

California Hospital Association

WALKER-SULLIVAN FELLOWSHIP AWARD

- Description:** Honorarium of \$16,000, administered by the trustees of the California Health Foundation and Trust. Intended for recipient and spouse or companion for travel and exchange of ideas with health care leaders in the United States and other countries. Established in 1963 by George Walker of Walker and Company.
- Criteria:** Awarded annually in recognition of outstanding contribution and leadership to hospitals and the health care community. Nominees are selected by the trustees of the California Health Foundation and Trust. The fellowship makes funds available to provide the recipients with the opportunity to study health care delivery activities in the United States and around the world. It enables recipients to have global access to people for the exchange and sharing of ideas. The Walker Fellowship is viewed as a people-to-people activity and opportunity. The fellowship provides funds to publish findings and observations and recipients are expected to prepare both written and oral reports on their fellowship study.
- Recipients:**
- 1963 Frank R. McDougall, Donald N. Sharp Memorial Community Hospital, San Diego
 - 1966 Thomas E. Tonkin, Community Hospital of Monterey Peninsula, Carmel
Clifton H. Linville, Fresno Community Hospital, Fresno
 - 1967 Sister Jane Frances, St. Jude Hospital, Fullerton
Sister John Joseph, Childrens Hospital of Orange County
 - 1968 J. E. Smits, Regional Administrator, Kaiser Foundation Hospitals, Los Angeles
 - 1968 Gordon R. Cumming, Sacramento Medical Center, Sacramento
 - 1970 Arthur Jost, Executive Director, Kings View, Reedley
Emery B. Dowell, Associate Executive Director, California Hospital Association, Sacramento
 - 1971 Henry X. Jackson, Administrator, Valley Presbyterian Hospital, Van Nuys
David E. Olsson, President, San Jose Hospital and Health Center
 - 1972 Shirley Ann Munroe, R.N., Administrator, Hillside Community Hospital of Ukiah, Ukiah
Isadore Weinstein, Administrator, Rio Hondo Memorial Hospital, Downey

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- 1973 Jack Kirkpatrick, Associate Executive Director, California Hospital Association, Sacramento
Reverend Monsignor Timothy E. O'Brien, Director of Catholic Charities, Archdiocese of San Francisco, San Francisco
- 1974 Henry B. Dunlap, Executive Director, Childrens Hospital of Los Angeles, Los Angeles
Viggo K. Meedom, Member, State Advisory Health Council, Sacramento
- 1975 Ronald J. Davey, Administrator, Roseville Community Hospital, Roseville
Leslie R. Smith, Executive Director, San Pedro and Peninsula Hospital, San Pedro
- 1976 Robert L. Montgomery, Executive Vice President, Alta Bates Hospital, Berkeley
John B. Brewer, President, Hospital Council of Southern California, Los Angeles
- 1977 Robert D. Burness, Jr., Executive Vice President, Mills Memorial Hospital, San Mateo
William M. Whelan, President, California Hospital Association, Sacramento
- 1978 Sister Eileen Barrett, Administrator, Mercy Medical Center, Redding
Rodney J. Lamb, Administrator, Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital, Santa Barbara
- 1979 James C. Heidenreich, Executive Vice President and Executive Administrator, Orthopaedic Hospital, Los Angeles
Milton S. Tyre, Member, Board of Trustees, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles
- 1980 Stuart J. Marylander, President, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles
Stephen W. Gamble, President, Hospital Council of Southern California, Los Angeles
- 1981 Elizabeth M. Schilling, Member, Board of Directors, Childrens Hospital of San Francisco, San Francisco
W. Kevin Hegarty, President, Huntington Memorial Hospital, Pasadena
- 1982 A. Dale Morgan, President, Marshal Hale Memorial Hospital, San Francisco
Honorary Walker Fellowship Award
Samuel J. Tibbitts, President, Lutheran Hospital Society of Southern California, Los Angeles
Honorary Walker Fellowship Award
James E. Ludlam, Senior Counsel, California Hospital Association, Los Angeles

- 1983 Wanda H. Stanley, Governing Board Member, Herrick Hospital and Health Center, Berkeley
James E. Sauer, Jr., Administrator, St. Joseph's Hospital, Burbank
- 1984 Richard A. Norling, President and Executive Director, California Hospital Medical Center, Los Angeles
Yoshi Honkawa, Vice President for Government and Industry Relations, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles
- Honorary Walker Fellowship Award**
Paul D. Ward, President, California Hospital Association, Sacramento
- 1985 Sister Josephine Sullivan, President and Chief Executive Officer, Dominican Santa Cruz Hospital, Santa Cruz
Paul A. Teslow, President, Healthwest Foundation, Chatsworth
- 1986 Stephen A. Bowles, President and Chief Operating Officer, Nu-Med Hospitals, Inc., Encino
Hubert C. Perry, Chairman of the Board, Interhealth Corporation, Whittier
- 1987 John C. Aird, Senior Vice President, Health Dimensions, San Jose
Geneva A. Clymer, Senior Vice President, Hospital of the Good Samaritan, Los Angeles
- 1988 Patrick G. Hays, President, Sutter Health, Sacramento
Sister Marie Madeleine Shonka, President, St. John's Hospital and Health Center, Santa Monica
- 1989 Joseph Wm. Hummel, Administrator, Kaiser Foundation Hospital, Los Angeles
Peter W. Kriger, President and Chief Executive Officer, St. Joseph Hospital, Eureka
- 1990 Michael D. Stephens, President and Chief Executive Officer, Hoag Memorial Hospital Presbyterian, Newport Beach
- 1991 Ames S. Early, President and Chief Executive Officer, Scripps Memorial Hospitals, Inc., La Jolla
- 1992 Walter W. Noce, Jr., Executive Vice President, Saint Joseph Health System, Orange
- Honorary Walker Fellowship Award**
Russell B. Williams, Retired, Vice President and Regional Hospital Administrator, Kaiser Foundation Hospital, Pasadena
- 1993 Everett L. Beck, Administrator, Mayers Memorial Hospital District, Fall River Mills

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- 1994 Charles H. Mason, Jr., President and Chief Executive Officer, Mills Peninsula Health System, Burlingame
Honorary Walker Fellowship Award
Charles F. Forbes, Legal Counsel, California Association of Hospitals and Health Systems
- 1995 William D. Parente, Director and Chief Executive Officer, Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center, Santa Monica
- 1996 Stanley C. Oppgaard, Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, Methodist Hospital/Mercy Healthcare of Sacramento, Sacramento
- 2001 Thomas M. Priselac, President and Chief Executive Officer, Cedars-Sinai Health System, Los Angeles
- 2003 Martha H. Marsh, President and Chief Executive Officer, Stanford Hospital and Clinics, Stanford
- 2005 Philip R. Wolfe, President and Chief Executive Officer, Enloe Health System, Chico

Note: Honorary Walker fellows are designated award recipients but without stipend and study or reporting requirements.