

## A Chronological History

1965	Medicare legislation—original Conditions of Participation for Pharmaceutical Services sets the stage for change with first requirement for the consultant pharmacist
1966	George Archambault, “the father of consultant pharmacy,” delivers “Crisis in Nursing Homes” lecture at Northeastern University
	Richard Berman’s prototype “bingo card” gains public recognition for cost-effectiveness of consultant pharmacist services
1968	Berman/Casey create first form of modified unit dose/medication cart system reduces nursing time and medication errors
1969	ASCP was incorporated as a nonprofit organization in Massachusetts.
	Cover story in <i>Drug Topics</i> re: above by Berkeley V. Bennett
<b>1969-1973</b>	<b>Richard S. Berman—first and only ASCP four-term president</b> Noted for “Rap in the Round” sessions
	ASCP opposes kickbacks and substandard consulting fees. Future support is gained from Senator Frank E. “Ted” Moss (D-Utah)
1969	Richard S. Berman et al.—Incorporate ASCP as nonprofit organization in Massachusetts Almost 100 charter members Arnold Goldstein—ASCP’s first legal Counsel and first Vice President Berkeley V. Bennett—Cofounder and first Executive Director & Washington strategist
	First issue of <i>ASCP Update</i> publishes
1970	Berkeley V. Bennett enrolls Phillips Roxane as first ASCP Allied Member Bennett becomes ASCP’s first Executive Vice President
	ASCP moves headquarters from Bennett’s office in Stowe, Vermont, to Washington, DC
	New Executive Director Malcolm Rodman is appointed
1971	First Board of Directors elected and first set of Bylaws approved
1972	Richard S. Berman testifies before the Senate Subcommittee on Long-Term Care
	George F. Archambault Award is named in his honor and presented to him Award is established to honor members who make outstanding contributions to

	the progress of consultant pharmacy
1973	Membership reaches 500
	Archambault Award presented to Richard Berman
<b>1973-1974</b>	<b>Alan Krantz, President</b>
	Opportunities emerge to join forces with APhA or ASHP. ASCP leaders decide to go it alone.
	Consultant pharmacy services are mandated
1974	Consultant pharmacist is designated to perform drug regimen review (DRR) in nursing facilities
	Archambault Award presented to Jack Machbitz
	ASCP reaches 500 members
	State chapters have first regional meetings to study and discuss SNF & ICF regulations
<b>1974-1975</b>	<b>John Kaufman, President</b>
1975	Title XIX Medicare regulation publishes standardizing consultant pharmacist performance
	Kathy Sullivan assumes role of Executive Vice President and Executive Director
	Headquarters moves from Washington, DC to 2300 Ninth Street, Arlington, Virginia
	Archambault Award presented to George Freedman
<b>1975-1976</b>	<b>Jack Machbitz, President</b>
1976	Board of Directors approves Code of Ethics opposing kickbacks and paper consultancy in LTC Pharmacy
	Cheryl Rothbart joins ASCP in March
	R. Tim Webster becomes ASCP's fourth Executive Director in October
	Membership reaches 1,000
	Archambault Award presented to Herman Kessler
<b>1976-1977</b>	<b>Larry Niemerow, President</b>
1977	U. S. Department of Health, Education & Welfare (HEW) declares that offering free consulting services in exchange for nursing facility Rx business is illegal
	Archambault Award presented to Samuel Kidder
<b>1977-1978</b>	<b>Robert Hayes, President</b>
1978	ASCP Bylaws revision requires elections for 10 regional directors guaranteeing national representation
	Archambault Award presented to Don Baker
<b>1978-1979</b>	<b>Al Odell, President</b>
1979	First Richard S. Berman Service Award is presented to Arnold Cammeyer to recognize significant contributions to the Society's goals

	Archambault Award presented to John Rawlings
<b>1979-1980</b>	<b>Mark Abrams, President</b>
1980-1984	Membership grows at annual rate of 20%. More than doubles in this period. State chapters and affiliates increase dramatically.
1980	Board expands role and policy-making power of the Councils, the "working committees" of the Board
	<i>Clinical Consult</i> newsletter and educational series publish as an insert to <i>ASCP Update</i>
	Society mourns untimely death of Larry Niemerow
	Awards presented to: Denis Portero, Archambault Award; Rolf Schrader, Berman Award
<b>1980-1981</b>	<b>Milton Moskowitz, President</b>
1981	Board institutes Legislative Alert System
	Indicators in Appendix N first appear
	Awards presented to: Mark Abrams, Archambault Award; Phyllis Wilson, Berman Award
<b>1981-1982</b>	<b>Jerome Fine, President</b>
1982	ASCP Research and Education Foundation is established in honor of deceased president (1976-1977) Larry Niemerow. Board establishes endowment for research and education in consultant pharmacy.
	Relationship building with kindred professional groups
	Awards presented to: James Cooper, Archambault Award; Edward Monroe, Berman Award
<b>1982-1983</b>	<b>Steve Loevner, President</b>
1983	Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA) adopts surveyor guidelines expanding pharmacy services in skilled nursing facilities
	Awards presented to: Peter Lamy, Archambault Award; Milton Moskowitz, Berman Award
<b>1983-1984</b>	<b>Rolf Schrader, President</b>
1984	Board approves graduate residency program for consultant pharmacy practice
	Budget of \$600,000
	Awards presented to: John Thompson, Archambault Award; Gerald Roesener, Berman Award
<b>1984-1985</b>	<b>Tom Snader, President</b>
1985	ASCP has a staff of six
	Awards presented to: Scott Carruthers, Archambault Award; Jack Sassone, Berman Award

<b>1985-1986</b>	<b>Arnold Cammeyer, President</b>
1986	First publication of <i>The Consultant Pharmacist</i>
	Awards presented to: Philip Gerbino, Archambault Award; Nancy Schiciano, Berman Award
<b>1986-1987</b>	<b>Steve Adams, President</b>
1987	Awards presented to: William F. McGhan, Archambault Award; Howard Slater, Berman Award
<b>1987-1988</b>	<b>Elliott Tertes, President</b>
1988	Award-winning journal, <i>The Consultant Pharmacist</i> , started in 1982, becomes a monthly publication
	Maude Babington becomes first ASCP Associate Executive Director
	Government Affairs becomes a formal department
	Awards presented to: Thomas Snader, Archambault Award; Chuck Maples, Berman Award;
<b>1988-1989</b>	<b>Jack Sassone, President</b>
1989	Awards presented to: William Simonson, Archambault Award; Gabe Kavadias, Berman Award
<b>1989-1990</b>	<b>Nelson Showalter, President</b>
1990	Communication Department started
	Budget of \$3.5 million and staff of 21
	First ASCP Legislative Conference is supervised by Government Affairs Director Paul Cano
	Awards presented to: Tim Webster, Archambault Award; Herbert Langsam, Berman Award
<b>1990-1991</b>	<b>Charles Maples, President</b>
1991	Sandoz makes \$1 million donation to Foundation, presented by Frank Cirillo. Janice Feinberg part-time Director. Creates the Neimerow Institute and the Geriatric Drug Therapy Research Institute within the Foundation
	First Annual Conference on Legislative and Regulatory Affairs is conducted
	Awards presented to: Gary Erwin, Archambault Award; Lynn Williams, Berman Award
<b>1991-1992</b>	<b>Scott Carruthers, President</b>
1992	Board develops a strategic plan for ASCP
	Finance Department is created with hiring of Doug McAdoo, CPA
	Tragic death of Paul Cano, Director of

	Government Affairs, shocks members and staff
	ASCP and ASCP Foundation jointly purchase a new home at 1321 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia Funded in part through the generosity of ASCP members in contributing \$600K to the Foundation's "Building for the Future" campaign
	President Emeritus Richard S. Berman dies
	Awards presented to: Armon Neel, Jr., Archambault Award; Elliott Tertes, Berman Award
<b>1992-1993</b>	<b>Herbert Langsam, President</b>
1993	ASCP is one of 7 national pharmacy organizations comprising the Coalition for Consumers' Access to Pharmaceutical Care, working together to provide a model pharmacy benefit in the national debate on health care reform during President Bill Clinton's administration.
	Cano Legislative Internship launched in memory of Paul Cano, for a summer pharmacy student
	Prove It! 2.1 Software is released for purchase by members
	<i>The Consultant Pharmacist</i> wins a third major award for excellence
	Foundation establishes the Richard S. Berman Fund in memory of Berman, to be used for promotion of consultant pharmacy
	Awards presented to: Ralph Kalies, Archambault Award; David Kazarian, Berman Award
	Babington resigns to accept a position with Pharmacy Corporation of America
	ASCP Board of Directors approves landmark research initiative—the Fleetwood Project
	Awards presented to: Ralph Kalies, Archambault Award; David Kazarian, Berman Award
<b>1993-1994</b>	<b>Tim Bien, President</b>
1994	Phylliss Moret joins ASCP staff as Associate Executive Director
	Tom Clark joins ASCP staff as Director of Professional and Educational Affairs
	Membership tops 6,000 mark; staff now at 37
	ASCP Past President Robert L. Hayes dies
	November, volume 9, number 11— <i>The Consultant Pharmacist</i> commemorates ASCP's 25 <sup>th</sup> anniversary
	<i>The Consultant Pharmacists</i> receives another national award
	25 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting in Boston, Berman's home town; Presidential Medallion is presented to each past president

	Awards presented: Thomas J. Cali, Archambault Award; Robert L. Hayes, Berman Award; Steve Aldridge, the first Leadership in Education Award
<b>1994-1995</b>	<b>Lynn Williams-Shipp, President</b>
1995	Model Long-Term Pharmacy Benefit released
	National Consultant Pharmacist Week starts with assistance of the Berman Initiative that promotes consultant pharmacy
	Awards presented to: Dianne Tobias, Archambault Award; Jan Allen, Berman Award; Margaret Sgritta, Leadership in Education Award
<b>1995-1996</b>	<b>Brian Kahan, President</b>
1996	The Board of Directors approves an Executive Director replacement process to anticipate the planned or unplanned departure of the Executive Director
	"Pharmacy Services in LTC: A Guide for Managed Care Plans" is released
	ASCP's Capital Fund is created to raise funds to expand advocacy initiatives
	Missouri, Ohio, Oklahoma, Washington chapters started
	<a href="http://www.ascp.com">www.ascp.com</a> launches
	ASCP celebrates Tim Webster's 20th anniversary with presentation of a clock and announces a LTC pharmacy scholarship established in Webster's name at his alma mater, Ohio State University School of Pharmacy
	Awards presented to: Steve Feldman, Archambault Award; Nelson Showalter, Berman Award; Manju Beier, Leadership in Education Award
<b>1996-1997</b>	<b>Ralph Kalies, President</b>
1997	Board approves the creation and incorporation of Commission for Certification in Geriatric Pharmacy (CCGP). Credential is Certified Geriatric Pharmacist, or CGP
	155 pharmacists sit for the first certification in geriatric pharmacy examination
	ASCP's LTC Pharmacy Practice Standards are finalized
	Fleetwood Project Phase I demonstrates 43% improvement in outcomes and \$3.6 billion in health care savings, as published in <i>Archives of Internal Medicine</i>
	ASCP scores a victory when our language is inserted in the Balanced Budget Act, calling for exploration before finalizing reimbursement policies of the potential risks to patients created by a prospective payment system on medication services

	Connecticut, Montana, New Mexico, and Utah become ASCP Chapters
	Awards presented to: Lyle Bootman, Archambault Award; Robert Gale, Berman Award; Vyvyanne Owashi, Leadership in Education Award
<b>1997-1998</b>	<b>Jan Allen, President</b>
1998	Board accepts recommendation of the Organizational Affairs Council to change the Board member title of "Regional Director" to "Director" in order to have Board members represent all members rather than just those members in a region
	Board conducts strategic planning process
	Arizona, Florida, Georgia, and Nevada chapters of ASCP are approved by the Board
	Annual Peter P. Lamy Memorial Lecture is established as a forum at the annual meeting for the presentation of high-level research and new developments in the study of aging and related health care issues.
	Awards presented to: Mark Beers, MD, Archambault Award; Armon Neel, Berman Award; Kristie Wallace, Leadership in Education Award
<b>1998-1999</b>	<b>David Kazarian, President</b>
1999	ASCP's board approves the Strategic Framework for Senior Care Pharmacy, initiating ASCP's reach outside of facilities to home and community-based care in addition to continuing to serve ASCP's traditional members who serve facilities
	Society deals with the consequences of the Medicare Prospective Payment System (PPS)
	Leadership communications transition to e-mail and paperless documentation
	Awards presented to: Janice Feinberg, Archambault Award; Robert Miller, Berman Award; Dean Schmiedt, Leadership in Education Award
<b>1999-2000</b>	<b>Dianne Tobias, President</b>
2000	Webster's vision of Senior Care Pharmacy emerges as ASCP's president attends meetings of aging organizations such as American Society on Aging
	MDS Med-Guide is introduced
	Meyers-Briggs testing is implemented for Board and staff
	Initial attempt to integrate leadership and strategic plans to provide a seamless transition from one presidential year to the next
	Awards presented to: Michael Posey,

	Archambault Award; Michael Loomis, Berman Award; Steve Feldman, Leadership in Education Award
<b>2000-2001</b>	<b>Bill Simonson, President</b>
2001	Board updates the Strategic Framework for Senior Care Pharmacy
	Awards presented to: Joy Plein, Archambault Award; Judy Beizer, Berman Award; Nancy Losben, Leadership in Education Award
<b>2001-2002</b>	<b>Mark Sey, President</b>
2002	Sey appoints the Succession Planning Committee and the Search Committee
	California becomes an ASCP chapter
	Awards presented to: Joseph Hanlon, Archambault Award; Tim Bien, Berman Award; Maura Conry, Leadership in Education Award
<b>2002-2003</b>	<b>Steve Feldman, President</b>
2003	Budget of \$8 million—staff of 41
	Board adopts Guidance Document for Fulfilling Fiduciary Responsibility
	The Government Affairs and Professional Affairs Departments are blended into the new Policy & Advocacy Department, with Tom Clark serving as Director
	ASCP launches <a href="http://SeniorCarePharmacist.com">SeniorCarePharmacist.com</a> , a directory to help consumers locate a pharmacist with expertise in senior
	Guidance on Fulfilling Fiduciary Responsibilities is approved by the Board
	Webster announces early retirement in March; Search Committee appointed with Dianne Tobias serving as chair. Tribute to Webster at midyear meeting in May in Tampa
	R. Tim Webster, Executive Director for 27 years, dies July 6
	John Feather, PhD, accepts position as new Executive Director effective September 22
	Awards presented to: Brad Williams, Archambault Award; Maude Babington, Berman Award; Roger Levitt, Leadership in Education Award
<b>2003-2004</b>	<b>Ross Brickley, President</b>
2004	In Webster's memory, the First Annual Webster Golf Classic was started by the ASCP Foundation
	In Webster's memory, ASCP headquarters is rededicated as The R. Tim Webster Building, July 22
	Awards presented to: Jerry Gurwitz, MD, Archambault Award; Arnie Clayman, Berman Award; Sheldon Sones, Leadership in Education Award

<b>2004-2005</b>	<b>Diane Crutchfield, President</b>
2005	Board creates and approves the ASCP Senior Care Pharmacist Award
	Board approves appointment of past presidents to future leadership groups
	Awards presented to: Tom Clark, Archambault Award; Dianne Tobias, Berman Award; Marie Gardner, Leadership in Education Award
<b>2005-2006</b>	<b>Robert Miller, President</b>
2006	ASCP actively addresses MMA/Part D in LTC— ASCP is recognized in the pharmacy community as the “go to” organization on this key legislation for guidance for medically complex seniors
	ASCP/AMDA joint collaboration statement is approved
	Pharmacy student initiative approaches 4,000 student members
	ASCP Research and Education Foundation changes name to ASCP Foundation
	ASCP releases policy statement on Medication Therapy Management Services in Long-Term Care Facilities
	<i>The Consultant Pharmacist</i> is indexed by the National Library of Medicine’s MEDLINE
	Awards presented to: Manju Beier, Archambault Award; Carol McKiee, Berman Award; Penny Shelton, Leadership in Education Award; Richard Marasco, Senior Care Pharmacist Award
<b>2006-2007</b>	<b>Joseph Gruber, President</b>
2007	ASCP and NABP release joint model language for long term care pharmacy regulations
	Second edition of the Geriatric Pharmacy Curriculum Guide is released
	Board approves new guidelines to differentiate Medication Therapy Management Services (MTM) from MRR
	Awards presented to: Ed Davidson, Archambault Award; Mark Sey, Berman Award; Nicki Brandt, Leadership in Education Award; Jim Coast, Senior Care Pharmacist Award
<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>Lee Meyer, President</b>
2008	Strategic planning for 2009-2011
	ASCP Board of Directors activates the ASCP Ventures for-profit corporation and appoints ASCP Ventures Board of Directors
	Awards presented to: Lori Daiello, Senior Care Pharmacist Award
<b>2008-2009</b>	<b>Judith Beizer, President</b>