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District VI Diversity and Inclusion Early Careerist

Winner name: Captain Tilli Ghale



Captain Tilli Ghale is the Group Practice Manager for the 375th Medical Group, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois. He immigrated to the U.S. from Nepal in 2010 and enlisted into the U.S. Air Force in 2011. He received a B.A. in Healthcare Administration, and an MBA in Health Care Administration from West Texas A & M University. He received direct commissioning into the Medical Service Corps.

He leads the 9-member Central Appointing team to support 17 primary and specialty care clinics and 350 healthcare professions, directly providing a full spectrum of healthcare operations to approximately 20K beneficiaries. As the business consultant, Captain Ghale is responsible for analyzing various datasets and productivity targets, identifying capacity and capability gaps, and advising executive leadership during strategic planning.

- Completed the David Jacques Military Administrative Fellowship at Barnes Jewish Hospital, MO.
- He has extensive business, healthcare and international experience.
- Language proficiency has earned him the International Health Specialist and Language Enabled Airmen Program Special Experience Identifiers in the Air Force.
- Has led many multinational and multilateral missions in and outside the U.S.



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District VI Diversity and Inclusion Senior Leader

Winner name: Major Christopher Armijo



Major Chris Armijo has been a member of ACHE for 8 years and a Fellow for 3 Years. He serves as the Director of Communications for the South Texas Chapter of ACHE.

A career Army Officer, he just reached his 23rd year of service. He is the current Chief of Plans and Operations for a medical training battalion at Joint Base San Antonio.

- Improved efficiencies in the Emergency Medical Service of the Army Medical Command.
- Restructured the Army's National Disaster Medical System.
- Served as The ACHE Regent's Advisory Council Chair of Communications and Social Media outreach.
- On the board of the San Antonio Health Cell- a city-wide organization of healthcare professionals to improve representation of persons of color.
- Active School Board advocate to improve resource access for transgender students and funding for social and educational opportunities for underprivileged children.
- Leader to Leader awards for mentoring Army personnel.
- Panelist for the LGBT Pride Month Celebration: Proud to Serve event
- Volunteers to improve inclusivity and equity through organizations such as the San Antonio AIDS Foundation, San Antonio Food Bank and National Association of Health Service Executives.



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Military Excellence in Healthcare Management

Winner name: Major David Lutz



Major David M. Lutz serves as the Group Practice Manager for the 633d Medical Group at Joint Base Langley-Eustis, Virginia.

Major Lutz completed his Master's in Health Administration Degree at Penn State University in 2011 and received his direct commission into the Medical Service Corps the same year and completed a civilian Administrative Fellowship at the Lehigh Valley Health Network in Allentown, PA.

- Fellow in ACHE and member since 2009.
- Developed innovative strategy for Group Practice Primary Care.
- Led the COVID-19 disaster response effort at Langley Hospital
- Led the Air Force's first Pandemic Response Operations Flight, commanding more than 150 medics in the execution of testing, triage, and vaccination efforts.
- He coordinated the Department of Defense's first mass COVID-19 screening effort, exponentially scaling capabilities to successfully test 8,000 Active-Duty personnel in just three days, directly leading to the execution of a \$42M Air Force contract.
- Successfully screened more than 100,000 persons for COVID-19, triaged 15,000 patients via COVID-19 hotline
- Oversight of safe deployment of over service member deployment to 3 Combatant Commands.



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Federal Excellence in Healthcare Management

Winner name: Kimberly Tansey



Dr. Kimberly Tansey is a senior data analyst/health system specialist at Brooke Army Medical Center. She also serves as the Surgical Optimization Officer for the San Antonio Military Health System, enhancing the coordination of care for emergency medicine, surgical services, and rehabilitative medicine in a multi-service market.

- Dr. Tansey began her career as a Physical Therapist and has been involved in healthcare for 14 years.
- She has been active in the Army Regent's Advisory Council and the South Texas Chapter of ACHE for five years, currently serving as the Army's Advancement Chair and the vice President/President-Elect of her local chapter.
- Dr. Tansey is passionate about community service and aiding early careerists, as well as expanding the inclusivity of ACHE.
- Her hobbies include dog training and baking.



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Federal Excellence in Healthcare Leadership Winner name: Captain Devin James Morrison



Captain Morrison graduated from the University of Central Florida in 1994 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration and in 1996 he earned a Master of Science degree in Health Systems Administration from Florida International University. In 2002, Captain Morrison earned a Master of Science degree in Manpower, Personnel and Systems Analysis from the Naval Postgraduate School.

- Fellow in ACHE and previously served as Navy Regent.
- Department Head, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery (M14) staff, Bureau of Personnel staff & Director for Administration.
- Naval Medical Support Command, Portsmouth VA.
- Combined Security Transition Command, Operation Enduring Freedom, Kabul, Afghanistan.
- Naval Hospital Pensacola and Naval Med. Ctr. Portsmouth, VA.
- Received the Defense Meritorious Service Medal; the Meritorious Service Medal (3 awards); the Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (4 awards); the Army Achievement Medal and other ribbons and unit citations.
- Capt. Morrison currently serves as the Commanding Officer, Expeditionary Medical Facility- Bravo and Executive Officer Naval Medical Center, San Diego.



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