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Known fondly as "Dr Archie", he worked closely with the Aboriginal Medical Service to reduce the high mortality rate of Aboriginal children in North western New South Wales, and, while under his supervision, the rate dropped to zero.

Then Prime Minister of Australia John Howard, congratulated Dr Kalokerinos for this work at the opening of the Kytheraismos Conference II in 2006, stating through his "consistent and selfless efforts saved the lives of many young indigenous Australians".



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