



American Board of Urology

Dr. H. Ballentine Carter elected Trustee of the American Board of Urology



Charlottesville (March 14, 2012) - Dr. H. Ballentine Carter, Professor of Urology and Oncology, and Director of Adult Urology at the James Buchanan Brady Urological Institute at the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, has been elected Trustee of The American Board of Urology (ABU). His six-year term began February 28, 2012. Dr. Carter was nominated to the ABU by the American Association of Genitourinary Surgeons.

Founded in 1935, the American Board of Urology acts for the benefit of the public to insure high quality, safe, efficient, and ethical practice of Urology by establishing and maintaining standards of certification for urologists. Six urologic societies nominate to the ABU and sponsor its activities, including the American Urological Association, the American Association of Genitourinary Surgeons, the American Association of Clinical Urologists, the American College of Surgeons, and the Section on Urology of the American Academy of Pediatrics.

Dr. Carter specializes in the management of prostate disease with a focus on prostate cancer. In 1995, Dr. Carter established an Active Surveillance Program for prostate cancer at Johns Hopkins that has become one of the largest and longest running longitudinal studies of its kind.

Dr. Carter completed his medical degree at the Medical University of South Carolina and his urology residency training at the New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center. He subsequently completed an American Urological Association scholarship in oncology at Johns Hopkins before joining their urology faculty. Dr. Carter is a Diplomate of the American Board of Urology and a member of the American Urological Association, the Society of Urologic Oncology, the American Society of Clinical Oncologists, and the American Association of Genitourinary Surgeons.