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## **ARKANSAS PHARMACISTS ASSOCIATION INSTALLS 2014-2015 OFFICERS**

FAYETTEVILLE, AR (June 13, 2014)- The Arkansas Pharmacists Association (APA) installed its 2014-2015 officers

on Friday, June 13, at its 132nd Annual Convention held June 12-14 at The Chancellor Hotel in Fayetteville. Dr.

Brandon Cooper was installed as APA President; Cooper is a pharmacist at Soo's Drug & Compounding Center

and co-owner of Soo's West End Pharmacy in Jonesboro. He succeeds Dr. Dana Woods, pharmacist in

Mountain View. The complete list of 2014-2015 officers and directors who were installed include:

- **President** Dr. Brandon Cooper, Soo's Drug & Compounding Center and co-owner of Soo's West End Pharmacy, Jonesboro.
- **President-Elect-** Dr. John Vinson, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (UAMS) West, Fort Smith.
- Vice President- Dr. Eddie Glover, U.S. Compounding, Conway.
- Area I Representative- Dr. Michael Butler, Village Healthmart, Hot Springs Village.
- **District 3 President** Dr. Chris Allbritton, Veterans Healthcare System of the Ozarks, Fayetteville.
- District 6 President- Dr. Stephen Carroll, AllCare Pharmacy, Arkadelphia.
- District 7 President- Dr. C.A. Kuykendall, Village Pharmacy, Ozark.
- District 8 President- Dr. Darla York, Salem Drug Company, Salem.
- **President, Academy of Compounding Pharmacists** Dr. Lee Shinabery, Shinabery Community Pharmacy, Jonesboro
- President, Academy of Consulting Pharmacists- Dr. Rachel Hardke, Allcare Pharmacy, Carlisle.
- **President, Arkansas Association of Health-System Pharmacists** Dr. Marsha Crader, St. Bernards Medical Center, Jonesboro.
- University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences College of Pharmacy student member- Brett Bailey, Beebe.
- Harding University College of Pharmacy student member- Meredith Mitchell , Joplin, MO.

The Arkansas Pharmacists Association, founded in 1882, is the statewide professional association representing approximately 2,200 pharmacists in Arkansas. APA strives to further the professional advancement of pharmacists, advocate the value of pharmacy, and safeguard the health and well-being of every Arkansan. Its mission is to advance a professional and business environment for Arkansas pharmacists to be successful and fulfilled in serving patients.

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