall Reves	2022	Jon Warkentin
2015	Ronald Karpick	2023	Diana Nilsen
2016	David Schlossberg	2024	Lisa Armitige
2017	Stephen Goodman		

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Carol Pozsik TB Nurse Award

This award honors exemplary care, service, dedication, or leadership in the field of public health tuberculosis nursing.

YEAR	RECIPIENT	YEAR	RECIPIENT
2010	Laurie Hickstein	2018	Rocio Agraz-Lara
2011	Mary Younge	2019	Ann Raftery
2012	Tammy McKenna	2020	Pat Iyer / Ellen Murray
2013	Maria Dalbey	2021	Pamela Nelson
2014	Ann Jackson	2022	Patricia Woods
2015	Elizabeth Zeringue	2023	Darlene Morse
2016	Diana Fortune	2024	Teresa Manalo
2017	Karen Galanowsky		

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Ed Desmond TB Laboratorian Award

This award honors exemplary service, dedication, or leadership by a tuberculosis laboratory professional.

YEAR	RECIPIENT	YEAR	RECIPIENT
2010	Grace Lin	2018	Richard J. Oatis
2011	Ken Jost	2019	Marie-Claire Rowlinson
2012	Kimberlee Musser	2021	Angie Schooley
2013	Julie Tans-Kersten	2022	Tanya Halse
2014	Dave Warshauer	2023	Kathleen Milloy
2015	Bev Metchock		
2016	Paula Snippes Vagnone		
2017	Jessica Gentry		

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Robert Koch TB Researcher Award

This award recognizes an outstanding contribution with a clinical, epidemiological, or academic focus by a tuberculosis researcher or tuberculosis research organization working to eliminate tuberculosis.

YEAR	RECIPIENT	YEAR	RECIPIENT
2010	Wendy Cronin	2020	Maunank Shah
2011	Timothy Sterling	2022	Andrew Vernon
2012	Carol Dukes Hamilton	2023	Jason Cummins
2016	Joseph H. Bates		
2017	Virginia TB Program, Virginia Department of Health and the University of Virginia TB Researchers		

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Dixie Snider Award

This award recognizes a Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) employee who has provided outstanding support, through partnership with a state or local tuberculosis community, in the interest of tuberculosis control and prevention.

YEAR	RECIPIENT	YEAR	RECIPIENT
2010	Angela Starks	2019	Benjamin Silk
2011	Thomas Navin	2020	Andy Heetderks
2012	John Jereb	2021	Vernard D. Green
2013	Phil Talboy	2022	DTBE's Molecular Epidemiology and Outbreak Investigations Team
2014	Ken Castro		
2016	Mark Lobato	2023	Gail Burns Grant
2017	Donato (Dan) Ruggiero	2024	Richard Brostrom
2018	David A. Yost		

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Charles DeGraw TB Advocacy Award

This award recognizes an individual or organization for making an outstanding effort or achievement advocating for increased support and recognition of tuberculosis control and prevention efforts.

YEAR	RECIPIENT	YEAR	RECIPIENT
2010	Nuala Moore	2017	We Are TB
2011	Cynthia Tschamp	2018	Robert Kim Farley
2012	John Seggerson	2019	Roberto Assael
2013	Ana Lopez-Defede	2020	Heather Manrique
2014	Natalie Skipper / Jigna Rao	2021	Elizabeth Lovinger
2015	Mike Holcombe	2022	Tenzin Kunor
2016	David Bryden	2023	Texas Center for Infectious Diseases (TCID)

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Joe Ware TB Partner Service Award

This award recognizes an individual or organization that has made a significant effort and/or contribution to the mission of tuberculosis control and prevention through partnership activities with public health tuberculosis programs.

YEAR	RECIPIENT	YEAR	RECIPIENT
2010	VersaPharmx	2020	emocha Mobile Health
2013	Hawthorne Pharmacy, SC	2022	Vanderbilt TB Center
2014	Treatment Action Group (TAG)	2023	Todo Guam Foundation
2015	QIAGEN		
2017	TB Foundation of Virginia		
2018	Barry Kreiswirth and the Public Health Research Institute		

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Unsung TB Hero Award

This award, introduced in 2017, recognizes those within our tuberculosis programs working on the front lines, regardless of their professional training, who daily dedicate themselves to quality patient care and protecting our public’s health. The individuals eligible for nomination for this award conduct contact investigations, educate the community about tuberculosis, provide directly observed therapy (DOT) services, build relationships of trust and respect with those they serve, and are the heart and soul of many public health tuberculosis programs.

YEAR	RECIPIENT
2017	Linda Ellison / Rebecca Stevens
2018	Dorothy Rodriguez
2019	Mark Wolman
2020	Donald Franklin / Maria E. Gomez

YEAR	RECIPIENT
2021	Denese Carrera
2022	Haley Blake

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President’s Award

This award, given at the discretion of the NTCA President, recognizes the individual who....

YEAR	RECIPIENT
2010	Deborah (Deb) Sodt
2011	Sue Etkind
2012	John Bernardo
2013	John Seggerson
2014	Lorna Will
2015	Charles Wallace
2016	Nora Rodriguez
2017	Jon Warkentin
2018	Diana Fortune / Donna Wegener

YEAR	RECIPIENT
2019	Ann Scarpita / Lana Tyer
2020	Barbara Cole / Stuart McMullen
2021	ALA of the Southwest
2022	Saint Paul – Ramsey County Public Health TB Control Services Staff / Malini DeSilva, MD / Lynne S. Ogawa, MD
2023	Ann Rafferty
2024	Maunank Shah / Jeanne Sullivan Meissner