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**ASSOCIATION MANAGEMENT CENTER EMPLOYEE
RECEIVES ACCME HERO AWARD**

Glenview, IL—Association Management Center (AMC) is pleased to announce that Stephen Biddle, MEd, is the recipient of the 2008 Robert Raszkowski, MD, PhD Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) Hero Award. The ACCME presents this award to recognize individuals who have provided exemplary and long-term volunteer service to the ACCME.

The award is named for the late Robert Raszkowski, MD PhD, a long-time and dedicated ACCME volunteer. The ACCME believes this award will reflect, honor, and serve to memorialize the kinds of contributions Dr. Raszkowski made during his extraordinary years of volunteerism and his commitment to excellence in continuing medical education.

Biddle has been associated with the ACCME since 1990. During this time, he has been a peer reviewer of CME providers submitting initial accreditation and reaccreditation applications, has served on the ACCME Monitoring Committee, and has been faculty for their 2-day accreditation workshops. Steve acknowledges that much of what he learned about CME comes from having worked with Dr. Raszkowski.

Steve recently joined AMC as the Director of Education for the American Pain Society, American Society of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, and the National Association of Neonatal Nurses. Executive Director Catherine Underwood comments, "Steve is most deserving of this award. He is collaborative, caring, and a great generator of new ideas...he is a prized member of the AMC team."

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