



## **Association of Chiropractic Board Administrators**

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Dear Fellow Board Administrator:

A goal of the Association of Chiropractic Board Administrators (ACBA) is to provide its members with new and worthwhile information. The 2008 meeting in Atlanta, Georgia hopefully accomplished just that and the Executive Committee is planning an exciting program for Hollywood!

The ACBA's annual meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 6, 2009 and will be held in conjunction with the FCLB's 83<sup>rd</sup> Annual Congress. The ACBA meeting is a valuable mechanism to share common concerns, problems and solutions with your peers from other state regulatory agencies. Those of you who have been involved with regulating other professions during your careers in government may know that other groups of board administrators are very active and are important partners to national federations of boards like the FCLB.

Your ACBA Executive Committee is: **Beth Carter** (Oklahoma) President; [bcarter@chiro.state.ok.us]; **Joe Baker, Jr.** (Florida) [joejr\_baker@doh.state.fl.us] Treasurer; and **Marcia Walter** (South Dakota) Secretary [sdbce@iw.net]. Please feel free to contact any member of the Executive Committee for more information, or go to [www.FCLB.org](http://www.FCLB.org) and click on the Board Administrators' web page link.

The Executive Committee has worked diligently to put together an informative and interesting meeting. We encourage you to attend! You'll be amazed at the friends you'll make as well as the useful information you'll be able to take back to your state and board.

ACBA dues of \$150 must be paid to be a voting member. Payment of the dues covers the cost for one person to attend the annual meeting and includes lunch. Any additional registrants may participate for a registration fee of \$75. The invoice for the ACBA annual dues is attached. A tentative agenda is also included. Share this information with your board members and encourage them to support your attendance at this meeting. This meeting helps you be a better administrator for them.

Enclosed, please find a grant application that will cover for one person attendance, airfare and registration for the 2009 ACBA. Please return the application to the FCLB executive offices by e-mail or fax by **February 27, 2009**.

**When making your plans, please try to arrive in order to join your ACBA colleagues for a no-host dinner at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 5<sup>th</sup>. We will meet in the lobby of the hotel at 7:00 p.m.**

We look forward to seeing you in Hollywood in May!

Very truly yours,

The ACBA Executive Committee