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ABWM Foundation Celebrating Forth Year of Wound Healing Awareness Month (WHAM!)

Washington, D.C. (June 3, 2019) – The ABWM Foundation is proud to celebrate the fourth year of its naming June as Wound Healing Awareness Month (WHAM!). Started in 2016, June is meant to recognize the challenges experienced by individuals whose lives are affected daily by chronic wounds and to bring awareness to the public of the support given by certified wound specialists. There are millions of cases of chronic wounds in America.

Chairman of the Board of Trustees for the ABWM Foundation, Joseph McCulloch, PT, PhD, FAPTA, CWS®, stated, “The ABWM Foundation Board of Trustees supports the work of wound care specialists on wound healing, and is excited to start the fourth year of Wound Healing Awareness Month. The Foundation continues to promote WHAM items for clinics and hospitals to use during the month of June to recognize individuals.”

IN addition, the Certified Wound Specialist week for 2019 will be June 17 – 21, 2019. During the week, the ABWM Foundation acknowledges and celebrates all practitioners certified by the American Board of Wound Management ([ABWM](#)) which includes Certified Wound Care Associates (CWCA®), Certified Wound Specialists (CWS®), and Certified Wound Specialist Physicians (CWSP®).

If you have any questions regarding WHAM, please contact Sibel Clifford at sclifford@abwmfoundation.org or (202) 457-8403. Please go to the [WHAM website](#) to get more information on this exciting month. In addition, please follow the ABWM Foundation’s digital media accounts to see everything happening this month. You can follow the ABWM Foundation on [Instagram](#), [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [LinkedIn](#).

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About ABWM Foundation

The [ABWM Foundation](#) is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit foundation. It supports the work of the American Board of Wound Management (ABWM) for the advancement of wound care, the promotion of certification for providers of chronic and acute wounds, and the benefit of the public by developing and providing quality education and conducting sound research to support and promote wound care.

More information is available at: www.abwmfoundation.org