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### **1980s**

1986–1987 — Darlene Paduano, RN, CDE

1987–1988 — Peggy Yarborough, RPh, CDE

1988–1989 — Linda Warren, RN, CDE

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### **1990s**

1990–1991 — Harold Starkman, MD, CDE

1991–1992 — Richard Rubin, PhD, CDE

1992–1993 — Jan Norman, RD, CDE

1993–1994 — Barbara Schreiner, RN, CDE

1994–1995 — Bill Polonsky, PhD, CDE

1995–1996 — Gail D'Eramo Melkus, RN, EdD, C-ANP, CDE

1996–1997 — Steve Ponder, MD, CDE

1997–1998 — John Zrebiec, MSW, CDE

1998–1999 — Marjorie Cypress, MS, C-ANP, CDE

1999–2000 — Kurt Alexander, MD, CDE

### **2000s**

2000–2001 — Barbara McCloskey, PharmD, BCPS, CDE

2001–2002 — Geralyn R. Spollett, MSN, C-ANP, CDE

2002–2003 — Samuel E. Crockett, MD, CDE

2003–2004 — Wendy Kushion, RN, MSN, CS, CDE

2004–2005 — Sandra R. Muchnick, MEd, CDE

2005–2006 — Karen A. Chalmers, MS, RD, LD, CDE

2006–2007 — Fern Vining, RN, MA, CDE

2007–2008 — Patti Duprey, MSN, ARNP, CDE

2008–2009 — Cindy Halstenson, RD, LD, CDE

2009–2010 — Karen Bolderman, RD, LD, CDE

## **2010s**

2010 — David Randal, PsyD, LP, CDE

2011 — Samuel Abbate, MD, CDE

2012 — Susanna M. Robinson, RPh, CDE

2013 — Carolyn C. Harrington, RD, CD, CDE

2014 — Kellie Rodriguez, MSN, MBA, CDE

2015 — Sue McLaughlin, MOL, BS, RD, CDE

2016 — John "Tommy" Johnson, PharmD, CDE, FAADE

2017 — Carolé Mensing, RN, MA, CDE, FAADE

2018 — Joan Bardsley, MBA, RN, FAADE, CDE

2019 — Leonard Sanders, MD, FACP, BC-ADM, CLS, CDE

## **2020s**

2020 — Jasmine D. Gonzalvo, PharmD, BCPS, BC-ADM, CDCES, LDE

2021 — Ben Klein, BS, Public Member

2022 — Becky Sulik, RDN, LD, CDCES

2023 — James Bernasko, MD, FACOG, CDCES

2024 — Melanie Batchelor, MHS, RD, LDN, CDCES

2025 — Nancy D'Hondt, RPh, CDCES, FADCES