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# "Super Volunteer" Isabel Chiu Garners Well Deserved Recognition



Volunteer Isabel Chiu accepts the Lane Adams Award, with National Board Chair Sally West Brooks, RN, MA, and National Board President Carolyn Runowicz, MD

# Co-founder of the Northern California Chinese Unit has received the Society's Lane Adams Award and been recognized by the World

Milpitas' Isabel Chiu, CPA, is having a big year. In January, the World Journalthe largest Chinese newspaper in North America-honored Isabel as a Person of the Year in the Bay Area. The World Journal recognized Ms. Chiu as the Society's "Super Volunteer." Soon after, she was honored yet again for her outstanding efforts. The American Cancer Society recognized Isabel as one of 10 extraordinary individuals chosen as recipients of the 2006 Lane Adams Quality of Life Award. The awards were presented at a special ceremony in conjunction with the national board of directors meeting on May 18, 2006, in

In 1994 Isabel, along with breast cancer patient Loseline Chen Wang, raised a relatively small sum of money and rented a tiny office in Fremont. Both women shared a passion and dedication to help Chinese American cancer patients. Their mission was to provide specialized patient services and programs while promoting cancer education in the Bay Area. Sadly, Ms. Wang died of breast cancer; but Isabel, along with other volunteers, continued to carry forth their mission. Hence, the Northern California Chinese Unit was founded

In February 2005, that small grassroots organization aligned with the California Division and is now known as the American Cancer Society, Northern California Chinese Unit (ACS-NCCU). Since its inception, the Fremont-based ACS-NCCU has served over 1,800 cancer patients and their families.

The annual Lane Adams Award is a highly competitive honor recognizing doctors, nurses, social workers, and others from various disciplines and backgrounds, who work with cancer patients and their families. The late Lane W Adams, a former executive vice president of the Society, coined the phrase, "extending the warm hand of service." The award that bears his name recognizes caregivers who are committed to that ideal.

The year would appear to hold even more accomplishments for Isabel. An ACS-NCCU patient service pilot, the Respite program, is in the works. Respite is an extension of the Chinese Unit's long-running Home Visit program. As the name suggests, Respite is designed to provide some respite for end-of-life cancer patients' families-a cause very close to Isabel's heart.

Congratulations, Isabel.

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