

Biography
Robert (Andy) David Anderson

Born: Dante, VA

Education: Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, VA
School of Pharmacy, Bachelor's Degree (1947)

Positions Held: Staff Pharmacist
Medical College of Virginia Hospitals, Richmond, VA

Chief Pharmacist
King's Daughters' Hospital, Staunton, VA

Assistant Director of Pharmacy and Central Supply Services
Ohio State University Hospitals, Columbus, OH

Director of Pharmacy
Waynesboro Community Hospital, Waynesboro, VA

Significant Offices: President, Virginia Society of Hospital Pharmacists
President, American Society of Hospital Pharmacists

Significant Awards: Harvey A.K. Whitney Lecture Award

ASHP Award for Achievement in the Professional Practice
of Hospital Pharmacy (Hospitals with fewer than 400 Beds)

Virginia Hospital Pharmacist of the Year

Honorary Doctor of Science, Shenandoah University

Major Professional Accomplishments:

- ◆ In Virginia, developed the first comprehensive intravenous admixture program and the second (and most comprehensive) unit-dose drug distribution program, the first clinical pharmacy program outside of a university hospital setting and the first recognized drug information and poison information center.
- ◆ Organized and chaired the Committee on International Outreach of Christian Pharmacists Fellowship International, which provides support for missionary pharmacists in many areas of the world.
- ◆ Gayle Scott, President of the Virginia Society of Hospital Pharmacists said of Andy, "He was one of the first people in Virginia to get the hospital pharmacist out of the 'drug closet' and allow them to do what they're trained to do – make a difference in the patient's drug therapy."