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### **Ingleside Board Member to Receive Honor from Gerontological Society of America**

*Dr. Robyn Stone to be Recognized with Pollack Award for Productive Aging*

**Washington, D.C.** – [Ingleside](#), a premier, charitable non-profit provider of comprehensive senior living services in the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area, announced that Dr. Robyn Stone, a member of Ingleside’s Boards of Directors, will be honored this fall with a prestigious award from the [Gerontological Society of America](#) (GSA).

Dr. Stone – who is this year’s recipient of GSAs’ Maxwell A. Pollack Award for Productive Aging – currently serves as Vice President of Research at [LeadingAge](#), an association of 6,000 not-for-profit organizations dedicated to making America a better place to grow old. Also Leading Age’s executive director for its Center for Applied Research, she is internationally known for her authority on long-term care and aging policy.

“Ingleside is grateful to have Dr. Stone on its Boards of Directors. Dr. Stone brings vast aging services knowledge and experience to Ingleside’s Boards of Directors,” said Ingleside’s President and CEO, Lynn O’Connor. “I could not think of anyone more suitably matched for this very special recognition of her many contributions to the field of aging services than Robyn Stone.”

GSA, the nation’s largest interdisciplinary organization devoted to the field of aging, presents the Pollack Award each year to recognize an individual who is actively engaged in the conception and development of innovative programs that demonstrate excellence in translating research into practical application or policy.

“Conducting applied research that improves the lives of older people and their caregivers has been my life’s work. It is gratifying to have that work recognized by the most prestigious organization in the aging field,” stated Dr. Stone in an article published by LeadingAge.

Dr. Stone serves on four Ingleside boards: Ingleside, Ingleside at Rock Creek, Westminster at Lake Ridge, and Ingleside at King Farm. Serving on these boards grants Dr. Stone the opportunity to apply her research and policy experience on a plethora of issues related to aging services. “The real value of Ingleside is that it is an interesting and exciting set of communities – three very different ones that come together as one, under one roof, so to speak,” said Dr. Stone.

Prior to her role at LeadingAge, Dr. Stone held senior research and policy positions in both the U.S. government and the private sector. She is also a fellow of the Gerontological Society of America and the National Academy of Social Insurance, and was elected to the National Academy of Medicine in 2014.

Dr. Stone will receive the award during GSA's Annual Scientific Meeting, Nov. 16-20, in New Orleans, LA.

For more information on Ingleside, its affiliate organizations and its continuing care retirement communities in the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia, please visit [www.inglesideonline.org](http://www.inglesideonline.org).

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### **About Ingleside**

Ingleside is a premier, charitable non-profit provider of comprehensive senior living opportunities in the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area. Based in D.C., Ingleside is the umbrella organization for three CARF-accredited, not-for-profit, continuing care retirement communities and its affiliates, including: the Westminster Ingleside Foundation, WING (Westminster Ingleside Group), which handles management and development, and Ingleside at Home, a home-based care program. Ingleside's family of communities include: Ingleside at Rock Creek (Washington, D.C.), Westminster at Lake Ridge (Lake Ridge, Va.), and Ingleside at King Farm (Rockville, Md.). For more information, visit [www.inglesideonline.org](http://www.inglesideonline.org).