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AMERICAN BOARD OF PSYCHIATRY AND NEUROLOGY ANNOUNCES  
2015 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

*April 14, 2015, Buffalo Grove, Illinois* --- The [American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, Inc.](http://www.abpn.com) (ABPN) announces its 2015 Board of Directors. The board's term runs from January through December 2015.

Ann Tilton, MD, is the 2015 Chair of the ABPN. Dr. Tilton is Professor of Clinical Neurology, Section Chief of Child Neurology, and Director of the Child Neurology Fellowship Program at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center in New Orleans. She has served on the Executive Committee of the Professors of Child Neurology and as President of the Child Neurology Society.

Dr. Tilton succeeds Barbara S. Schneidman, M.D., M.P.H., Clinical Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at the University of Washington School of Medicine, as Chair.

Robert W. Guynn, MD, Professor Emeritus of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at the University of Texas Health Science Center in Houston, was elected Vice-Chair. As an ABPN Director, he serves as Chair of the Part C Certification Committee and of the Psychosomatic Maintenance of Certification Committee. He has been President of the Texas Society of Alcohol Research and the Houston Psychiatric Society.

Dr. Guynn succeeds Ralph Józefowicz, MD, Professor of Neurology and Medicine and Associate Chair for Education in the Department of Neurology at the University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, as Vice Chair.

"The ABPN is indeed very fortunate to have Dr. Ann Tilton as its Chair and Dr. Robert Guynn as its Vice Chair this year," said Larry Faulkner, MD, ABPN President and CEO. "Both have been excellent directors of the ABPN for the past seven years and bring a wealth of relevant professional experience to their new roles."

"Likewise, the ABPN is pleased to welcome Dr. Joan Anzia and Dr. Allison Brashear as its newest directors. Drs. Anzia and Brashear have had distinguished academic careers and significant past experience as ABPN examiners."



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Additional members of the Executive Committee include: Kailie M. Shaw, MD, 2015 ABPN Secretary; J. Clay Goodman, MD, Treasurer; Noor A. Pirzada, MD, Member-at-Large; and Robert J. Ronis, MD, Member-at-Large.

For the ABPN, the specialties of neurology and psychiatry are represented equally on the board of directors. In addition to Dr. Tilton, the 2015 ABPN Neurology Directors include:

John B. Bodensteiner, MD  
Allison Brashear, MD  
J. Clay Goodman, MD  
Laurie Gutmann, MD  
Kerry H. Levin, MD  
Noor A. Pirzada, MD

In addition to Dr. Guynn, the 2015 ABPN Psychiatry Directors include:

Joan M. Anzia, MD  
Robert N. Golden, MD  
Paramjit T. Joshi, MD  
Jeffrey M. Lyness, MD  
George A. Keepers, MD  
Robert J. Ronis, MD, MPH  
Kailie R. Shaw, MD

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