



MAN OF THE YEAR EVENT



MAR-FJMC MAN OF THE YEAR RECIPIENTS AWARD 2021



**CONGREGATION ADATH JESHURUN,
ELKINS PARK, PA
HARRY J. LESSIG, MD, MHA, FACNP, FACNM, CHCQM**

FAMILY

Spouse: Wendy Ann Lessig, BSN

Children: Louis Lessig, Erica Lindon, Rachael Israel, Amanda Attermann

EDUCATION

Central High School BA, Muhlenberg College BS, Hahnemann Medical College MD, Seton Hall MH

OCCUPATION

Medical Physician

HOBBIES/INTERESTS

- Being a devoted husband to my wife Wendy, a devoted grandfather to my nine Jewish grandchildren, and being a good physician as my father of blessed memory was
- Traveling
- Swimming
- Fishing

BUSINESS HONORS/ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Certified - American Board of Nuclear Medicine
- Certified - American Board of Quality Assurance and Utilization Review Physicians
- Chairman Department of Nuclear Medicine Episcopal Hospital
- Director Department of Nuclear Medicine Rolling Hill Hospital
- Teaching appointments Temple University School of Medicine and Hahnemann Medical College
- President of the Greater New York Chapter of the Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging 1987-1989
- Fellow in the American College of Nuclear Physicians 1994

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- Fellow in the American College of Nuclear Medicine 1996
- President of the American College of Nuclear Medicine 2005-2006
- President of the Burlington County medical Society 2008-2009
- Jewish National Fund - Green Belt Around Jerusalem May 1996
- Member Divine Service Committee, now the Religious Practice Committee, was elected to the Board of Directors, became a member of the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors as Assistant Treasurer, Secretary and Vice President of the Board of Directors for more than 15 years
- Honorary Director of the Board of Directors and elected to the Board of Trustees of Congregation Adath Jeshurun

MEN'S CLUB OFFICES HELD

- President for 4 years in the 1980's

SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN MEN'S CLUB

- Increased membership with the assistance of the other men members of the Young Marrieds
- Build the Sukkah annually
- Supported Troop 185 one of the earliest Kosher and Shomer Shabbat troops in the Philadelphia area
- Men's Shabbat and Sunday morning minyan

FAVORITE MEN'S CLUB PROGRAMS

- Passover Education with Rabbi Ron Wolfson's Text Shabbat education by the same author
- Yom Hashoah Programs
- Veteran's Day Programs

WHAT MEN'S CLUB MEANS TO ME

Helping to preserve and educate our members in Judaism

REASON FOR THIS AWARD

Harry served as AJMA President in the 1980s. During that time he supported critical initiatives to strengthen the Men's Association. Since then, Harry has served the in Congregation Executive Committee positions including Vice President, Assistant Treasurer, Secretary as well as membership on the Board of Trustees and Religious Practices Committee. Harry has assumed, in the past year, the role of co-President of the AJMA. He helped organize this year's Men's Shabbat and prior to the pandemic Harry was a regular helper in the kitchen preparing for our popular Sunday programs.