



EMILY HONKEN of Minnesota, a member of the Clinical examination committee, was recognized for her service at the October meeting of ASWB's Examination Committee. EMILY became an item writer in 2007 and wrote for both the Masters and the Clinical exams. GREG WINKLER of Wisconsin, Clinical exam committee chair, presented the service award.



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ASWB welcomes new jurisdictional staff members:

MARC WAGG, Nova Scotia

BRIAN CARNAHAN, Ohio

ALICE CHRISTINE STACEY, Tennessee

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ASWB welcomes two new regulatory board members! ASWB's Board of Directors accepted the applications of the U.S. TERRITORY OF GUAM and the U.S. COMMONWEALTH OF NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS by unanimous vote. This is the first time that social workers will be regulated and licensed in these jurisdictions. The boards made application with ASWB for membership in order to administer ASWB's social work licensing exams as part of the licensing process.

### Territory of Guam

The Guam Social Work Board of the Territory of Guam

is an independent regulatory agency with the authority to license and regulate the profession of social work in Guam. The board is in the process of developing regulations for the licensure of social workers at the baccalaureate, masters, and clinical levels.

Guam became a U.S. territory in 1898. Its current form of government was established in 1950. The island of Guam is the southernmost and largest of the Mariana island chain. It is also the largest island in Micronesia. The population in 2013 was approximately 165,000.

### Northern Mariana Islands

The Health Care Professions Licensing Board (HCPLB) of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands includes the regulation of the profession of social work. The board recently adopted regulations for licensing baccalaureate, masters, and clinical social workers.

CNMI is a commonwealth of the United States, ratified in 1975. The country is a 14-island archipelago in the Pacific Ocean. The

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population of approximately 53,000 (2013) lives predominantly on the islands of Saipan, Tinian, and Rota.

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For the second year, ASWB presented a \$1,000 donation to the Pamper Me Pink Mammogram Fund (the Pink Fund), which is administered by UVA Culpeper Hospital. ASWB's Philanthropy and Social Affairs Team selected the Pink Fund as a charity of choice in 2013 and 2014 for the critical work it does to provide funds for precautionary mammograms and to raise awareness about breast cancer.



*Pictured (front row, left to right): Sharon Clark, founder of Pamper Me Pink, CEO Mary Jo Monahan, and Culpeper Wellness Foundation members Shirley Ann Bayne and Rich Harrington. ASWB's Philanthropy and Social Affairs Team (back row, left to right): Brittany Haney, Chair Donna Edwards, Sylvia Christian, Pat Olinger, and Tessa Jones.*