# Professional Recognition

1. **Summary**

Dr. \*\*\*\* is recognized for her accomplishments as a mentor, educator, researcher, and leader in academic medicine. She is a nationally recognized leader in the food allergy field, whose contributions to investigation of novel therapies for food allergy have advanced care for food allergic individuals and families. Dr. \*\*\*\* is committed to supporting the career development of students, residents, fellows and junior faculty and is a sought-after mentor and advisor. In recognition of her commitment and dedication to education and mentoring, she was awarded the UAMS Department of Pediatrics Educator of the Year Award in 2017 and she received the UAMS Department of Pediatrics Joan Cranmer Mentor of the Year Award in 2019. Through her work, she has developed a collaborative network of clinical care, research, education and mentoring that has brought her recognition in the field of Allergy and Immunology.

# Professional Society Membership

National/International**:**

1997- present Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society 1998- present American Academy of Pediatrics

Fellow, 2001-present

Section on Allergy and Immunology, 2019-present 2002-present American Academy of Allergy, Asthma, and Immunology (AAAAI)

Fellow, 2020-present

Adverse Reactions to Foods Committee

*Appointed Membership- Term: 2021-2026*

2008-present Immune Deficiency Foundation

2009-present Food Allergy and Anaphylaxis Network (FAAN) restructured as

Food Allergy Research and Education (FARE) in 2013

2009-present Society for Mucosal Immunology

2010-present American Society for Microbiology

2011-present Clinical Immunology Society

2011-present Society for Pediatric Research *(elected membership)*

2019- present European Academy of Allergy and Clinical Immunology

Local/Regional:

2004-present Alan Cazort Allergy Society

2004-present Arkansas Medical Society

2007-present Southern Society for Pediatric Research

2010-present Arkansas Center for Clinical and Translational Research

# Journal Reviewer

Clinical Pediatrics

International Archives of Allergy and Immunology Infection and Immunity

Pediatrics

Journal of Allergy and Clinical Immunology

Journal of Allergy and Clinical Immunology: In Practice Journal of Clinical Investigation

Lancet

# Awards

2007-present Best Doctors in America® (awarded yearly since 2007) 2009-present *AY Magazine* Top Doctors Award

2009-2012 UAMS Faculty Red Sash Award for Excellence in Teaching

*(Awarded by vote of the Graduating Medical Student Class)*

2017 Educator of the Year

UAMS Department of Pediatrics

2019 Joan Cranmer Mentor of the Year Award UAMS Department of Pediatrics

# Media

National**:**

The Psychosocial and Economic Impact of Food Allergy. MD Magazine, March 9, 2017.

How Does Long-Term Oral Immunotherapy Affect Children with Nut Allergy? MD Magazine, March 9, 2017.

Tree Nut OIT Shows Promise. Allergic Living, 3/15/2016. Local/Regional:

“Arkansas Children’s Hospital Scientists Helped Develop Peanut Allergy Treatment”, by George Jared, Talk Business and Politics, February 11, 2020.

# Invited Reviewer

2020-2021 Department of Defense, Congressionally Directed Medical Research Program, Peer Reviewed Medical Research Program Food Allergy Review Panel

2020-2021 Food Allergy Research and Education, Discovery Center of Distinction Pilot Project Reviewer for the following Review Panels:

* 1. Food Allergy Immunotherapy
	2. Eosinophilic Esophagitis
	3. Biologics
	4. Patient-Centered Outcomes

# Volunteer and Community Service

2021-present Hope Lodge-Twentieth Century Club Volunteer (provides free lodging for cancer patients receiving treatment away from home)

2021-present University of Arkansas Parent and Family Association Cardinal Member 2020-2021 Pulaski Academy Physician Advisory Panel for COVID-19 Pandemic 2016-present Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance

2008-present Pulaski Academy Parents Association Volunteer

2004-present St. James United Methodist Church Youth and Children’s Program Volunteer