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Busy!!Busy!!Busy!!

Hot Summer Greetings to all of Illinois AGD,

It certainly has been a busy spring and summer has gotten hot, hot, hot! The heat has dialed up all around the country and hopefully that makes you think CE. What? Well now you've missed it. July is almost always the time for the AGD Annual Meeting. We have just returned from New Orleans, the site of this year's Annual Meeting—Savor the Flavors. There was a great assortment of hands-on (participation) classes, lecture classes, a fellowship exam review course, an implant 4 day symposium, an opportunity to give back and provide dental care at LSU, a gala event, convocation, exhibits and governance. This was a jam packed few days with the opportunities to learn, serve, and enjoy the fellowship of our brother and sister dentists. We, in IAGD, were able to welcome 4 new Fellows and 1 new Master to the Academy. And of course in New Orleans there was FOOD! We savored the flavor of both the educational aspects of the meeting and also the local fare.

As your president this year I have been honored to represent you at many events. To my great pleasure, many of my IAGD colleagues joined me in these adventures. Since our last Advisor we have had the ISDS Capital Conference in late April. Here we learned about statewide issues and lobbied our congressmen/women and senators. In May we started with Special Olympics, and immediately went to UIC for their senior awards ceremony. Later in May we returned to UIC for their fellowtrack Case Presentation Competition. CAGD presented their continuing education seminar on Implant restoration with Chuck Girardi. We had representation at the AAPD meeting and went to work together for the Headstart Dental Home. June brought us the Dental Mission of Mercy in Bloomington. This was VERY heart warming and rewarding. One THOUSAND dentists from around the state, and some even out of state, provided dental care to approximately 2000 patients. The two days of dentistry was valued at roughly \$500,000. IAGD was once again well represented, especially with Doc Ashton and his group providing evening entertainment. June also brought another fine Mastertrack program with Karl Koerner. We completed June getting ready for the House of Delegates meeting which this year for the first time, was held prior to the educational session in New Orleans.

In producing this list of activity I want to illuminate the many functions in which we have joined with other organizations. Now, more than ever, we need to speak out on as many fronts as possible. We are partnering with other dental organizations to combine our voices in an effort to be heard on the issue of improving access to quality dental care, the kind you want for you and your family, for all our patients.

Another one of our activities is the AGD's Senior Student Dental Award (SSDA) program recognizes senior students from each dental school in the United States, Canada, and Puerto Rico who go above and beyond during their education and exhibit potential for becoming outstanding general dentists.

The AGD's Senior Student Dental Award (SSDA) program recognizes up to two senior students from each dental school in the U.S. and Canada who exhibit potential for becoming outstanding general dentists. Recipients are required to be among the top students in their graduating class, and be current student members of the AGD. Awardee benefits include a certificate and one free year of AGD membership. Constituent leaders are tasked with selecting SSDA recipients. This SSDA Nomination Form should be submitted to AGD Headquarters so the AGD can properly create certificates and indentify winners. Deadline for submission of this form is March 15 each year, prior to the end of the dental school calendar.

I know this sounds like a hectic schedule, but really it is fun. I enjoy all the activity, and meeting people. I do this not only for me, but for YOU and for our patients! I do this so that you can stay in your office and be aware of what is going on. Then if you can go to your computer and type a brief Cap-Wiz now and then, on an issue about which you would like to express your concern, we all will find that we can make our world a little bit better and easier to live in. The AGD has tons of information on its website. You can look up classes in a number of different ways, and keep track of advocacy efforts all online, in your office or at home. These are just some of the ways we help all our dentists to receive the information they want and the continuing education they need to be able to engage in all the aspects of dentistry in which they are interested.

Till next issue,

Betty

IAGD President's Report



by Dr. Betty Haberkamp

The first Mission of Mercy in Illinois took place June 11 & 12, 2010 in Bloomington. Sponsored by the Illinois State Dental Society and their foundation, this humanitarian event was a great success. Many members of Illinois AGD, together with other dentists from all over the state, attended this inaugural event.

The statistics: Over 950 volunteers treated 1,953 patients and provided close to \$1,000,000.00 in free dental care in two days. Overall, 6,902 procedures were performed, including 1,365 restorations, 702 cleanings, 1,739 extractions and 72 root canals.

First-hand report: My dentist husband (Dr. Michael Mora), two hygienists, one assistant, and Kate Limardi (a fourth year dental student at UIC College of Dentistry and the IAGD Student Membership Chair) and I packed up Thursday night and headed to Bloomington. We were scheduled to work the morning shift from 6am to 12pm on both Friday and Saturday. When we arrived at the Conference Center,

we checked in and then walked in to the treatment area. We were amazed by the amount of activity going on at 5:15 in the morning. The line outside was long and many of the patients had been waiting all night for the doors to open at 6am. We found our operatories and began seeing patients at 6am on the dot. The program was so well organized and well run, thanks to many people including Dr. Sue Bishop (our IAGD Regional Director) that all the patients who had been waiting for the doors to open were seen by 12 noon. Every patient that we treated was so appreciative of the care we provided, and could not speak highly enough of how well planned the program was. We all had a great time and we truly appreciated the opportunity to help an area in our state that has been hit very hard by the economic downturn. We hope to volunteer for this wonderful event again in the very near future.

Cheryl (IAGD Secretary)

*MoM is not
a Parent*



by Dr. Cheryl Mora

The Illinois AGD delegates, alternates, Regional Director and National Trustee all traveled to New Orleans July 6, 2010 for the Academy of General Dentistry's (AGD) 58th House of Delegates and Annual Meeting & Exhibits. During the first session of the House of Delegates, the 2010 Distinguished Service Award was presented to our own **Seymour Wachtenheim, DDS, MAGD**. The Distinguished Service Award honors a council or committee member who has served the AGD in an outstanding manner by dedicating extensive time and energy to ensure the continuity and integrity of the AGD's operation, as well as developing new programs and services to meet the membership's changing needs. For all of us in Illinois AGD that know Sy- we cannot say enough about his dedication to the Academy of General Dentistry. **Congratulations Sy!** Illinois AGD was also presented with the 2010 Public Information Award and received Honorable Mention for Constituent of the Year. Congratulations to all who helped bring this recognition to Illinois AGD.

Tuesday afternoon and all day Wednesday, the IAGD delegation worked tirelessly on the House of Delegates Resolutions. We felt very prepared as we began the second session of the House of Delegates on Thursday morning. For more information on the

Resolutions that the HOD passed see:

<http://www.agd.org/neworleans?PubID=102&IssID=1006&ArtID=5861&nIssID=1006>.

During this session, **Dr. Paula Jones** finished her period in office as Immediate Past President of AGD, and **Dr. Fares Elias** from Michigan and a close friend of Illinois AGD was sworn in as President of AGD.

Our time in New Orleans was not all work. We sampled authentic Cajun foods at several local restaurants in the French Quarter and had beignets at Cafe Du Monde. Saturday morning several IAGD members enjoyed a walk along the Mississippi River and savored the flavors of New Orleans, all while supporting the Academy of General Dentistry (AGD) Foundation in its mission to advance the oral health of the public and support the efforts of general dentists.

Saturday afternoon, we attended the 2010 Fellowship and Mastership Convocation Ceremony and welcomed four new Fellows from Illinois- **Steven K. Dawson, DMD, FAGD**, Jerseyville, **Alicia D. Franklin, DDS, FAGD**, Chicago, **Eric G. Jackson, DDS, FAGD**, Downers Grove, and **Paul L. Engen, DDS, FAGD**, Elgin and one new Master- **John J. Dzakovich, DDS, MAGD**, Arlington Heights. Congratulations to all of you!

*IAGD In
New Orleans*

by Dr. Cheryl Mora

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Mission of Mercy...



Images From New Orleans...





more images from New Orleans...

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A Convocation ceremony to honor the new AGD Fellows and Masters took place on Saturday, July 10, 2010 at the Marriott New Orleans Convention Center in New Orleans, Louisiana. Fellowship and Mastership in the Academy of General Dentistry are prestigious symbols of dentistry's continual journey toward improvement and progress. Masters and Fellows of the Academy embody the Academy's principles and ideals accept an obligation to continually prove themselves worthy of the designation throughout their professional life.

To earn Fellowship, dentists must be Academy members for three consecutive years, earn a minimum of 500 approved continuing education credits, pass a comprehensive 400-question examination and attend a Convocation ceremony.

To attain Mastership, members must be Fellows in the Academy who have earned an additional 600 approved continuing education credits, meeting the minimum requirements in each of the dental disciplines. In addition, 400 of the required credits must be in participation courses, where skills are learned through manipulation of dental materials. The final requirement of Mastership is to attend a Convocation ceremony.

In the Academy's 56-year history 15,013 members have earned Fellowship and 2,700 have received Mastership, one of the Academy's most prestigious awards. During this year's convocation ceremony, 238 members received their Fellowship, 88 received Mastership, and another 36 received their Life Long Learning and Service Recognition. This annual ceremony is the profession's most regal event. It

continues an annual tradition set in 1962, when the first 20 Fellows of the Academy of General Dentistry received their awards at a small dinner ceremony following a course presentation and business meeting.

The Fellows and Masters honored this year represent a commitment to lifelong learning and support for the mission of the Academy, "to serve the needs and to represent the interests of general dentists and to foster their continued proficiency through quality continuing dental education in order to better serve the public."

The following is a list of the newly honored Illinois Fellows and Masters that participated in the convocation ceremony this month in New Orleans, Louisiana (see page 1):

Illinois (Fellows): Steven K. Dawson, DMD, FAGD, Jerseyville, Alicia D. Franklin, DDS, FAGD, Chicago, Eric G. Jackson, DDS, FAGD, Downers Grove, and Paul L. Engen, DDS, FAGD, Elgin

Illinois (Masters): John J. Dzakovich, DDS, MAGD, Arlington Heights

The Illinois Academy of General Dentistry (IAGD) would like to offer their sincere congratulations to the 2010 Fellows, Masters, and to their families for providing the support and encouragement to reach this goal.

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*AGD
Fellowship,
Mastership
& LLSR
Awards*

University of Illinois College of Dentistry's (UIC-COD) International Dentist Degree Program offers dentists who graduated from a non-U.S. accredited dental school the opportunity to fulfill the schooling requirement before taking clinical board examinations. This two year program at UIC accepts 30 dentists annually. The IDDP starts in May, kicked off by a weeklong orientation.

IAGD sponsored a breakfast for these students on May 26. They were welcomed by IAGD members Drs. Maryam Hafezi, Theresa Lao, Cheryl Mora, and Sy Wachtenheim. Dr. Hafezi, who is the Immediate Past-President of Chicago AGD, was a graduate of the IDDP at UIC. She addressed the students and encouraged them to sign up as IAGD student members, and to stay involved as regular members after their graduation. Dr. Mora told the students how important organized dentistry is for them, that the need for advocacy is so evident in these times of changing legislation. She stressed to them the vital role that AGD plays in supporting the best interests of our profession. Dean Bruce Graham followed and echoed the same sentiments and well wishes to the IDDP students.

Meetings like these, in coordination with the university's Office of Student and Diversity Affairs, help to bring awareness of AGD (our mission of continuing education, lifelong learning and advocacy) to students. IAGD is trying to reach out to our future colleagues as early in their career as possible. The next time IAGD will meet with the IDDP students will be on August 27, when our organization helps sponsor their White Coat Ceremony, along with the entering D1Class of 2014. The White Coat Ceremony marks the beginning of the student's professional career. In the presence of family, guests, and faculty members, students are welcomed into the dental community as they put on their white coats.

We thank Dr. Darryl Pendleton, UIC COD Dean of Student and Diversity Affairs, and his staff Braulia Espinosa, Millie Mendez, Blanca Sanchez and Rosemary Aguilar for their assistance and organization in handling these IAGD sponsored events.

Theresa

IDDP Orientation



by Dr. Theresa Lao

Along with Academy of Dentistry International (ADI), IAGD annually sponsors a Case Presentation program at the University of Illinois College of Dentistry (UIC-COD). One student from each of the group practices is chosen by their practice managers (aka faculty instructors) to present a case that they started as a D3. The powerpoint presentations include medical histories, clinical and radiographic findings, odontograms, intra and extraoral photographs, the treatment options they presented to the patient as well as the evidence based rationale for the procedures planned. Photos of the work in progress also were shown, demonstrating the treatment phases chronologically.

The program this year was held on May 24 at UIC. As in past years, the presenters were the new D4s (Class of 2011): Catharine Kennedy, Natalie Layne, Denise Maniakouris, Matthew McKnight, Tim Rogers and Justin Welke. Drs. Marsha Babka and Dave Kumamoto, both IAGD members and UIC-COD instructors facilitated the event. All the presenters were well prepared and very professional. Judges

included Drs. Betty Haberkamp, William Kisker, Theresa Lao, Sue Mayer, Scott Miller, Cheryl Mora, Muzammil Saeed, Richard Tatro, and Sy Wachtenheim.

ADI Immediate Past-President and IAGD Regional Director Dr. Sue Bishop presented 3rd place winner Justin Welke with a check sponsored by ADI. Dr. Richard Tatro, ADI Regent USA North Central and AGD member, presented 2nd place winner Matthew McKnight a check from ADI. IAGD President Betty Haberkamp awarded 1st place winner Denise Maniakouris with a free trip to this year or next year's annual AGD meeting.

Everyone enjoyed a great meal, camaraderie and networking after the presentations at Francesca's on Taylor restaurant. Also joining the group was Mrs. Cindy Tatro, and our IAGD student representatives: Julio Argueta '13, Yasmin Farid '13, Kate Limardi '11, Scott Schwartz '12 and Cheon Joo Yoon '12.

Theresa

Case Presentations at UIC-COD

by Dr. Theresa Lao

International Dental Student Program (IDDP)



Top Back Row: Matthew Hamedani, Yevgen Tkachuk, Aneequ Kothari, Jenny Lee, Sonia Shweiki, Folashade Ogunsanya, Nicole Guyton - **2nd row from top:** Natalie Morgan, Scott Fleming, Claire Sheehan, Sylvia Deek, Phil Gurgone, Chris Doran - **3rd row from top:** Andy (last name unknown), Allison Alberts, Melissa Davis, Kate Limardi, Scott Schwartz - **4th bottom row:** Nisha Sharma, Yasmin Farid, Julio Argueta, Ben Youel



l-r: Amjad Alqazaha, Cheryl Mora, Maryam Hafezi, George Barsa



l-r: Cheryl Mora, Lina Yaseen



I-r: Cheryl Mora, Maryam Hafezi, Sy Wachtenheim,
Bruce S. Graham, DDS, MS, MEd, Dean, UIC College of Dentistry,
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Vipasha Desai, Ruchi Bhatia



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Ramakrishna Nallapaneni, George Barsa, Amjad Alqazaha

*...more from the International
Dental Student Program*

Images from the UIC Case Presentations...



Bottom Row: Scott Miller, Muzammil Saeed, Sy Wachtenheim, Matt McKnight, Denise Maniakouras, Natalie Layne, Cheryl Mora, Kate Limardi, Yasmin Farid, Julio Argueta, C.J. Yoon **Top Row:** Sue Mayer, William Kisker, Justin Welke, Betty Haberkamp, Katie Kennedy, Dr. Richard Tatro, Tim Rogers, and two unidentified students.



l-r: Dr. Muzammil Saeed, Dr. Sy Wachteneim, Dr. William Kisker, Matthew McKnight, Dr. Betty Haberkamp, Denise Maniakouris, Natalie Layne, Justin Welke, Catharine Kennedy, Dr. Richard Tatro, Dr. Cheryl Mora, Tim Rogers.



Scott Schwartz



Kate Limardi



Yasmin Farid



l-r: Julio Argueta, Matthew McKnight

We're All Over the Place

The Illinois State Dental Society conducted its first Mission Of Mercy this summer and the members of the Illinois AGD were well represented at this inaugural event. Over 1,000 volunteers treated almost 2,000 patients. I couldn't help but notice how everyone working the event had a smile on their face. It is in giving that we receive and helping those in need is one of the main reasons we all chose to enter the helping profession of Dentistry. Over \$1,000,000 in dental services were provided to the very appreciative patients. In two years the plan is to have another Mission of Mercy. We need you to volunteer. You won't be sorry.

The AGD Annual Meeting was held in July in New Orleans. Illinois' own Dr. Maharouk Kravich was the Chairman of the Annual Meeting Council. Organizing an event of this proportions is a huge effort. Maharouk deserves all of our thanks for a job very well done!

At the Governance portion of the meeting a number of issues facing organized Dentistry were discussed. As with all of organized Dentistry, the Midlevel Provider was a major topic of discussion. I am very happy to say that your AGD leadership is working very hard to represent your interests.

One of the issues that was of great importance that was discussed was how best to represent our interests in Washington and in the State Legislatures. Should the AGD organize a PAC or use our Advocacy Fund to get our opinion voiced to or legislators? At this time, it is felt that Advocacy is our best course. All of us need to act to protect our interests. If you are politically minded, meet with your legislators. They do listen. Most of us however, are not comfortable with active political involvement. That's fine, but you still can make a BIG difference! Send a donation to the AGD Advocacy Fund. For many these days money is tight, but if all of us contribute our voice will be heard. If everyone sent \$20.00 to the Advocacy fund, it will make a difference. It is your profession. Protect it.

The Chicago Component of the Illinois AGD begins its 2010-2011 continuing education series on Wednesday, September 15. Dr. Demas has planned some great programs. Sign up for a season ticket. It is quality CE at a very good price. Bring a colleague. If they become members of the AGD you receive a big discount on next years' season ticket.

See you in September!

Bob

CAGD Report



by Dr. Robert Kozelka

You may have noticed that you are receiving not only details on upcoming seminars via e-blasts, but also articles on numerous topics. Dr. Dawood Harunani, Public Information Officer for the Illinois Academy of General Dentistry (IAGD) had an idea last summer to start broadcasting a broad spectrum of articles via computer.

Since that time, information has been sent almost every week to IAGD members and beyond. Seminar notifications are sent via an e-blast, and placed on the IAGD.org and Illinois page of AGD.org. Once an article is chosen, it is sent to the IAGD members

via an e-blast, and then sent to the media outlets within Illinois that have a circulation of 5000 or above.

The article is then also adapted for use on Twitter (Illinois AGD) and Face Book (Illinois Academy of General Dentistry (IAGD)). We hope that you have been enjoying these articles and will follow us on Twitter and Face Book.

If you have been active in public information activities, please share them with us so that others can learn what is happening in other areas.

Public Information Activities

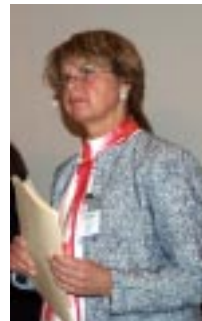


By
Deb Noordhoff,
Executive Secretary, IAGD

CAGD in Action...



CAGD – Board of Directors swear-in - l-r: Drs. Scott Miller, Bill Kiskor, Howard Cooper, Evan Goodman, Cheryl Mora, Bob Kozelka, Carolyn Demas, Roy Guster, Maryam Hafezi, Ausrine Schneider



The Adventure...

It has been way to long since I have delivered an update of what is going on with the Central Illinois AGD. As the President of CIAGD I basically have two responsibilities; the first is to send in this update and the second is to introduce the speakers at our CE meetings. The first of which, I have failed miserably completing. Dr. Wax has always been a great help at making me sound like I know what I'm doing but if it isn't sent in there isn't much that he can do. Fortunately for me we have a great group of people on our board that cover for me in the rest of our duties as board members of the CIAGD.

I would like to personally thank them for everything they do to make our component what I think is one of the best at providing CE courses for the entire dentist in the down state region. Kirk Hess who has served as the Secretary, Paul Obrock the immediate past President that covers my you know what at the meetings that I can't attend. Sy Wachtenheim the Godfather of our component and many others for his continued support and of course Sue (the glue that holds it all together) Bishop for the countless tasks that she makes sure are completed throughout the year. Then there are Scott Hume, Dave Wickness

and Wallace Strode that do anything else that is needed to make our meetings a success. My sincere thank you.

So what is going on in CIAGD land? By the time everyone sees this we will have sponsored Dr. Karl Koerner for our June 18-19 meeting on Oral Surgery made easy, and I will have an update for you next time. The following meeting we will host Dr. Karen Baker on Friday Nov. 12, the subject is Pharmacology and Saturday the 13th Dr. Larry Williams will present "Emergency Response In and Out of the Dental Office". Hope to see you there.

Our last meeting hosted Dr. Dennis Hartlieb and Cosmodent. This was a great review of current composite restorations and the use of the Mopper Technique. Dennis did a great job of teaching us how to blend Nano and Microfill composites to produce a beautiful restoration. I would like to thank him and Cosmodent for a job well done.

Well until next time,

Curt

CIAGD Report



by Dr. Curt Mitchem

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Saturday evening Illinois AGD had a reception to honor our new Fellows, Masters, and our Distinguished Service Award winner, Dr. Sy Wachtenheim and then the delegation attended the Saturday Night AGD Celebration Event at Mardi Gras World. Everyone ate authentic Creole cuisine while taking in the sights and sounds of New Orleans.

Of course, we cannot forget why we go the AGD Annual Meeting & Exhibits-to attend the best continuing education courses in the world. This year's AGD Annual Meeting scientific session, held July 8-11 had a fabulous selection of courses including a four-day Implant track and a session on "Learning to Lobby". Congratulations to **Dr. Maharukh Kravich** for chairing this year's very successful scientific session.

Please join us next year at the AGD 2011 SanDieGO! 59th Annual Meeting and Exhibits July 27 to 31, in San Diego, California. As the nation's eighth-largest city, San Diego boasts a vibrant economy and an easygoing lifestyle; the perfect place to conduct business and relax on the same trip. With blue skies and pristine beaches, fine dining and upscale boutiques, family-friendly attractions and bustling nightlife, San Diego has earned a worldwide reputation as "America's Finest City." Come join us for fun and learning - Go to SanDieGo!

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OSF Saint Francis Medical Center General Dentistry Residency Program [GPR] Family



We're a family of physicians, nurses, dentists, dental auxiliaries and health professionals making every patient's care our number one priority. The GPR has strengthened OSF Saint Francis Medical Center's culture of community service, receiving acclaim for innovation, learning programs, and community

involvement. OSF Saint Francis Medical Center has committed itself to teaching dental professionals the skills needed to meet the unique challenges of a rapidly changing oral health field.

A strong collaboration has been forged with the Peoria City/County Health Department, and Heartland Community Health Clinic where some of the instruction will take place. The faculty members for the GPR Program are members of the Peoria District Dental Society. The Peoria District Dental Society [PDDS] is the 3rd largest component society in Illinois. PDDS has the reputation of getting things done and usually in a unique way. PDDS prides itself on providing cutting-edge, comprehensive and compassionate dental care to the diverse communities of Central Illinois.



Goals and Objectives of the GPR Program

- 1 Provide multidisciplinary oral health care to the target population
- 2 Apply advanced concepts of patient and practice management
- 3 Familiarize residents with hospital procedures and policies
- 4 Apply scientific principles to learning including clinical decision making, and dental skills
- 5 Stress the values of professional ethics and accountability
- 6 Acceptance of cultural diversity in professional practice
- 7 Provide a foundation for graduate study in dentistry
- 8 Provide dental education beyond the scope of a Dental Degree

- 9 Utilize leadership skills and principles of management with patients and health professionals to coordinate, facilitate, and improve the delivery of dental care in a variety of settings
- 10 Accept responsibility for continued personal and professional development

The program is structured to increase diagnostics, general knowledge and clinical ability in dentistry. Didactics will be provided mostly in private practice offices. Under supervision of members of the Peoria District Dental Society, serving as faculty, the residents rotate through Oral Surgery, Endodontics, Periodontics, Orthodontics, Emergency Room Care, Anesthesia, Internal Medicine, Operating Room and Hospital Protocols and Care, Pain and Anxiety Control, Forensic Dentistry and Disaster Training, Practice Management, Oral Sedation, Community & Public Health Dentistry, Dental Auxiliary Utilization, Management of inpatients or same-day surgery patients, and other areas, such as advanced techniques and knowledge required to perform General Dentistry at a higher level of care.

The residents will work closely with the attending physicians and dentists in the emergency rooms and assist in operating room cases. The program emphasizes the treatment of a wide range of oral health disorders, medical considerations related to dental care, the ability to treat medically compromised and handicapped patients and teaches how to provide dental care in a hospital environment interacting with health care providers of various disciplines.

Residents will be supplied with dental assistants and with a wide spectrum of faculty, giving a very complete training experience in all aspects of dentistry. Besides our dental faculty, the residents will be exposed to medical faculty from the Medical Center Residency Programs, and the University of Illinois College of Medicine at Peoria.

Residents receive experience in providing general and pediatric dentistry with general anesthesia in an operating room setting. The residents learn to evaluate patients for general anesthesia and admit



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patients for outpatient surgeries and procedures. X-rays, diagnosis, treatment planning, and dental treatment are conducted while the patient is under general anesthesia. The residents are also responsible for post-operative care and coordination discharge of the patients with the attending dentist and physician.

The program will be conducted primarily at the OSF Saint Francis Medical Center, the Sister's Community Clinic, the Peoria City/County Health Department, and Heartland Community Health Clinic. Some of the training may include various other locations served by the Peoria City/County Health Department.

The OSF General Practice Residency program is a 12-month, full-time residency program designed in conformance with the guidelines of the Council on Dental Education and the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association.. A certificate is

awarded upon satisfactory completion of the program which currently supports 4 residents.

Visit us at:

<http://www.osfsaintfrancis.org/CollegesSchools/dental-residency/index.html>

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Capital Conference -AGD Contingent



AGD at the Special Olympics



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UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

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National-Annual Meetings

2011	July 25-Aug.1	San Diego, CA
2012	Jun 16-24	Philadelphia, PA
2013	June 23-30	Nashville, TN

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2011	Feb. 23	Practice Management -Dr. Roger Levin-Chicago, IL
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2010	Nov. 5	Prosthodontics -Dr. Anthony LaVacca-Maggiano's Oakbrook
2011	Mar. 11	Lasers -Dr. Robert Convissar- Marriott OakBrook Hills
	May 13	Sleep Apnea -Dr. Ira Shapira-Maggiano's Schaumburg
	Sep. 16	Practice Management -Dr. Steve Razer-
	Nov. 4	Endodontics -Dr. Hanson-
2012	Mar. 9	Financial Planning
	May 11	Simplified Dentistry -Dr. Mohamed Harunani

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2010	Nov. 12	Pharmacology -Dr. Karen Baker-SIUSDM-Alton, IL
	Nov. 13	Emergency Medicine -Dr. Larry Williams-Alton, IL

Mastertrack

2010	Oct. 22-23	Endodontics – Drs. George Zehak & Robert Kozelka-Hootman Lab-Rockford, IL
2011	Apr. 15-16	Orthodontics – Dr. Neil Warshawsky-Hi Point Dental Lab-Rolling Meadows, IL

Protocol reporting sessions start at 1:00 pm on Thursday preceding the listed courses.

[Contacts for all Mastertrack programming: Dr. S. Wachtenheim 847-858-1927, tzaner2@aol.com or Dr. G. Zehak 708-484-0235]

ADA Annual Meetings

2010	Oct. 9-13	Orlando, FL
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Regional Meetings (All meetings at Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace)

2010	Nov. 10	Dental Fear-Dr. Larry Sangrik
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Midwinter Meetings (All meetings at McCormick Place – Chicago, IL)

2011	Feb. 24-26	
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