

2009 CSA Distinguished Service Award R. Lawrence Sullivan, Jr., M.D.

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History of the CSA Distinguished Service Award

The California Society of Anesthesiologists created a Distinguished Service Award Committee in January 1974. The award was established for recognition of distinguished and meritorious service by members of CSA.

The Committee is composed of the five past presidents preceding the immediate past president. They determine, from nominations received from district directors, who should be the nominees for that current year, to be presented to the House of Delegates for its approval. The nominees are members who have demonstrated outstanding and meritorious service to the Society. These services may be of an organizational, civic, political, educational, clinical or research nature.

Recipients to Date

1976	Donald J. Lauber, M.D.	1993	None
1977	M. Kathleen Belton, M.D.	1994	Evelyn B. Squier, CSA Asst. Executive Director
1978	William B. Neff, M.D.	1995	None
1979	None	1996	Peter L. McDermott, M.D.
1980	None	1997	None
1981	John R. Raymond, M.D.	1998	Arthur O. McGowan, M.D.
1982	John S. Hattox, M.D.	1999	Thomas W. Feeley, M.D.
1983	James S. West, M.D.	2000	None
1984	Solomon Statman, M.D.	2001	Norman Levin, M.D.
1985	Don R. King, M.D.	2002	Thomas A. Joas, M.D.
1986	Gilbert E. Kinyon, M.D.	2003	Stephen H. Jackson, M.D.
1987	None	2004	Thomas H. Cromwell, M.D.
1988	Gerald Nudell, M.D.	2005	J. Kent Garman, M.D.
1989	None	2006	Caryl J. Guth, M.D.
1990	Douglass H. Batten, M.D.	2007	Jack L. Moore, M.D.
1991	Norman R. Catron, CSA Executive Director	2008	Ben Shwachman, M.D.
1992	None		