

THE YEAR OF ALIGNMENT

2015 ANNUAL REPORT

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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT



AS WE in the HBA know well by now, the business of healthcare has been disrupted at every level. And research unequivocally shows that women have the skills—and the drive—to lead us all to success in the new health economy. But, with women still occupying less than five percent of healthcare leadership positions, the needle of gender parity is simply not moving quickly enough to get us there.

My experience in rare disease—both as a healthcare businesswoman and as a mother—has taught me the power of collective action. Coming into my term as 2015 HBA president, my primary goal was to help the HBA to flex our full power by channeling our collective energy into creating the biggest impact possible for gender parity. Looking back on the year, I am proud to say that we've done just that.

This year, the HBA leadership asked ourselves two important questions: How can we create alignment around our goals, build awareness around the needs and talents of women in the workplace, and be the champions for change? And to what end are we taking these actions?

We started the year by building consensus and collaboration across all stakeholders. We held collaborative meetings to get actionable results, met with chapter boards and held town halls with volunteer leaders to gather direct feedback, and launched a mentoring program to build the confidence and competencies of our board executive committees.

We continued by building awareness of gender parity through events such as the HBA San Francisco JP Morgan event, which brought high numbers of executive women to a traditionally male venue. We increased our visibility through partnerships with the Forbes Executive Women's Forum, Global Genes, USA Today International Women's Day, Business Journal awards, NORD, HealthyWomen, Chicago Life Sciences Consortium and the American Nurses Association.

Finally, we focused on greater impact. We refreshed our strategic plan through 2021, developed a new geographic growth operating model, produced an academic paper on diversity and inclusion, and initiated guidelines of "what good looks like" for companies to follow as they strive toward gender parity.

We answered those two important questions. And, building on the foundation our previous HBA leaders established, we set the stage for the organization's future legacy. A legacy that will help women to increase their personal accountability, unblock the talent pipeline to allow more women to rise to the top, and move the needle on gender parity to advance women as stewards of the new health economy.

Wendy White, 2015 HBA president

2015 Healthcare Businesswomen's Association ATA GLANCE

Fourth decade

of advancing women in the business of healthcare



Tremendous membership growth

15/400+

15 chapters worldwide offering 400+ annual events

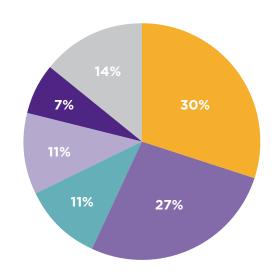
Growth across the chapters

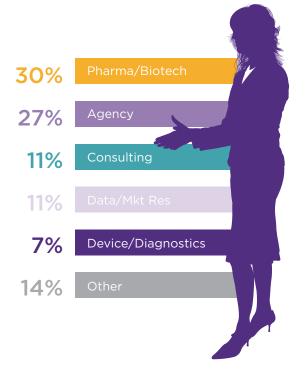
Greater Philadelphia	+2%	
Metro Area	+7%	
St. Louis	+12%	
Ohio	+18%	
San Francisco Bay Area	+19%	
Europe	+30%	
Chicago	+30%	
Southern California	+24%	
Members-at-large		+174%

40,000+

Network of 40,000+ women and men from leading biotech, healthcare, pharmaceutical, and supporting companies

working with 121 corporate partners





STATE OF THE HBA FINANCES 2015

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 2015 and 2014

Investments 613,883 Designated investments - deferred compensation plan 81,666 Accounts receivable 130,532 Prepaid expenses 6,516 Total Current Assets 3,300,447	2,147,434 606,237 58,906
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Intangible assets, net 158,876	127,257
Total Assets \$ 5,119,392 \$	5,167,611
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Current Liabilities Accounts payable and accrued expenses \$ 587,496 \$ 54	18,269
	8,037
	-
Deferred compensation plan obligation 81,666 5	88,906
Total Current Liabilities 1,666,868 1,50	05,212
Net Assets - Unrestricted Designated for deferred compensation plan 81,666 5	8,906
Undesignated 3,370,858 3,60	3,493
Total Net Assets 3,452,524 3,66	52,399
Total Liabilities and Net Assets \$ 5,119,392 \$ 5,1	

STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES

Years Ended December 31, 2015 and 2014

	2015		2014	
Support and Revenues	\$ 2,048,635		\$ 2,470,454	
Individual	1,027,232			747,646
Corporate		880,413		751,050
Special events -		730,617		842,930
In-kind contributions		225,309		101,103
Other revenue		97,796		24,034
Investment return		23,301		49,060
Foreign exchange		2,592		(9,675)
Total Support	5,035,895		4,976,602	

Expenses	1,951,869		1,706,749	
Events, meetings,	1,440,498		1,523,717	
Special events -		513,628		555,054
Travel, meals and		282,239		237,009
Technology and		220,586		254,165
Donated services,		225,309		101,103
Professional fees		218,406		156,300
General and		182,311		209,160
Research		62,423		-
Marketing and		54,642		122,943
Amortization		36,699		27,934
Printing and postage		30,821		34,023
Insurance		17,768		10,774
Miscellaneous		8,572		14,954
Total Expenses	5,245,771		4,953,885	
Change in unrestricted		(209,876)		22,717
Unrestricted net assets,	3,662,399		3,639,682	
Unrestricted net assets,	\$ 3,452,523		\$ 3,662,399	

Woman of the Year (WOTY)

Innovation. Inspiration.

nearly

2,500

attendees in New York women in healthcare honored as HBA Rising Stars

26

Rising Stars who've gone on to exceptional careers recognized as HBA Luminaries

exceptional man honored as the HBA Honorable Mentor extraordinary volunteer honored as the HBA STAR inspiring healthcare leader chosen as the HBA Woman of the Year (WOTY)







I want you to be bold.

Dream big in your professional life.

Dream big in your personal life.

Woman of the Year Denice Torres, president of McNeil Consumer Healthcare, a Johnson & Johnson company

2015 WOMAN OF THE YEAR

WOMAN OF THE YEAR, HONORABLE MENTOR AND STAR SHARE WORDS OF WISDOM



"It's so important for us as women to be represented at each level in organizations. Why? Because we came here to make a difference. We came here to make a difference in the lives of those that we have the privilege to serve in healthcare. We need to be represented. And at the same time, we need to be strong. We need to have the courage, we need to have the boldness, we need to learn from life lessons of others."

Denice Torres, president of McNeil Consumer Healthcare, a Johnson & Johnson company

A WOTY is an inspiration to all because of her leadership style, executive presence and business savvy, and is supportive of the HBA and its core purpose to further the advancement and impact of women in the business of healthcare. She serves as a role model for other women to aspire to, as well as for companies to consider how they are supporting the advancement of women within their own organization. It is through the development of women within our healthcare industry that we will move the needle on women's relevant representation at all levels.

2015 HONORABLE MENTOR



"[Mentors] push us. They dare us to move faster than we believe we can, or to places we cannot envision. Mentors see something in us that we can't see in ourselves. That's why we must take our experiences as mentees and pay it forward to develop the next generation of able leadership. This is particularly important for all of us here...Surveys show that women – in particular – lack champions in healthcare. Nearly two out of every three women surveyed said they lacked a mentor in the workplace. Imagine the possibilities if we could close this gap. Imagine how much more power, creativity, passion, performance and commitment we could foster. Imagine the impact this could have not just on us, but more so, on the people we are pledged to serve."

Stuart Sowder, PharmD, JD, MBA, vice president of external medical communications at Pfizer

An Honorable Mentor is a male leader who demonstrates long-term support for the advancement of women in the healthcare industry, has a personal dedication to developing, mentoring and promoting women in the industry, and who has been supportive of the HBA's goals.

2015 HBA STAR (STRATEGIC TRANSFORMATION ACHIEVEMENT RECOGNITION)



"When we view our interactions as opportunities to volunteer, we ultimately create kindness. A collective kindness that multiplies our ability to influence and create even greater possibilities. Volunteering can seem daunting—there may be times in our lives when we can't be on that board, join that committee or lead that mentoring group—but it doesn't mean we can't be volunteering. I encourage all of us to think about our interactions—perhaps re-frame what volunteering looks like—and then seek out opportunities to be intentional about how we make others feel—in the hallways, at the coffee pot, in the grocery store, on the street."

Carol Wells, senior director, commercial training and development, Genentech, a member of the Roche Group

An HBA STAR is a volunteer who stands apart as a truly exemplary role model for others, who has demonstrated a long-term commitment to furthering the HBA's goals, and who has strategically transformed the organization over the course of many years.

2015 HBA LUMINARIES

Luminaries are professionals with at least 20 years of professional industry experience, honored as leaders in the healthcare industry along with other award recipients at our annual Woman of the Year (WOTY) event.

- **Judith E. Beach, PhD, JD,** senior vice president and senior associate general counsel for regulatory and government affairs, Quintiles
- **Erin Byrne,** executive vice president, managing partner, ghg
- **Anne Davison,** senior vice president, strategic planning, JUICE Pharma Worldwide
- **Nicole Faust Cohen,** managing director, growth and strategy lead research and development, Accenture Life Sciences, Accenture
- **Lynn Gerber,** area vice president sales, Astellas Pharma U.S.
- **Amy Grahn,** senior vice president, global clinical development, operations and pharmacovigilance, Horizon Pharma, PLC
- **Suzanne Hansen,** director of healthcare, Boots UK, Walgreens Boots Alliance
- **Tobi Hunziker,** national client liaison, Publicis Touchpoint Solutions
- **Amy Hutnik,** executive vice president, strategy and operations, inVentiv Health Commercial
- **Amanda Joly,** senior vice president, operations and strategy, GSW, an inVentiv Health Company
- **Lynn W. Kenney,** communications director, North America, RB
- **Emily Lightfoot,** senior vice president health systems, AmerisourceBergen
- **Diana Littman Paige,** executive vice president, MMC Health, Marina Maher Communications

- **Andrea Marks,** vice president, chief analytics officer, Catamaran
- **Shaden Marzouk, MD,** vice president, clinical affairs, Cardinal Health
- **Kristi Matus,** executive vice president and chief financial and administrative officer, athenahealth
- Natalie McDonald, founder and president, Create NYC
- **Lisa Rometty,** global franchise head, fluid systems, Baxter Healthcare
- **Kathrin Schoenborn-Sobolewski, PhD,** vice president, head of strategic partnership, Merck KGaA, Darmstadt, Germany
- **Karen Shoshan,** senior vice president, client services, McCann Managed Markets
- **Rekha Shukla,** senior director of operations management, Cegedim Inc.
- **Ellen Stafford-Sigg,** principal, life sciences, Deloitte Consulting LLP
- **Rachel Stahler,** chief information officer, inVentiv Health, Clinical
- **Victoria Summers,** executive vice president, engagement strategy and analytics, Saatchi & Saatchi Wellness
- **Hilary Thomas, PhD,** partner and chief medical adviser life sciences, KPMG
- **Lisa Walkush,** national advisory life sciences leader, Grant Thornton LLP



2015 HBALUMINARIES

2015 HBA RISING STARS

Rising Stars are professionals in the early-to-mid stages of their career, honored as leaders in the healthcare industry along with other award recipients at our annual Woman of the Year (WOTY) event.

- **Rekha Abichandani, MD,** global development team leader, Shire Pharmaceuticals)
- **Cynthia Accuosti-Jones,** field director, managed markets, J&J HCS USA
- Elaine Andrecovich, VP, Makovsky
- **Ana Ayres,** general manager, orthopaedics and global surgery Portugal, J&J Medical Iberia
- **Teri Ann Bajek,** vice president digital services, Health & Wellness Partners LLC
- Cindy Baksh, vice president, client services, PSKW
- **Wendy Short-Bartie,** product director, Zykadia, Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation
- Courtney Breece, director product support, Inovalon
- **Sara Briggs,** director, human resources, Stryker Corporation
- **Ambre Brown Morley,** director, product communications, diabetes, Novo Nordisk
- **Dottie Caplan,** associate VP, launch readiness and life cycle management, corporate affairs, Sanofi US
- **Erin Cowhig,** Sr. director, human resources, Vertex Pharmaceuticals Inc.
- **Terri Crudup,** VP, custom research, AlphalmpactRx Inc.
- **Michelle Cuccia,** VP, global generics growth markets, specialty and BGx marketing and branding, Teva Pharmaceuticals
- **Danielle DeForge,** director, corporate communications, inVentiv Health
- **Kara Dennis,** managing director, mHealth, Medidata Solutions
- Donna Deverick, VP, account director, Discovery USA
- **Julie Russell Dilts,** senior counsel, Roche Diagnostics Corporation
- **Stephanie Dreyer,** senior brand manager, marketing, Bayer Consumer Care, Bayer HealthCare LLC
- **Linda Drumright,** general manager, clinical trial and optimization services, IMS Health

- **Michele Ehler,** head of talent development North America, UCB Inc.
- **Linda Enns, PhD,** copy supervisor, McCann Regan Campbell Ward
- **Lynn Forrest,** VP, Campbell Alliance, an inVentiv Health Company
- Audris Francis, director, talent acquisition, PDI Inc.
- **Liz Frank,** team lead, Biosector 2, an inVentiv Health Company
- **Ashley Gaines,** head of sales and marketing, infectious disease, AstraZeneca
- **Anita Gandhi, PhD,** senior principal scientist, translational medicine, Celgene Corporation
- **Alexa Garrett,** associate director, Sandoz US Distribution and Logistics, Sandoz
- **Melanie Goldey,** SVP, strategic planning and investor relations, Everyday Health
- **Teresa Graham,** lifecycle leader, global product strategy, Genentech
- Sarah Grimwood, research fellow, Pfizer Inc.
- **Courtney Hartstein,** U.S. flu brand manager, GlaxoSmithKline
- **Kathleen Hennigan-Shannon,** VP, account group supervisor, McCann Torre Lazur
- Alissa Hicks, director, field medical affairs, Shionogi Inc.
- Erin Hlivia, VP/client operations, Calcium
- **Susan Hynes,** head of global quality pharmaceutical manufacturing, Bristol-Myers Squibb
- **Katie Isaacs,** SVP, group account director, The CementBloc
- **Michelle LaFond,** director, bioreactor scale-up and development, Regeneron Pharmaceuticals Inc.
- **Jill Lesiak,** VP creative director, Ogilvy CommonHealth Worldwide
- **V.A. Lopes,** management supervisor, Giant Creative Strategy

2015 HBA RISING STARS CONT.

Lori Mercurio, director, strategic projects, Mallinckrodt Pharmaceuticals

Melissa Mims, director, medical affairs, Merck

Kyoko Miyahara, senior director, Pfizer Inc.

Laura Morrison, senior strategic planner, McCann Echo

Lisa Nibauer, senior director, Becton Dickinson & Co.

Jen O'Dwyer, SVP, client service director, CDM New York

Jennifer Ogden, director, global accounts, West Pharmaceutical Services Inc.

Nawal Ouzren, VP hemophilia franchise, Baxter Healthcare

Kaya Pai Panadiker, Sr. director, marketing, Lundbeck

Soomin Park, senior director, global statistical sciences, Eli Lilly and Company

Anu Patel, VP, group account supervisor, LLNS

Arleen Paulino, executive director clinical operations, Amgen Inc.

Maggie Pax, director, integration planning, Thermo Fisher Scientific

Karen Peterson, Abbott divisional VP and controller, Abbott Diagnostics, Abbott

Cintia Piccina, executive director immunology, Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation

Kristen Pilkiewicz, VP, associate creative director, copy, H4B Catapult

Janet Piscitelli, MD, medical director, east region, Quest Diagnostics

Michelle Rapp, associate partner, account management, Razorfish Health

Pritam Raut, director, Cognizant Technology Solutions

Dalia Rayes, Sr. director, ASPIRE business unit, Actelion Pharmaceuticals

Anne Marie Robertson, executive director, marketing, Helsinn Therapeutics (U.S.), Inc.

Megan Robinson, SVP, creative director brand development, Sudler & Hennessey

Sandy Rodriquez, senior director, corporate communications, Takeda Pharmaceuticals USA Inc.

Valentina Roselli, senior manager, advisory services, EY

Emily Segalla, VP, group copy supervisor, Flashpoint Medica

Kiley Smith, senior manager, fraud investigative and dispute advisory services, EY

Amy Stafford, zone VP, Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals Inc.

Kristin Stephens, VP, clinical operations, Takeda Pharmaceuticals International Co

Patricia Vera, director, financial operations, Daiichi Sankyo Inc.

Laura Wallace, director, risk management and epidemiology, Purdue Pharma LP

Julie Weber, consultant, Insigniam

Jillian Welker, director of agency operations, PALIO, an inVentiv Health Company

Jennifer Wellman, co-founder and head of regulatory strategy, Spark Therapeutics Inc.

Pamela Yanakopulos, partner, PWC



2015 HBARISING STARS

HBA 2015 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Annual Conference

attended by nearly

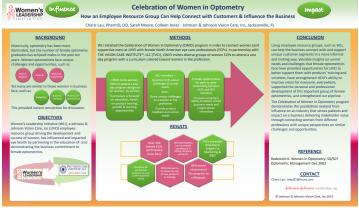
900 men and women in healthcare 24/34
24 workshops and
34 total sessions—
with 3 Executive
Women's Forum
sessions

Dine around sessions at local restaurants for more intimate networking

opportunities

20
industry
posters
presented—
with 4 Special
Recognition Awards





Successful firsts included:

A new "Spark Talk" format offering robust business and leadership lessons in lively and informative 10-minute first Dine-Around program.

The ACE award was presented via a Spark Talk format, offering first person impactful reflections on how to create and sustain an internal women's network.

A panel of male executives offering a diverse perspective for women leaders



MAIN STAGE PRESENTATION

Male Perspectives on Women Getting (and Staying) in Seats of Influence in Healthcare

Moderator: Gail Evans, former EVP at CNN and author of "Play Like A Man, Win Like A Woman"; Nick Colucci, chief executive officer, Publicis Healthcare Communications Group; Brian Goff, EVP and president hematology, Baxalta; Rob Moverely, regional vice president, operations – west region, Quest Diagnostics; Stuart Sowder, PharmD, JD, HBA 2015 Honorable Mentor and vice president of external medical communications, Pfizer

HBA 2015 ANNUAL LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

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women leaders in healthcare honored for their volunteer service to the HBA

1

company's women's leadership advancement program chosen as the 2015 ACE award winner



2015 ACF AWARD WINNER



ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS' WOMEN LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE (WLI)

"It is an honor to be recognized for our efforts with the 2015 HBA ACE award. As part of the overall Roche Diagnostics diversity and inclusion strategy, our Women's Leadership Initiative has meaningful impact on the development of our leaders. We know that focusing on women and diversity is essential to our success and directly impacts our ability to deliver on our purpose of doing now what patients need next."

Jack Phillips, president and CEO, Roche Diagnostics North America

The ACE (Advancement, Commitment, Engagement) award recognizes internal leadership programs that perform by advancing and enhancing the careers of women in their respective organizations.

The ACE award winner is selected via a rigorous and independent screening process against five criteria:

- ▶ Measurable results and impact on target population; quantitative benchmarks
- Business performance the degree to which the initiative supports the overall business
- Stewardship the depth of commitment to the program
- Execution the effectiveness of program execution
- Sustainability the survivability of the program beyond initial years

2015 PRESIDENT'S AWARD



Nicki Norris HBA Chicago, corporate relations



Laurie Lucas HBA board, director

The President's award is given to an HBA leader who exemplified effective leadership and dedication to the mission of the HBA and has had a measurable impact on the HBA global organization, chapter operations, members and/or Corporate Partners.

2015 INNOVATION AWARD



Rosa Lauprincipal
technical writer,
Roche Diagnostics,
HBA San Francisco



Priya Mitty Ryali clinical trial management associate, Gilead, HBA San Francisco

The Innovation award recognizes an individual who demonstrated commitment, passion and a drive for results, created a new process, product, service or recognition level, and brought a positive benefit to the HBA.

2015 LEAD BY EXAMPLE RECOGNITION



Deborah Seltzer
Spencer Stuart,
HBA Atlanta founder,
2013 HBA president,
HBA Next project
advisor, and most
currently Texas liaison

The Lead by Example award is a unique recognition for this year to celebrate a leader who has served the HBA at a chapter and global level and continues to serve by stepping in wherever needed to lend her expertise.

2015 COUNCIL OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS' AWARD



Laura Butler (R)
president, WorkLife for Women,
2015 HBA Ohio president
Pictured with Nancy Santilli, 2015 HBA president-elect

The Council of Chapter Presidents' (CCP) award is intended to recognize an individual who has demonstrated consistent leadership that directly progressed the CCP's agenda, fostered collaboration throughout the council, and brought best practices to fruition across chapters.

2015 TRANSFORMATIONAL AWARD



Liz Coyle (C) general manager commercial research, IMS Health, 2015 HBA CCP chair, HBA Next project lead Pictured with Nancy Santilli (L), HBA 2015 president-elect and Wendy White (R), 2015 HBA president

The new Transformational award honors a chapter president and their entire chapter board based on transformational change that will impact healthcare in their geography.

CHAPTER EXCELLENCE AWARDS



The Chapter Excellence award acknowledges an entire chapter board that has excelled in an area of chapter operations that exceeded the HBA's membership and/or financial targets and the chapter's own expectations.

GREATER PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER: (Nancy Santilli, background), Shetal Vyas, Stacie Snodgrass, Mary Dominiecki, Lisa Morris, Lynn Paolicelli, Marie McDonald, Kathy Relias, Bonnie Wingate, Ashley Tappen, Carolyn McMicken, Liz Coyle, Monica Heuer

25+ media exposures, including:

- Staff members quoted in industry magazines and serving on industry panels
- 2015 WOTY featured in *Pharmaceutical Executive* and Med Ad News
- 2015 Rising Stars and Luminaries featured in PharmaVOICE
- 3 HBAdvantage issues tied to flagship events



















THANK YOU

2015 HBA ADVISORY BOARD

Thank you to the senior executives who provide strategic direction on how the HBA can further the advancement of women's careers in healthcare worldwide through HBA initiatives. The HBA advisory board is made up of an invited group of senior executives in the healthcare industry who represent a diverse membership and who are willing to support the HBA mission for a three-year term.

Beth Battaglino, director of advocacy and alliance

Shideh Sedgh Bina, founding partner, Insigniam

Paula Brown Stafford, biopharmaceutical services executive

Carolyn Buck Luce, executive in residence, Center for Talent Innovation, senior managing director, Hewlett Consulting Partners

Jennifer Cook, head of pharma region, Europe Roche

William Fitzsimmons, PharmD, EVP, regulatory affairs, clinical and research quality assurance, Astellas

Geno Germano, president, Intrexon Corporation

Brian Goff, EVP and president, Hematology Baxalta, Inc.

Buket Grau, VP, asset executive, Biogen

Adele Gulfo, EVP and chief strategy officer, Mylan

Bridgette Heller, EVP, early life nutrition, Danone

Annalisa Jenkins, CEO, Dimension Therapeutics

Sandip Kapadia, CFO North America, Sandoz

Jacopo Leonardi, EVP, president of Immunology division, Baxalta, Inc.

Terri Pascarelli, CEO, AIT Bioscience, LLC

Kristine Peterson, biopharmaceutical executive

Kim Ramko, Americas advisory life sciences sector lead, EY

David Ricks, SVP and president, Lilly bio-medicines, Eli Lilly and Company

Kevin Rigby, general manager, Rigby Consulting, LLC

Deborah Coogan Seltzer, director enhanced search, North America, Spencer Stuart

Christi Shaw, US country head, president of Novartis Corporation and Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation (NPC), Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation

Stuart Sowder, PharmD, JD, VP of external medical communications, Pfizer

Denice Torres, chief strategy and business transformation officer, Johnson & Johnson Medical Devices

Susan Torroella, EVP, Wellness Corporate Solutions. LLC

Tim Zuber, partner, KPMG

Jeanne Zucker, VP, client development, athenahealth

CORPORATE PARTNERS AND SPONSORS

Thank you to the companies who make the HBA's mission of advancing women in the business of healthcare possible with their generous support, both in funding and in the spirit within their own organizations.

2015 HBA CORPORATE PARTNERS

Abbott Actavis

Actelion Pharmaceuticals US, Inc.

AlphalmpactRx

AmerisourceBergen Corporation

Amgen, Inc. Aptus Health

Astellas Pharma US, Inc. AstraZeneca/MedImmune

athenahealth Baxter

Bay City Capital LLC

Bayer BD

Benchworks bioMérieux, Inc. Boehringer Ingelheim

Bristol-Myers Squibb Company

Campbell Alliance, an inVentiv Health Company

Cardinal Health
CareFusion

Carter McKenzie Select

Catamaran CDM New York

Cegedim Relationship Management

Celgene Corporation Christiana Care

Cognizant Technology Solutions

Create NYC
Daiichi Sankyo, Inc.
Deloitte LLP
Discovery USA
Eisai Inc.

Eli Lilly and Company Erickson Stock Everyday Health Inc

EY (Americas)
EY (Europe)
Flashpoint Medica

GA Communication Group

Genentech, Inc.

Giant Creative Strategy

GlaxoSmithKline Grant Thornton

grey healthcare group

GSW, an inVentiv Health Company

Havas Health

Health & Wellness Partners LLC

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Horizon Pharma

IMS Health Incorporated

Inovalon Insigniam

inVentiv Health Inc.
inVentiv Health Clinical
inVentiv Health Commercial

inVentiv Health Public Relations Group

Ironwood Pharmaceuticals Johnson & Johnson JUICE Pharma Worldwide

Kaiser Permanente KMK Consulting, Inc. Knowledgent KPMG LLP LLNS

M3 Global Research

Makovsky

Lundbeck

Mallinckrodt Pharmaceuticals
Marina Maher Communications

McCann Echo

McCann Managed Markets
McCann Regan Campbell Ward

McCann Torre Lazur Medidata Solutions Merck & Co., Inc. Merck KGaA

Mission Pharmacal Company Momenta Pharmaceuticals Inc

North Highland Norton Rose Fulbright

Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation

Novo Nordisk Ohio Health Ogilvy CommonHealth Worldwide OSU Wexner Medical Center PALIO, an inVentiv Health Company

PDI, Inc. Pfizer Inc PharmaVOICE

Practice Fusion

PWC PSKWIIC

Publicis Healthcare Communications Group

PublicisTouchpoint Solutions, Inc.

Purdue Pharma L.P. Quantum Health Quest Diagnostics Quintiles Inc. Razorfish Health

RB

Regeneron Pharmaceuticals Inc

Roche Diagnostics

Saatchi & Saatchi Wellness

Sandoz Sanofi Shionogi, Inc Shire

Spark Therapeutics Stryker Corporation Sudler & Hennessey

Takeda Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc.

Taylor Strategy Partners Teva Pharmaceutical

The Bloc

ThermoFisher Scientific Inc.

Trinity Partners UCB, Inc.

Vertex Pharmaceuticals Incorporated

Vynamic

Walgreens Boots Alliance

West Pharmaceutical Services, Inc.

2015 HBA WOMAN OF THE YEAR SPONSORS

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EMERALD ELITE



EMERALD



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Leader















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MEDIA PARTNERS

















LETTER FROM THE CEO



EVERY YEAR since the HBA began nearly four decades ago, we've taken another step toward our mission to further the advancement and impact of women in healthcare worldwide. Looking back on the past three years, it is clear that we have now not only taken another step, but also positioned ourselves for a giant leap forward for the organization, for women, and for healthcare in the years to come.

The HBA has experienced tremendous growth in the more than four decades since our founding. In the past several years, the successes of our leadership mentoring and coaching initiatives have taken on their own momentum to spur even faster growth.

In 2015, we reached a state of great maturation for the organization. We optimized our board's capacity and impact through high-performing board development, exceeded our attendance goals for our annual Woman of the Year (WOTY) event, and drove Corporate Partner growth in expanded industry sectors. We broadened and deepened support for HBA members across the spectrum, introducing both a new membership level for young professionals under the age of 35 and a new program to reengage our past HBA board presidents. And we piloted our new HBANext geographic operating model with two new affiliates, enabling us to reach more people with less effort for our volunteer leaders.

Despite our successes in readying women for leadership, we also recognized that we must do more to achieve greater success for women—and for all those who benefit from their leadership. And we addressed the reality that while we have done a tremendous job in building the leader-ready women pipeline to fuel the engine of gender parity, our efforts will stall if companies still aren't hiring these women into senior roles.

Thus, we came into 2015 with the sense that this year being an inflection point in our journey as a mission-driven nonprofit. We reflected on our significant successes, looked deeply at how each of our organizational elements—from our board of directors to our professional staff to our chapters—was working, and identified gaps and opportunities where we could increase our impact.

It truly was a year of alignment, in which we worked to ensure that everyone was focused on the same goal of seeking to inform companies about the business case for gender parity and initiate change to corporate culture to start or improve diversity and inclusion practices. It was a year of advocacy, in which we made clear that the HBA is the champion of gender parity. It was a year of awareness, in which we challenged ourselves to broaden the reach of our message so that we can more powerfully impact the larger conversation.

As Wendy noted in her letter, we came out of 2015 with a foundation for measuring our success by an entirely different yardstick: Not just by the number of members or programs, but by the broader outcome of moving the needle on gender parity. Our leaders throughout the organization are energized toward this challenge and ready to hold ourselves accountable for creating true change.

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