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Nancy and Dr. Patrick Leung honored for philanthropy in medicine

THE WOODLANDS, TEXAS — Patrick Leung, MD, and his wife, Nancy, both of Midland, Texas were named the 2015 Philanthropists of the Year by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians Foundation during the 2015 Annual Session and Primary Care Summit in The Woodlands on Nov. 14.

Dr. Leung has practiced family medicine in Midland since 1980. Nancy is a registered nurse and manages their practice's office. They enjoy family medicine and want to attract more medical students to the specialty, ensuring that the next generation of doctors includes enough family physicians for the population.

Earlier this year the Leungs made a generous donation to the TAFP Foundation to fully endow the Patrick Leung, MD, Medical Student Scholarship. It was awarded this summer to a student who had just finished his first year of medical school and participated in a preceptorship with a family physician.

For their leadership, passion, and philanthropy, the TAFP Foundation is proud to present Nancy and Patrick Leung with the 2015 Philanthropist of the Year Award.

The TAFP Foundation Philanthropist of the Year Award was initiated in 1995 to recognize physicians whose contributions have made a significant impact in fulfillment of the TAFP Foundation mission: to support the educational and scientific initiatives for the specialty of family medicine and to improve the health of all Americans.

The Texas Academy of Family Physicians is the premier membership organization dedicated to uniting the family doctors of Texas through advocacy, education and member services, and empowering them to provide a medical home for patients of all ages. It has 33 local chapters and is a chapter of the American Academy of Family Physicians. Visit www.tafp.org for more information.