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Martha Barnes, M.S., center, on the occasion of receiving an NIEHS Merit Award in March 2019. Posing with then-NIEHS Director Linda Birnbaum, Ph.D., and Dr. Pat Mastin, Deputy Director of the NIEHS Division of Extramural Research and Training. Photo by Steve McCaw.

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