



Minnesota Public Health Association

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B. ROBERT LEWIS AWARD

Background

Established in 1979 to honor "an Elected Official who has distinguished him/herself in aggressive pursuit to establish and maintain health as a human right and to secure optimal community and personal health." It is named for B. Robert Lewis who served in the Minnesota Senate from 1973 until his untimely death in April 1979. Senator Lewis was a good friend of public health. He carried many significant pieces of legislation, particularly in the areas of health and social change.

Guidelines

The nominee should have:

1. Distinguished him/herself as an elected official in the area of public health.
2. Displayed leadership as recognized by the impact of his/her effort.

B. Robert Lewis Award Winners

1980	George Perpich	2007	Kathy Sheran
1981	Lee Greenfield		
1982	Linda Berglin		
1983	Dee Long		
1985	Calvin Condon		
1986	Donald Fraser George Latimer		
1987	David Durenberger		
1988	Walter F. Mondale		
1990	Ann Wynia		
1991	Paul Ogren		
1992	Rebecca Lourey		
1993	Gloria Seigel		
1994	Diane Ahrens		
1995	Sharon Sayles-Belton		
1996	Marilyn Krueger		
1997	Bill Brakke		
1998	Hubert H. Humphrey III		
1999	Coral Houle		
2000	Martin Sabo		
2001	Paul Wellstone		
2002	Thomas Huntley		
2003	Roger Moe		
2004	Kathy Tingelstad		
2006	Dave Thune		