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**AHRA Education Foundation Announces Osborn Scholarship Recipients**

*(Sudbury, MA, July 15, 2004)* – The American Healthcare Radiology Administrators (AHRA) Education Foundation announced today that 3 AHRA members have been selected as recipients of the 2004 AHRA Education Foundation Osborn Scholarship for AHRA's Annual Meeting & Exposition. AHRA's 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting & Exposition will be held August 1-5, 2004 in Boston, MA.

The 3 recipients are:

- **LuAnn Epperson**, Imaging Director, Northeast Medical Center, Bonham, TX, and an AHRA member since 2001;
- **Joanne Fisher**, Imaging Manager Outpatient Services, Sun Health, Sun City, AZ, and an AHRA member since 2003;
- **Jennifer L. Jones**, Director of Radiology, Mercy Memorial Health Center, Ardmore, OK, and an AHRA member since 2002.

The Osborn Scholarship to AHRA's Annual Meeting & Exposition provides up to \$1,500 to the recipients for registration, travel, accommodations, and related expenses associated with the conference.

The AHRA Education Foundation's Royce and Paula Osborn Scholarships were created in memory of Royce R. Osborn, FAHRA, one of the first radiologic technologists to make the transition to radiology administrator, and his wife, Paula, to acknowledge and promote the belief in the importance of education that Royce Osborn embodied. Osborn Scholarships provide opportunities for AHRA members to participate in one of AHRA's educational opportunities. An additional Osborn scholarship will be awarded later in the year for AHRA members to attend AHRA's Imaging Center Administrator's Conference, October 1-2, 2004, in Philadelphia, PA.

AHRA, the premier association of managers in imaging sciences, provides the information, education, and networking opportunities needed to succeed in today's rapidly changing healthcare environment. Through the efforts of hundreds of active volunteers, AHRA brings information about the most current and complex topics to its members and interested others. The AHRA Education Foundation is a non-profit foundation dedicated to education in the field of radiology management and related disciplines. Since its inception in 1990, it has offered hundreds of seminars to managers at all levels across the country. In addition to sponsoring seminars, the foundation offers several educational scholarships and provides other educational opportunities for members.

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