Elizabeth Garner, MD, MPH to Receive Woman in Science Award from the American Medical Women’s Association (AMWA) at 107th Annual Meeting March 26, 2022- 8 PM

(Schaumburg IL)—March 23, 2022—On Saturday, March 26, 2022, at 8 Pm ET, Elizabeth Garner, MD, MPH, will receive the Woman in Science Award from the American Medical Women’s Association at the 107th Annual AMWA Meeting, which runs March 24-27.

AMWA’s Woman in Science Award is given to honor a woman physician who has made exceptional contributions to medical science, especially in women’s health, through her basic and/or clinical research, publications, and leadership in her field.

Elizabeth Garner is a physician focused on addressing unmet needs in women’s health and brings wide expertise in drug and vaccine development. She is currently Chief Medical Officer (CMO) of ObsEva, a Swiss-based women’s health company. Her previous positions include CMO of Agile Therapeutics, VP Medical Affairs at Myriad Genetics, Senior Director Clinical Research at Abbott, and Director Clinical Research at Merck. Dr. Garner’s corporate board positions include Kezar Life Sciences and Sermonix Pharmaceuticals. Her non-profit board roles include Medicines360 (a non-profit pharmaceutical company), the American Medical Women’s Association, the Drug Information Association, and CorStone, a global non-profit focused on resilience in marginalized youth. Dr. Garner received M.D. and M.P.H degrees from Harvard Medical School and Harvard School of Public Health and trained in Ob/Gyn and gynecologic oncology at Brigham and Women’s Hospital. She was a 2019 awardee of PharmaVoice’s 100 most inspiring individuals in the life-sciences and is a frequent speaker on women’s health, leadership, and diversity.
"It is my honor to present AMWA’s Woman in Science Award to Dr. Elizabeth Garner, who is a passionate advocate for the development of new treatments for the unmet medical needs in women’s health. Her clinical experience in Ob/Gyn and gynecologic oncology and her work in teaching and research have prepared her to have optimal impact as a corporate leader in healthcare,” said AMWA President, Dr. Janice Werbinski. “We are fortunate to have her contributions, as well, within AMWA. Thank you, Dr. Garner, for your extraordinary leadership!”

About The 107th AMWA Annual Meeting

In response to the strain endured across the healthcare world during the last several years of the COVID-19 pandemic, the American Medical Women’s Association (AMWA) is focusing its 107th Annual Meeting on uplifting and energizing women in medicine to Thrive with Tenacity, Humor and Hope. The AMWA 2022 agenda offers something for every career stage. It features nationally recognized thought leaders who will inspire with their vision and offer strategies to manage the myriad challenges facing women in medicine. CME accreditation is provided by SIU School of Medicine. There are also student and resident tracks, and a 2-day medical school fair. All registrations include a 30-60 minute session with a professional physician coach, and for non-member physicians, registration includes membership in AMWA. For more about AMWA 2022, see our press release or visit our website: http://amwa-doc.org/amwa107.

About AMWA

The American Medical Women’s Association (AMWA), founded in 1915, is the oldest multispecialty organization of women in medicine. Our mission is to advance women in medicine, advocate for equity, and ensure excellence in healthcare.

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