

Stemming the Tide of Type 2 Diabetes and Childhood Obesity: Disrupting the Source



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Dr. Gavin is past president of the Morehouse School of Medicine in Atlanta, past chairman of the National Diabetes Education Program (NDEP), national program director of the Harold Amos Faculty Development Program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, and serves as Chairman of the Board for the Partnership for a Healthier America. He served as senior scientific officer at the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) and as director of the HHMI–National Institutes of Health Research Scholars Program. He belongs to a number of organizations, including the National Academy of Medicine (formerly the IOM), the American Diabetes Association (ADA), the American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists (AACE), the American Society of Clinical Investigation (ASCI), and the American Association of Physicians (AAP).

He is a past president of the ADA and was voted Clinician of the Year in Diabetes by the ADA in 1991. He has served on many advisory boards and on the editorial boards of the American Journal of Physiology and the American Journal of Medical Sciences. He is on the board of trustees for Emory University, and Livingstone College. He is past. He has published more than 250 articles and abstracts in such publications as Science, Diabetes, and the American Journal of Physiology.

He received the E.E. Just Award, the Emory University Medal for Distinguished Achievement, the Banting Medal for Distinguished Service from ADA, and the Distinguished Alumni Award from Duke University School of Medicine. He was named a “Living Legend in Diabetes” by the American Association of Diabetes Educators (AADE) in 2009, and was named one of the “175 Emory History Makers” on the occasion of the celebration of the University’s 175th Anniversary. In 2015, he received a Lifetime Achievement Award for Diabetes Research from ADA, and the Lifetime Meritorious Achievement Award from the NMA.



**RSPH Grand Round:
December 6th at 12 - 1:00pm
Room 500I, Claudia Nance Rollins Building
Rollins School of Public Health**

Food will be served