



In Memorium: Sidney Phillips ★ It is with profound sadness that we report that a beloved member of the TSHP family, Sidney Phillips, PharmD, MBA, passed away on Friday, July 2, 2021. Sid was a wonderful friend, pharmacist, father, husband, colleague, leader, and mentor, and loss leaves us all in shock and filled with so much sadness. The family has set up a trust for Sid's children's future education expenses. Donations to the children's trust can be made one of two ways:



C/O Phillips Family Trust
P.O. Box 2153
Houston, TX 77070-9998
Or via Zelle to jjphillipstrust@yahoo.com.

The family has also asked that a scholarship fund be established to honor his contributions and legacy in pharmacy practice. Donations to the scholarship fund may be made here: <https://tshp.org/donations/donate.asp?id=21016>.

Our deepest sympathies are extended to the Phillips Family as well as to his many friends and colleagues. Please join us in keeping Sid's family in our thoughts and prayers.

TSHP Offers Opportunities to Earn TSBP-required CEs On-Demand★

TSHP is pleased to announce the first of a series of on-demand education absolutely free to TSHP members. Over the course of this year, TSHP will be releasing CPE designed to meet your renewal needs. Gain CPE credit in *law, pain management, sterile compounding, and more*. You'll continue to have access to this free education as long as you maintain your TSHP membership. We'll be sharing more about this member benefit as the year continues.



Take advantage of your membership and obtain your free 1-hour law credit today. **[Learn More @ <https://www.lecturepanda.com/a/21110>]**

Just Released - TJHP Volume 20 Issue 2 ★ TSHP released their Summer 2021 issue of *TJHP*. This issue will contain local chapter news, Texas Prescription Drug Monitoring Program Evolution and Outcomes, Retrospective Review of Pharmaceutical Care Services Provided by Academic Pharmacy Teams in an Inpatient Setting, Optimizing the Timing of Phenytoin Levels in the Inpatient Setting, the New Drug list, the Do Not Crush list and more! *TJHP* is free for all TSHP members.

[Access your virtual copy here: https://www.tshp.org/tjhp_current]



Emergency Department and Trauma Specialty Seminar ★ Specialty education seminar a success. The 2021 TSHP Emergency Department and Trauma Specialty Seminar that was held on July 17th was a success thanks to all our passionate attendees and TSHP ED/Trauma Specialty Seminar Task Force. The Task force members specifically designed the event to meet the needs of Texas emergency department and trauma pharmacy professionals.

This event featured twelve educational sessions delivered by both professional educators and practicing professionals. Participants were able to obtain credit on such topics as pain management, patient safety, and preceptor education. In addition the attendees were engaged during networking discussions expertly facilitated by TSHP ED/Trauma Task Force members.

Recordings of the presentations will be made available on TSHP's website for home-study CPE credit soon. **[To learn more or discover future specialty education offerings through TSHP, visit our website here: https://tshp.org/page/specialty_education.]**



TSHP Announces Member Recognition Award Winners★ (TSHP) is pleased to announce the recipients of the 2021 TSHP Member Recognition Awards:

- 2021 TSHP Distinguished Service Award Winner—**Jennifer Ridings-Myhra**, MEd, RPh, Assistant Dean for Experiential and Professional Affairs and Clinical Associate Professor with The University of Texas at Austin
- 2021 TSHP Industry Service Award Winner—**Jesse Chaffino**, Pharmaceutical Healthcare Representative
- 2021 TSHP Innovative Collaborative Practice Award Winner—**HCA Houston Healthcare Kingwood Clinical Pharmacists**
- 2021 TSHP Lewis S. Smith Pharmacy Practitioner Award Winner—**Katie Morneau**, PharmD, Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, MICU/ASP with South Texas Veterans Health Care System
- 2021 TSHP Mike Knapp Pharmacy Technician Award Winner—**Daniel Nyakundi**, CPhT, RhTR, Pharmacy Resource Specialist with Memorial Hermann Memorial City
- 2021 TSHP New Pharmacist Award Winner—**Joseph Nguyen**, PharmD, MBA, Clinical Lead Pharmacist in Controlled Drugs & Surgery with Texas Health Harris Methodist Hospital
- 2021 TSHP Pharmacy Leadership Award Winner—**Mallory Gessner-Wharton**, PharmD, MS, BCPS, Director of Pharmacy with HCA Houston Healthcare Kingwood
- 2021 TSHP Pharmacy Mentor Award Winner—**David Wallace**, PharmD, RPh, Clinical Associate Professor and Director of Co-Curriculum with University of Houston College of Pharmacy
- 2021 TSHP Lourdes M. Cuellar Circle of Excellence Award Winners – **Todd Connor**, PharmD, MS, Director of Pharmacy Acute Care with UTSW Medical Center; **Mike De Luna**, PharmD, Inpatient Pharmacist with Brooke Army Medical Center at Ft. Sam Houston; **Reba Forbes**, PhD, PharmD, Senior Pharmacist with Houston Methodist Willowbrook,



Clinical Pharmacist with HCA Houston Healthcare Kingwood; **Daniel Nyakundi**, CPhT, RhTR, Pharmacy Resource Specialist with Memorial Hermann Memorial City; **Ardath Plauche**, PharmD, RN, BCPS, BCIDP, Infectious Diseases Clinical Pharmacist with Memorial Hermann Katy Hospital; **Justin Shanks**, PharmD, Clinical Pharmacist with HCA Houston Healthcare Kingwood; **Wesley Wells**, PharmD, BCPS, BCPPS, Regional Pharmacy Director with the Covenant Medical Center

The award winners were announced at an awards ceremony during the TSHP 2021 Virtual Annual Seminar on April 10, 2021.

TSHP annually recognizes outstanding individuals and organizations within our community for excellence and a commitment to advancing healthcare and pharmacy practice in Texas.

[For more information about the TSHP Member Recognition Awards, please visit https://tshp.org/page/member_recognition.]

87th Legislative Session Report ★ The Texas 87th Legislative Session was incredibly unique as COVID limitations meant that many legislative meetings were conducted virtually and the Capitol's halls were often empty. Despite the limitations, TSHP was still out in full force, advocating for patient care and the advancement of the profession.

Read about the summaries of the issues we advocated on during the 2021 legislative session and how TSHP continues to advocate for you and the profession on page 19 and 20 of *TJHP*

(www.tshp.org/tjhp_current).

During legislative sessions, you can get weekly updates from TSHP Advocacy calls open to all TSHP members. **[Questions? Contact [Stacey Mather, TSHP Executive Director](#)]**



TSHP Releases the Medication History Certificate Program ★ TSHP is now accepting registration for the first class of the TSHP Medication History Certificate Program. Participants will receive 15 hours of ACPE-provider accredited credit, a digital certificate of completion, a digital certificate badge, and recognition on the TSHP website.

[For details regarding this exciting opportunity (and more coming soon!), visit the TSHP website here: <https://tshp.org/page/certificate-programs>.]

2021-22 Mentorship Program ★ TSHP is excited to announce that they have received many applications for the 2021-2022 Mentorship Program! Matches will be made by the end of this month. All applicants will get an email in early September letting them know who they have matched with for the program. Any questions about the matching process can be directed to [Paige Haines, Membership & Communications Specialist](#). Interested in joining next year? **[Learn more about the program here: <https://tshp.org/page/mentorship>.]**



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Save the Date – Annual Seminar 2021 – May 13-15, 2022 ★ TSHP is hosting their largest educational and networking meeting of pharmacists, students, technicians, and industry professionals in Texas from May 13th to May 15th of 2022 in Round Rock, Texas.

[Check out our 2022 Annual Seminar website in the next coming months, as we add more details about the schedule and registration:

https://tshp.org/page/annual_seminar&VID=8975436.