Adele Dellenbaugh Hofmann Award: Request for Nominations for the 1997 Award Recipient

The American Academy of Pediatrics Section on Adolescent Health selects one individual each year who exemplifies excellence in the field of adolescent health to receive the Adele Dellenbaugh Hofmann Award.

Qualifications to be considered:

- An advocate for adolescents who enhances the care of the adolescent in pediatrics.
- Exceptional circumstances, the individual should be a member of the American Academy of Pediatrics.
- The Award consists of a $1,000 honorarium, a plaque, and specified travel expenses to attend the AAP Annual Meeting, where the recipient will give a short presentation.
- Letters identifying possible nominees should be sent to: The American Academy of Pediatrics, Section on Adolescent Health, 141 Northwest Point Boulevard, Elk Grove Village, Illinois 60007.
- Supporting information for each nominee should include a statement from the nominator and biographical data, including current title, on the nominee. The statement from the nominator shall be limited to one page, double spaced and will indicate why the nominator feels the nominee qualifies for the Award.
- The nominator should request an additional letter of support from an individual who is familiar with the nominee’s work. The letter should contain examples of the actions or achievements that make the nominee outstanding and worthy to receive the Award.
- All materials should be postmarked to the address above by June 14, 1996.

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**Department of Pediatrics, University of South Florida College of Medicine, 17th Annual Issues and Advances in Pediatrics, Sheraton Sand Key Resort, Clearwater Beach, Florida, April 11th to 13th, 1996. Credit: it 18 hours AMA-I. For further information, contact Rebecca Scott at (813) 272-2744, fax (813) 272-2749.

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**June**

**Pediatric Infectious Disease Seminar** (Fourteenth Annual Lloyd Nolans), June 18-22, 1996, Hilton Head Island, S.C. Faculty: Drs. Ambrosino, Edwards, Fereder, Marks, Sawyer. Call/Write: Department of Medical Education, Lloyd Nolans Hospital, P.O. Box 538, Fairview, AL 35044; (205) 783-5276.

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The 1997 Young Investigator Research Grant is supported by an educational grant from Sigma-Tau Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

The deadline for submission is June 3, 1996. For more information about this opportunity which includes application procedures and a copy of the application form, please contact:

Young Investigator Research Grant, c/o Jackie Bucko, Sections Manager, American Academy of Pediatrics, Department of Education, 141 Northwest Point Boulevard, Elk Grove Village, Illinois 60007, (800) 433-9016 extension 6759

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