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Fifty Influential Minorities
in Business**

*“Climbing the Ladder of Success and
Making a Difference”*

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AWARDEE

DR. GENEVIÈVE M. CLAVREUL

*President & CEO
Solutions Outside The Box*



Geneviève M. Clavreul, President and CEO of Solutions Outside The Box, is her own independent company formed to develop and test new HIV/AIDS drugs, as well as test potential treatments for malaria and tuberculosis and bring new and different models of drugs to treat chronic illness, to market. They provide consulting services to hospitals, healthcare corporations, and nursing organizations. Solutions Outside The Box works closely with various HIV/AIDS+ women groups and support organizations to insure inclusiveness of women in clinical trials and other HIV/AIDS related medical resources. The company was launched in Pasadena, California in 2001.

Dr. Clavreul's vision is to develop a strong network of collaborators from diverse fields and disciplines, she hopes to herald a new way of bringing critical, and much needed drugs to the world market. She has been honored for 18 years of innovative work and activism in the HIV/AIDS arena. Dr. Clavreul has advocated from the beginning of the AIDS crisis that it would take an international involvement to find an effective treatment and vaccine for this devastating disease.

Prior to her current position, Dr. Clavreul was Director of Nursing at Sioux Valley Hospital, Sioux City, South Dakota. She later moved to Bakersfield where she served as not only the Director of Nursing at a major Bakersfield Hospital, but a professor in the Department of Nursing at both California State University and Bakersfield College.

In 1982, Dr. Clavreul left hospital administration and put her skills and talents to work as an independent consultant for hospitals and healthcare organizations. She built a client base in Southern California, focusing on deficiencies for hospitals, nursing recruitment and retention, quality assurance and quality of care and J.C.A.H.O. accreditation. It was not long before her talents were being requested at hospitals internationally. She became a sought after speaker on the hospital circuit, speaking across the United States and Internationally.

From 1976 to 1977, Dr. Clavreul attended Columbus State University, Columbus, Georgia and earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology and a Master in Education. In 1979 she completed her Master in Public Administration at California State University, Bakersfield, California. She attended Beverly Hills University, Los Angeles, California in 1984 and earned a Ph.D. in Management.

Dr. Clavreul, originally from Paris, France, immigrated to the United States in 1959 and recently became a United States citizen. She is divorced and has four children.