

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER Senate Resolution 19.11

(Stating the sentiments of the Student Senate congratulating Patti Patterson, MD, MPH for receiving the Texas Pediatric Society (TPS) Charles W. Daeschner, Jr., MD Lifetime Achievement Award)

WHEREAS, Dr. Patterson was recognized by TPS for her excellent work in improving health care for children as the 2018 recipient of the Charles W. Daeschner, Jr., MD Lifetime Achievement Award, the highest award by TPS, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Patterson's work has contributed not only to the field of pediatrics and the health of children in Texas but has also contributed on a global scale through her leadership of numerous international mission trips to provide health care in underserved communities, most notably in Jinotega, Nicaragua, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Patterson has served the state in many roles, including as the Maternal and Childhood Health Director of the State of Texas, the Texas Commissioner of Health, and the Executive Deputy Commissioner of Health, as well as in helping develop the F. Marie Hall Institute for Rural and Community Health, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Patterson is an embodiment of the values-based culture at TTUHSC through over 25 years of selfless service to public health and the well-being of children in Texas and throughout the world,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Student Senate of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center congratulates Dr. Patti Patterson for her life-changing work and for being named the recipient of the Texas Pediatric Society Charles W. Daeschner, Jr., MD Lifetime Achievement Award, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be spread upon the Journal and that copies be sent to **Patti Patterson, MD, MPH**, Director of Child Abuse Pediatrics and Professor of Medical Education and Public Health in the School of Medicine; **McKenzie Morris**, Editor of *The Daily Toreador*, and to the students of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. Authors: HECOX, E; BIGGERS, A; AHMED, H

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