

## Working Party Report January 2018

### **New AAFP Foundation Officers**

The AAFP Foundation is pleased to announce its new Officer slate for the 2018 calendar year. The Officers were elected at the November 2017 meeting of the Board of Trustees.

P. Brent Smith, MD, MSc, FAAFP, President  
Douglas A. Spotts, MD, FAAFP, President-Elect  
Julie K. Anderson, MD, FAAFP, Vice President  
Rebecca Jaffe, MD, MPH, FAAFP, Treasurer

The new Officers elections take effect January 1, 2018.

### **New Strategic Plan**

The AAFP Foundation Board of Trustees approved a new three-year strategic plan at the November 2017 Board meeting. This new strategic plan, which will take effect in January will focus the Foundation's work in three primary areas:

***Focus*** — On initiatives that elevate awareness, create sustainability, and are reflective of our mission.

***Growth*** — In effectively developing new and innovative opportunities to increase donors, financial support, and volunteer base.

***Alignment*** — By seeking stronger and more effective collaboration that supports and enhances our mission.

In addition, the AAFP Foundation will continue to emphasize signature programs in three major areas, Humanitarian, Education and Scientific through Family Medicine Cares, Family Medicine Leads and a yet to be named Scientific initiative.

## **Disaster Assistance**

Given the significant natural disasters that have affected Texas, Florida and the Caribbean this year, the AAFP Foundation has been extremely active in providing financial support to the affected areas. The AAFP Foundation raised more than \$125,000 primarily from AAFP member contributions, which has been distributed to all affected areas. The AAFP Foundation works directly with two disaster relief partners, Heart to Heart International and International Medical Corp who have, and continue to be extremely active in all three areas. The AAFP Foundation has also provided more than \$20,000 directly to the Puerto Rico AAFP Chapter and its members to assist with the purchase of generators and structural repair.

## **Family Medicine Cares, USA Grants**

The AAFP Foundation Board approved the following grants as part of the Family Medicine Cares USA free health clinic program:

### New Free Clinic

\$24,500 to Salud Sin Fronteras Student Run Free Clinic  
El Paso, TX

### Existing Free Clinic

\$10,000 to Greenville Free Medical Clinic  
Greenville, SC

\$9,050 to Anne Kastor Brooklyn Free Clinic  
Brooklyn, NY

\$10,000 to St. Jeanne de Lestonnac Free Clinic  
Orange, CA

\$6,691 to TriCity Health Partnership Medical & Dental Clinic  
St. Charles, IL

\$5,360 to Coachella Valley Volunteers in Medicine  
Indio, CA

\$5,000 to Mission Travis Mercy  
Fort Worth, TX

\$4,399 to Asheville Buncombe Community Christian  
Ministry's Doctors' Medical Clinic  
Asheville, NC