

## Kiwanis club responsibilities

If your Kiwanis club wishes to sponsor a medical seminar in its community, the club should complete the following list. This event requires a concerted effort of both the Kiwanis clubs and medical personnel in the region.

1. Prior to starting, contact Committee Chairman Bob Erikson at (909) 797-7165. It is important to involve the Kiwanis Doctor Committee so the proper approach is used when first contacting the medical staff at your hospital. Only Bob Erikson is authorized by the Foundation to make the initial contact with the medical personnel at your local hospital.
2. After Bob Erikson has made the initial contact, a member of the KPEMF Committee will be assigned to work with the medical staff and your Kiwanis club to develop the training event.
3. Distribute fliers promoting the training by taking them to medical offices, fire departments, paramedic units, etc.
4. Arrange for all food services for the day of the training. This includes coffee, juice and pastries in the morning and a lunch.
5. Be prepared to possibly arrange for transportation and housing for the doctors if the training is outside of Southern California. This might include recommending the closest airport and hotel and possibly providing ground transportation. The actual travel arrangements will be made by Loma Linda staff and the costs will be paid by the Foundation grant.
6. Maintain regular contact with the KPEMF Committee member assigned to your training event to ensure all details are met.

More information: Committee Chairman Bob Erikson, (909) 797-7165 or [pgov96@dslextre.me](mailto:pgov96@dslextre.me)

## Kiwanis-sponsored training seminars:

Possible training topics are listed below. Actual content will be developed by our Kiwanis Doctor based on feedback provided by your medical representative.

### TRAUMA

- Clearing the C-spine of children
- Submersion injury
- Head trauma updates
- Controversies in pediatric trauma
- Pediatric airway
- PALS updates

### MEDICAL ISSUES

- Pediatric seizures
- Pediatric EKGs
- Pediatric cough and cold meds
- Procedural-related sedation
- Pediatric toxicology

### OTHER TOPICS OF INTEREST:

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

### Andrea Thorp, MD, FAAP The first Kiwanis Doctor



Dr. Thorp completed the Kiwanis Doctor Program in 2007. She currently serves as the Assistant Program Director for the pediatric emergency medicine fellowship at Loma Linda University. She is directing the medical aspects of the Kiwanis Doctor Program and looks forward to mentoring the next generation of pediatric emergency physicians.

### Tim Young, MD The second Kiwanis Doctor



Dr. Young completed the Kiwanis Doctor Program in June 2009. He is staying at Loma Linda University Children's Hospital as a faculty member, and he will continue to care for ill and injured children while conducting research in the field and lecturing at local and national conferences.



©Michael Krinke Photography



**Kiwanis Cal-Nev-Ha Foundation**  
8360 Red Oak St., Ste. 201  
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

[www.cnhfoundation.org](http://www.cnhfoundation.org)  
(877) 597-1770, ext. 116

# Saving kids' lives

The Kiwanis Pediatric  
Emergency Medicine Fellowship

# Kiwanis®

## Doctor

# Kiwanis is saving kids' lives

The Cal-Nev-Ha Foundation  
Kiwanis Pediatric Emergency  
Medicine Fellowship

Dr. Andrea Thorp and Dr. Timothy Young, pictured above, are our first two "Kiwanis Doctors."

The Kiwanis Cal-Nev-Ha Foundation joined forces with Loma Linda University Children's Hospital in 2004 to provide training in pediatric emergency medicine to a qualified physician. With the backing of a grant totaling nearly \$400,000 to date, the "Kiwanis Doctor Program" has now successfully trained two doctors: Dr. Thorp and Dr. Young. As the program moves forward, preparations are being made to start training the third doctor in July 2010.

Dr. Thorp and Dr. Young have collaborated with Kiwanis to share their knowledge gained during their training in pediatric emergency medicine with



paramedics, nurses, and other doctors who care for critically ill and injured children within the rural areas of the Cal-Nev-Ha District. These Kiwanis sponsored training seminars have been conducted as far north as Eureka, California and as far south as El Centro, California with many areas in between. Clubs, divisions, and individuals are encouraged to donate toward the Kiwanis Doctor Program. The

donation levels include:

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000 Platinum sponsor | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 Business sponsor  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 Gold sponsor     | <input type="checkbox"/> \$250 Club sponsor      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$5,000 Silver sponsor    | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 Member sponsor    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500 Bronze sponsor    | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 Volunteer sponsor  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000 Fellow sponsor**  | <input type="checkbox"/> \$25 Children's sponsor |

\*\*Donors who give \$1,000 or more have their names placed on the Kiwanis Doctor Donor Wall at Loma Linda University Children's Hospital showing support of the Kiwanis Doctor.

More information: call the Foundation at (877) 597-1770, ext. 116 or go to [www.cnhfoundation.org](http://www.cnhfoundation.org).



### How your donation saves the lives of children:

By contributing to the Kiwanis Doctor program, you sponsor a doctor who, for the remainder of their career, will care for critically ill and injured children, conduct research in pediatric emergencies, and share their knowledge with the other healthcare professionals. The Kiwanis Doctor is trained to become an expert in:

- Fractures, burns, and other injuries resulting from trauma
- Complications of chronic and acute pediatric illnesses
- Severe infections, allergic reactions and seizures
- Poisonings and overdoses

During their two-year fellowship, the Kiwanis Doctor travels throughout the rural communities within our District providing Kiwanis-sponsored training seminars, teaching hundreds of healthcare professionals about the current techniques and advances in pediatric emergency medicine.



kiwanis  
doctor

Pediatric Emergency Medicine Fellowship  
**Kiwanis Cal-Nev-Ha Foundation**

[www.cnhfoundation.org](http://www.cnhfoundation.org)