

Congratulations to Dr. Cady for receiving the Janet Travell Pain Management Clinical Award last week at the 20th Annual Conference of the American Academy of Pain Management in Phoenix, AZ. This award is presented to a clinician who has contributed to the advancement of the field of pain management and the welfare of others through direct clinical services. In addition to the award, Dr. Cady made two presentations at the conference, "Post-traumatic Headache" and "Limbic Influences on Pain and Pain Perception.

Debbie Arnold also co-presented an all day pre-conference workshop to physicians, "Physical Therapy for Pain Management". At the awards banquet, she received an Excellence in Continuing Education Award, and she and Drs. Cady and Farmer accepted HCC's re-accreditation plaque from the AAPM.

The AAPM is the nation's largest and only integrative professional pain management organization. As an organization that has advocated for increased collaboration among pain clinicians, the Academy supports integrative care as the gold standard for managing pain. Their educational programs reflect the Academy's commitment to evidence-based medicine and reinforce the integrative, "whole person" approach to managing pain. They credential pain practitioners, and they are one of only two organizations in the US that accredit pain programs.