DR. MAURICE C. CLIFFORD HONORED BY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE AT DREXEL UNIVERSITY

The Clifford family saluted the College of Medicine at Drexel University for commemorating the contributions of the late Dr. Maurice C. Clifford at a special ceremony in his honor on March 30, 2017. The event was attended by family members of Dr. Clifford, several members of Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity-Alpha Boule, (Dr. Clifford was a member) medical students and faculty. Special thanks are reserved for Daniel Schidlow, M.D. and Ana E. Nunez, M.D., who graciously coordinated this most memorable occasion. Dr. Clifford’s portrait was placed in a prominent location to serve as a beacon of hope and validation of one African-American’s significant contributions to the field of medicine. Diversity was clearly apparent in both the focus of the day as well as the cultural mix of the attendees,” Jay Clifford remarked.

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Pictured are (left to right) Dr. Clifford’s sons Maurice Clifford III and Jay Clifford, PhD, and their wives, Drexel University College of Medicine’s Daniel V. Schidlow, MD, Anneberg Dean and Senior Vice President of Medical Affairs, Chancellor Emeritus B. Walter Cohen, DDS, and Associate Dean for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Ana Nunez, MD.

The Honorable Reverend Dr. W. Wilson Goode Sr. (left), former Mayor of Philadelphia, and Jay Clifford, PhD, son of Maurice Clifford, MD, whose portrait was being rededicated at Drexel University College of Medicine.