



Elder Rev. Dr. Rueben Warren Our rich and glorious history teaches us that the Great Imhotep was a revered healer, architect, High Priest, sage, and adviser. We present the Rev. Dr. Woodrow Aminifu Smith, Jr. National Community Service Award to our very own Imhotep, Rev. Dr. Reuben Warren whose life's work is a commitment to the health of our people. Dr. Warren has earned many advanced degrees in the field of Dental Science, Public Health and Divinity degree in Ethics and Theology. His extensive public health experiences at community, state, local, national and international levels range from clinical,

environmental justice, minority health and research work in the Lagos University Teaching Hospital in Lagos, Nigeria.

As director of the National Center for Bioethics in Research and Health Care at Tuskegee University, Dr. Warren is responsible for overseeing and guiding the broad civic engagement/outreach and scholarly work. Bioethics is the study of the ethical issues relating to biological, medical and other scientific research and applications. Bioethics considers the perceived risks and benefits and their impact on society. In his role Dr. Warren ensures that ethical decisions are made based on: benevolence (doing well, acting in the best interests of an individual). Like, Imhotep, this brother is revered for his service. Rueben means to see and to notice, and today we see and notice this special brother.