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CLINT RECKTENWALD NAMED YOUNG PHARMACIST OF THE YEAR BY ARKANSAS PHARMACISTS ASSOCIATION

ROGERS, AR (June 23, 2012) – Clint Reckttenwald, Pharm.D., pharmacist and owner of Genuine Care Pharmacy in Gassville, was presented with the 2012 Distinguished Young Pharmacist Award by the Arkansas Pharmacists Association (APA) on Saturday, June 23, during its 130th Annual Convention held at the Embassy Suites Northwest in Rogers from June 20-23.

“In just five years, Clint purchased an independent pharmacy in Gassville where he has doubled the business,” said APA Executive Vice President Mark Riley. “We are glad to recognize him for his excellent business practices and the example he sets for other young pharmacists starting out in the pharmacy profession.”

The APA Distinguished Young Pharmacist Award is given annually to an outstanding young pharmacist who has been out of pharmacy school less than 10 years and who has demonstrated leadership among his or her peers.

Reckttenwald serves on the Ouachita Baptist University Pruet School of Christian Studies Advisory Board. Reckttenwald graduated from Mountain Home High School in 2000. He attended Ouachita Baptist University from 2000 to 2003 and attended the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences College of Pharmacy where he graduated with a doctor in pharmacy in 2007.

He and his wife Sara have one son and they attend First Baptist Church in Flippin. Reckttenwald’s father Michael is also a pharmacist at Baxter Regional Medical Center in Mountain Home.

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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