DR. KNOX EARLE WYCLIFFE HAGLEY

Knox Hagley attended Secondary School in Grenada where he was Head Boy then proceeded to University College of the West Indies as it then was and graduated in 1957.

His Post Graduate training between 1961 and 1988 included courses at the Postgraduate School of Medicine, London, England, Royal College of Physicians of London, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, University of Toronto, University of Gronegen, University of Puerto Rico and John's Hopkins University.

Between 1958 and 1992 Dr. Hagley served in various positions in the Caribbean, Nigeria and England and gained experience in Internal Medicine, General Surgery, Obstetrics, Gynaecology and Pediatrics.

In 1966 he founded and headed the Department of Medicine at the Spanish Town Hospital. In 1971 he was appointed consultant physician at the Medical Associates Hospital in Kingston and in 1992 he was similarly appointed at the University Hospital of the West Indies. He served as Medical Advisor to PAHO from 1985-1991.
Between 1991 and 1996 he was Director /Head of the Department of Social and Preventive Medicine, University of the West Indies and from 1996 – 1999 he was Director/Head of the Department of Community Health and Psychiatry, University of the West Indies. He has done extensive work in the CARICOM Region on the Control of Diabetes Mellitus, Control of Hypertension and the Control of Smoking, Care of the Diabetic Foot, Community Mental Health care and Care of the Elderly.

In many instances a Manual has been produced for use by various Caricom Governments.

Dr. Hagl;ey has assisted in training Doctors, Nurses, Community Health personnel Nurse Practitioners, and also given guest lectures at United Theological College. He has served on many committees Academic and non-academic, Medical and non-medical for the University of the West Indies and this has included mediating in a crisis situation!
In the area of Public Service Dr. Hagley has served Ministries of Health in the region, PAHO, and the Medical Council of Jamaica among others. In NGO's he has served the Medical Association, the Diabetes Association of Jamaica, Blue Cross of Jamaica, the Caribbean Cardiac Society, the Heart Foundation of Jamaica and the Jamaica Coalition for Tobacco Control among others.
He is the member of at least sixteen organizations Medical and otherwise not the least of which is the UWI Alumni Association of which he has been a member since 1966! (Guild of Graduates as it then was.)

Dr. Hagley has published extensively and presented papers at several conferences and seminars. Topics covered include Diabetes, Hypertension, Obesity, Kidney diseases, Alcohol-related health problems and disorders and of the Elderly, Smoking, Cancer and Lifestyle issues.
Dr. Hagley has received Awards from:
The Medical Association of Jamaica,
UWI Medical Alumni Association,
UWI Diabetes Outreach Programme (Phillip Sherlock Award),
Association of Consultant Physicians of Jamaica,
PAHO – Service Award

- Jamaica Hero of Health

Group of Jamaica: Order of Distinction (commander class).

Today the UWI Alumni Association welcomes Dr. Knox Earle Wycliffe Hagley to the select company of the Pelican Awardees.