



August 23, 2017

Dear Dr. Aizuss,

We are delighted to inform you that LA County Medical Association's (LACMA) Patient Care Foundation will be honoring you with the Independent Physician Leadership Award at the 2017 Los Angeles Healthcare Awards on Wednesday, November 1, 2017. Every year, we recognize individuals and institutions for their exemplary contributions to improve healthcare in Los Angeles.

The Patient Care Foundation is a 501(c)(3) organization that LACMA created to address the present day needs of doctors and their patients in Los Angeles County. The Foundation is specifically designed to support medical school students, encourage community service, and improve patient access to care, treatment, and education.

The Foundation's primary focus is fundraising for its Scholarships which were established to support students from underserved areas of Los Angeles County who have demonstrated great potential and commitment for providing care in their communities.

LACMA, founded in 1871, is a professional medical association with over 6,000 dedicated physicians. The organization has been at the forefront of medicine, ensuring that members are represented in the areas of public policy, government, and community relations. Through our advocacy efforts in both L.A. County and statewide with the California Medical Association (CMA), our physician leaders strive toward a common vision- spending more time treating patients and less time navigating the obstacles that threaten their autonomy.

Based on the success of past years' events, we anticipate hundreds in attendance at our 6th annual LA Healthcare Awards gala. We look forward to recognizing your contributions and achievements!

Please let us know if you have any questions. Congratulations again.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Troy Elander'.

Troy Elander M.D.
Chair, Patient Care Foundation