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ACHCA Announces 2020 Chapter/District Achievement Award Recipients

Washington, DC. February 19, 2020 – The American College of Health Care Administrators (ACHCA) is pleased to announce the 2020 Chapter/District Achievement Award recipients. The awards will be presented during the Awards Dinner, Tuesday, May 5, 2020 at the ACHCA Annual Convocation & Exposition being held May 3-6, 2020, in New Orleans, Louisiana, Hilton New Orleans Riverside.

“Our chapters continue to be the core of our organization. Vibrant local programs and initiatives build value for our members and raise the visibility of ACHCA. Congratulations to this year’s award winners”, comments Bill McGinley, ACHCA’s President and CEO.

Chapter/District	Name of Initiative	Scope (Goal) of Project/Initiative
District 1 Director, Matt Lessard, CNHA, FACHCA	The New England Administrator	To increase communication throughout District One through a newsletter format. The second goal is to increase the visibility of and promote ACHCA throughout New England.
ACHCA Connecticut Chapter President, Elizabeth Schmeizl, FACHCA	Collaboration with the Department of Public Health	To work with DPH on educating Owners, Administrators, Directors of Nurses and other leaders in the industry on new State and Federal changes to the survey process and discuss trends. There is also an opportunity to ask questions and provide feedback.
ACHCA Massachusetts Chapter President, David Bell	Member Education Initiative	To provide financial assistant for education both on the national and local level for their membership.

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About ACHCA

Founded in 1962, ACHCA is a non-profit professional membership association that provides superior educational programming, networking, and career development opportunities for its members. Guided by the vision that dynamic leadership fosters long term health care services that are meaningful, successful, and efficient, ACHCA identifies, recognizes, and supports post-acute and aging services administrators, advocating for their professional development and promoting excellence in their profession.

The American College of Health Care Administrators (ACHCA) is the catalyst for excellence in post-acute and aging services leadership. For more information about the ACHCA awards program, visit www.achca.org/achca-awards.