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November 5 Regional Meeting minutes

The Chicago Dental Society Nov. 5 Regional Meeting convened at the Drury Lane Oak Brook, Oak Brook Terrace, with President Richard Holba presiding. Dr. Holba called the meeting to order at 9:10 a.m. Attention was directed to the minutes of the meeting of Sept. 24. Inasmuch as the official minutes of the Sept. 24 Regional Meeting had not yet been published, Dr. Holba said he would forego the reading and approving of the minutes at this time until everyone had an opportunity to review them. There were no reports of the Board, Standing or Special committees. There was no New or Unfinished Business to report.

Dr. Holba reported that the ISDS Allied Dental Personnel Committee is investigating changing duties of auxiliary staff and that Gary Alder, as chair of the committee, would appreciate comments from anyone who has an opinion. He provided Dr. Alder’s email address: gfald@gmail.com.

ADPAC Chair Loren Feldner shared that Dent-IL-PAC had 34 percent participation. He encouraged everyone to join and get involved in Dent-IL-PAC.

Dr. Holba reported that nominating petitions for the 2015 officers have been duly filed in the CDS central office, and the candidates’ names duly published in previous issues of the CDS Review, including the digital version of the magazine, in accordance with the bylaws. Since not more than one candidate has been nominated for each elective office, in accordance with CDS Bylaws, Dr. Holba entertained a motion to direct the secretary to cast a single unanimous ballot on behalf of all the respective candidates for office.

MOVED by D. Milton Salzer, seconded by Walter Lamacki, and carried, that a single unanimous ballot be cast on behalf of all the respective candidates for office.

Dr. Holba then congratulated Cheryl Watson-Lowry, treasurer-elect; Louis Imburgia, vice president-elect; Phillip Fijal, secretary-elect; and George Zehak, who will become president-elect.

Dr. Holba noted that these officers would be installed Nov. 9 along with Susan Becker Doroshow, who will assume the office of the president. All officers will assume their respective duties Jan. 1 and will continue through Dec. 31, 2015, in accordance with the fiscal year. Dr. Holba noted that the Society’s 50-year graduates would also be recognized at that time.

Dr. Holba extended an open invitation to all CDS members, their families and friends to join them on this occasion at the Hotel InterContinental, to personally congratulate them and wish them well while enjoying refreshments.

Dr. Holba announced that there would not be a Regional Meeting in January. The 2015 Regional Meeting dates are April 15, Sept. 16 and Oct. 28.

Dr. Holba then announced that Aloysius F. Kleszynski, director of scientific programs, would be retiring at the end of 2014. He thanked Dr. Kleszynski for his assistance in selecting such great speakers.

With no further business, Dr. Holba called upon Regional Meeting Program Chair Hugo Bertagni to introduce Brad Neuman, who presented a program entitled “Social Media for Dentists.” The meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

September 24 Regional Meeting minutes

The CDS Sept. 24 Regional Meeting convened at the Drury Lane Oak Brook, Oak Brook Terrace, with President Richard Holba presiding. Dr. Holba called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m. Attention was directed to the minutes of the meeting of Jan. 15. Inasmuch as the official minutes of the meeting of Jan. 15 were published in the March/April issue of the CDS Review, a motion was made to dispense with reading them.

MOVED by Phillip Fijal, seconded by David Kumamoto, and carried to dispense with reading the Jan. 15 minutes.

MOVED by Dr. Fijal, seconded by Robert Bara, and carried to accept the minutes of the meeting of Jan. 15.

Attention was directed to the minutes of the meeting of April 2. Inasmuch as the official minutes of the meeting of April 2 were published in the May/June 2014 issue of the CDS Review, a motion was entertained to dispense with reading them.

MOVED by Dr. Fijal, seconded by Dr. Kumamoto, and carried to dispense with reading the April 2 minutes at this time.

MOVED by Dr. Fijal, seconded by David Fulton Jr., and carried to accept the minutes of the meeting of April 2.

There were no reports of the Board, Standing or Special committees. There was no New Business to present.

With no further business, Dr. Holba called upon Regional Meeting Program Chair Hugo Bertagni to introduce James Bahcall, DMD, and Juzer Chinnwalla, DDS, who presented a program entitled “Endodontics vs. Implants.” The meeting adjourned at 2 p.m.
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As I contemplate a topic for my last perspective, on this eve of all hallows, I wonder if it should be the obligatory “Thank You” or something a little more controversial.

For example, a controversial topic would be advertisements for dental services for $1 or for free.

For years, we have strived to be equals with our medical colleagues. Now the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Dentistry has even changed its degree program from DDS to DMD. And since its inception, the Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine has offered a DMD degree. Yet one does not see an ophthalmologist advertising lasik surgery offering one eye free.

I could go on, but I prefer to discuss one of the more pleasant changes in the landscape of dentistry today: the rise of our female colleagues to positions of leadership in organized dentistry. This became clearly evident during the planning phase of the 150th anniversary celebration of the Chicago Dental Society.

As we looked back at our founders, we saw men with beards, mustaches and stiff collars. Now, 150 years later, we look around and see more women who have broadened our perspectives and strengthened our society and its leadership team.

I know it has been awhile — 23 years since Juliann Bluitt served — but as of Jan. 1, CDS will have its second female president, Susan Becker Doroshow. I am not sure if the so-called glass ceiling is completely broken, but it sure is shattered. And joining Dr. Doroshow on the Board as treasurer will be Cheryl Watson-Lowry. In 2015, two of the five officers and four of the nine directors will be women. For the first time in the history of the American Dental Association, both the president and president-elect will be female. I believe the Chicago Dental Society will have that same combination in the near future.

In 2017, the Illinois State Dental Society will install its second female president, Barbara Mousel. As the old advertising slogan says, “You have come a long way, baby.” Perhaps it should be updated to reflect the times to, “We have come a long way, ladies.”

I realize that all the barriers have not been removed for women dentists. But I do believe that the equality in leadership benefits dentistry.

I would be remiss if I did not say thank you to all the people who have helped me these past years and especially this last year, for which I am very grateful.

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As the year winds down, so too does the tenure of Director of Scientific Programs Al Kleszynski. Dr. Kleszynski will retire Dec. 31, after more than 12 years in his position — and 42 years in dentistry.

While still a practicing dentist and educator, Dr. Kleszynski was elected by his peers to serve as president of the Chicago Dental Society in 1999. Leading up to that, Dr. Kleszynski served in several Englewood Branch committee posts and offices, and on many Midwinter Meeting committees. He served as Englewood Branch president in 1984-85 and director in 1987-89.

He left private practice and joined the CDS staff June 24, 2002. “Dr. Kleszynski transitioned from Board member to staff member seamlessly, due in large part to his personality and the ease with which he works with everyone,” said CDS Executive Director Randy Grove. “He is trusted and respected by meeting planners across the country, representing our organization extremely well and reflecting wonderfully on our Midwinter Meeting and our Society.

“He will be missed in our office.”

And Dr. Kleszynski admitted that he’ll miss the office, too.

“Having had the privilege of having multiple careers in a profession that I truly love has been more than I could ever have hoped for,” he said. “I will still be around, and I look forward to spending time with those many colleagues that I have worked and served with.”

Before he left the building, Dr. Kleszynski reflected further on his experience:

In my tenure on the CDS staff, I have much to be proud of. I had the privilege to work with 14 presidents and their teams, and I think that we created 14 excellent (Midwinter Meeting) scientific programs. Maintaining the reputation of the Chicago Dental Society was always first on our minds and I believe that we were able to do that by bringing the best speakers and consistently presenting new and innovative programs.

We’ve also worked to maintain relationships with speakers and meeting planners from all around the country. I attended a luncheon at the Greater New York Dental Meeting several years ago, at which Gordon Christensen received an award. As he thanked many of the people in attendance, he looked at a table filled with CDS representatives and stated that, “CDS knows how to do it right.” I will always remember that.

I also consider it to be an honor to have been a part of the best staff there is in organized dental membership services.

But I’m still looking forward to my retirement. When I first graduated from dental school, an acquaintance of mine had just retired. A few months after he retired I met him and asked him what was the greatest thing about being retired. He thought for a moment and then said, “when I get up in the morning, I don’t have to get out of bed if I don’t want to.” That didn’t mean much to me at that time, but it is a luxury I have not had in quite some time.

Nancy and I would also like to spend a little time in that cold month of January in a place that is nice and warm. Finally, spending more time with my four grandchildren is also very important.

In my 42-year career, I’ve had several positions within dentistry. And because of my experiences I believe that the greatest strength of our organization is the member services that we provide. I served as the CDS staff liaison to our Academic Chapter — a committee of local dental students — and I’ve tried to constantly remind students that by joining organized dentistry, they will always have some organization or entity that they will be able to turn to in times of need.

Providing legislative assistance, educational activities and camaraderie are only a few of the things that organized dentistry offers to its members. As a member you will always be sure that there is someone on your side whenever things get difficult.

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To be sure, the scramble is underway, with dental schools casting or re-casting curricula with an eye to the older patient. And there’s some good news in the scenario: today’s aging patients generally are healthier, and dentists can assume this group raised with stronger oral health habits is likely to maintain its commitment.

Historically, the older patient meant dentures, gum disease and a stew of serious oral and medical conditions. However, most Boomers represent the first generation to grow up with fluoridated water, marking a sea change in the presence of decay.

“This group is part of the Crest generation,” said Peter Kawamura, a dentist in private practice in San Francisco and fellowship co-chair of the American Society for Geriatric Dentistry. Boomers also tend to be more informed about and dedi-
As Boomers retire, some 60 percent with dental benefits will face loss of coverage or reduced benefits. Medicare doesn’t cover dental care and treatment except in rare circumstances, and even most Medicare supplement plans don’t include dental coverage.
cated to health and mental wellness and more vested in keeping their teeth and their smile looking attractive and healthy.

“I can’t say 70 is the new 50,” said Caswell Evans, associate dean for prevention and public health sciences at the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Dentistry, “but what was an advanced age a few years ago, this generation is now more active and involved.”

Still, Boomers are getting older, and an aging population will have dental issues.

As people age, the likelihood grows of losing one or more teeth due to an accident, gingival disease, failed root canals or tooth decay. The lion’s share of patients, nearly 15 million, get crown and bridge replacements for missing teeth. But Boomers, concerned about image and their youthful, attractive appearances, are interested in alternatives, too.

Implants have improved technically, are more widely marketed, and their popularity is rising, despite the roughly $3,000 - $5,000 cost. An estimated 3 million people have implants each year — a number growing by 500,000 annually — with the estimated U.S. market for dental implants projected to reach $5 billion by 2018, according to the American Academy of Implant Dentistry.

For image-conscious Boomers, the most common treatments are cosmetic procedures (bleaching, veneers and orthodontics), followed by oral surgery (gum grafting to improve appearance), laser surgery, endodontics, implants, fixed and hybrid bridge work and overdentures, according to a recent report by Inside Dental Technology.

Despite better oral care habits than earlier generations, time will catch up with Boomers, who will become more susceptible to cavities, dry mouth (exacerbated by medications), oral cancers, receding gums and tooth sensitivity as they age and their physical health changes.

“It’s a tricky group,” Dr. Evans said. “They are healthier and not as debilitated, but they have more chronic diseases like high blood pressure, diabetes and heart disease. “An older patient is a more complex patient, compared to a 25-year-old patient.”

Treatments for Boomers may be clinically straightforward, but dentists should expect a more hands-on patient. As a high-performance, high-expectations cohort, Boomers want information — and lots of it. Dentists are likely to spend extra time explaining procedures and outcomes with this group, possibly in longer scheduled appointments or in follow-up consultations. As Boomer patients continue to age, dentists should slow down, use clear and simple (non-technical) speech, and make eye contact (especially important if the patient has hearing loss).

In what might be an unsettling part of the picture, Boomers might be drivers in consumer spending, but many are not wealthy and most do not have dental insurance. As they turn 65 and retire, Boomers will find themselves on fixed and reduced incomes. Their retirement plans may not have dental coverage or it might be reduced.

According to a 2013 survey by Wellpoint, a managed health care company under the Blue Cross Blue Shield umbrella, only 41 percent of adults older than 45 have dental insurance. For older Americans, 53 percent who have dental insurance worry about how they will afford coverage upon retirement. And 32 percent of those without insurance admit to forgoing dental benefits because they have other expenses to worry about.

It’s a worrisome scenario that has the giant stirring.

The American Association of Retired Persons — the best organized and most influential leader and lobbyist on issues facing older people — is carefully watching medical and oral healthcare issues.
As Boomers retire, some 60 percent with dental benefits will face loss of coverage or reduced benefits. Medicare doesn’t cover dental care and treatment except in rare circumstances, and even most Medicare supplement plans don’t include dental coverage, AARP reports.

The American Dental Association and many of its 158,000 members have cast a suspicious eye on joining with insurers to provide broader dental coverage. Leary of strict government regulation and insurance company oversight, fearful the profession will degrade and worried the patient will suffer in profit-driven decisions made by third-parties, organized dentistry has responded with committees to study what can be done about access to care issues.

Some see the situation deteriorating before it improves.

As younger dentists start out, most with sizeable levels of dental school debt, their business and revenue model may likely squeeze out the older, more complex, more time-consuming patient. Dr. Kawamura said he believes today’s nuclear, individualistic culture doesn’t value older people, “although we give it tremendous lip service.”

“While dentists are empathetic (to the aging),” said Dr. Kawamura, “they have a business, which is dentistry. The paradigm enables the dentist and the staff to run smoothly (to maximize revenue). It doesn’t allow for complicated, older patients to disrupt the flow.”

He has hopes pockets of like-minded advocates for the geriatric care around the country, in concert with forward-thinking dental societies and dental schools, can spark a broader, more meaningful response to the dental needs of the aging.

“We need to take it on, build interest, and see the need and urgency about access to care,” he said. ■

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THE NEXT GENERATION

Brian Balda is a Boomer treating Boomers. “I’m growing old with them,” said the 55-year-old owner of Balda Dental Office in downstate Effingham, IL. For the most part, Boomers have been an established and stable part of his patient base for many years. “They already know what they want, so it’s not so hard to treat them,” he said.

Engaging with older patients hasn’t been difficult for 27-year-old old Chris Balda, who joined his father in the practice after graduating last year from Southern Illinois University’s School of Dental Medicine.

Not only did he have an entire class devoted to geriatrics, he said, students’ clinical time also was spent mostly with older patients. “We had plenty of practice,” he said. Students were instructed to assess the entire patient, from physical health and emotional well-being to family support.

“We talked a lot about (assessing) their mental capabilities, that you need to explain things differently, and it might take more time. They might not grasp concepts right away.”

“It’s a different skill set to talk to the elderly,” agreed Caswell Evans of the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Dentistry. He said dentists often need to “re-educate” themselves and learn “to speak in terms that you haven’t been educated in.”

Jill York is a leader in the field of geriatric dentistry and a player in developing geriatric curriculum for dental schools. As assistant dean for extramural clinics at the Rutgers School of Dental Medicine in New Jersey and director of the Geriatric Fellowship Program at the New Jersey Institute for Successful Aging, Dr. York said “there’s a great need for geriatric academicians” who, in turn, prepare student dentists for the future.

Fellowships in geriatric dentistry got their start in the late 1980s and early 1990s in recognition of the coming population tilt, she said. But today, “there is no specific curriculum for geriatrics” and, while there are some standards, curricula “are all over the place.”

“In academics, everybody is doing their own thing,” Dr. York said.

One important tool she and others working with dental students and dentists are encouraging is chart stimulated recall, she said. All of a patient’s vital components can be correlated, starting with treatment but incorporating valuable information about the patient’s living conditions, financial considerations, support systems, physical limitations, social functionality and more.

“You’re really trying to paint a picture of the patient that goes beyond the chart,” Dr. York said.

Peter Kawamura, who specializes in geriatric dental care, agrees that a complete picture of the aging patient is crucial.

Another advantage, he said, is simple experience. As dentists gain knowledge and insights treating aging patients, they’ll become more comfortable and less ruffled by dementia or other debilitating conditions their patients develop, Dr. Kawamura said.

“I do think the Baby Boom population will push geriatric interprofessional education” as Boomers’ oral and health care needs become more complex, Dr. York added.
Chicago Dental Society member Robert Bitter, a periodontist, was installed as a trustee of the American Dental Association. His installation took place in San Antonio during the annual House of Delegates in October.

Dr. Bitter will represent the 8th District (Illinois) on the Board of Trustees.

“The ADA Board formulates and reviews policies and programs and makes recommendations to the members of the ADA’s governing body, the House of Delegates. As a member of the ADA Board, Dr. Bitter will play a major role in the organization’s objective of being America’s leading advocate for oral health,” an ADA statement about his election said.

Dr. Bitter was the North Suburban Branch Director on the CDS Board of Directors from 1999-2001. He also served as the general chair of the 2005 Midwinter Meeting. Dr. Bitter was also a member of several Midwinter Meeting committees.

Dr. Bitter served as president of the North Suburban Branch and held other branch offices.

Dr. Bitter was president of the Illinois State Dental Society from 2011-2012. He held other ISDS offices as well.

Dr. Bitter is an assistant professor of periodontics at the Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine.
years after graduation. Local engagement with dental students well before graduation and helping bridge them from school to practice will increase their perceived value of the ADA. The top priorities for the new dentists are managing high student debt, finding a job and licensure.”

As if to stress the importance of new dentists to the future of the ADA, Dr. O’Laughlin told the House that the members should not fear “young leadership” but should fear “losing our organization.”

Adding emphasis to that thought, she noted in her remarks that the Board of Trustees is enhancing its working relationship with the New Dentist Committee (NDC), a committee of the Board.

“The NDC serves as the voice of the new dentist within the American Dental Association, representing new dentists’ views to the ADA Board of Trustees and other agencies,” an ADA description of the committee states. Its responsibilities include the NDC’s annual major project, the New Dentist Conference; the mission of that highly regarded member-benefit event includes offering new dentists opportunities to develop leadership skills.

With concerns about membership highlighting the meeting, the conference was in the spotlight briefly when 8th District (Illinois) delegate Barbara Mousel submitted a resolution calling on the House to maintain the conference as a standalone event. New dentists are a key member segment and critical to the future of the ADA; the Board is very focused on meeting the needs and exceeding the expectations of new dentists. The Board carefully weighed the options for the New Dentist Conference prior to deciding to move the event to America’s Dental Meeting, beginning in 2015, with a focus on preserving the unique value and intimacy of the standalone conference. Engaging significantly more new dentists and exposing new dentist members to ADA’s premier dental meeting were also critical decision criteria.

“In the past five years, the New Dentist Conference engaged 220 new dentists on average per year. The annual meeting touched more than 1,300 new dentists on average per year during the same period.”

While there was voluminous testimony pro and con on the resolution at the Membership Reference Committee hearing, a substitute reference committee resolution replaced the original and easily passed the House with no debate.

The resolution called on the Board to monitor and evaluate the conference as a meeting coinciding with the annual sessions in 2015, 2016 and 2017 with reports from the Board to the House in 2016 and 2017.

Based on the reports, the conference would either continue as a coinciding meeting with the Annual Session or be reinstated as a stand-alone conference.

In its final action, the House approved a budget that called for no increase in ADA dues. Dues are $522 for ADA regular members. Budgeted spending totaled approximately $128 million; budgeted revenue for the 2015 is approximately $136 million.

### ADA election results

Carol Summerhayes, of California, won election as president-elect of the American Dental Association over Steve Gounardes, of New York, in San Antonio in October.

Dr. Summerhayes’s election marks the first time the ADA will have a woman as president — Maxine Feinberg of New Jersey — and a woman serving as president-elect.

While the ADA does not publicly release election results, sources said Dr. Summerhayes easily won the election.

Drs. Summerhayes and Gounardes stressed many challenges facing dentistry, including the cost of dental school, student debt and regaining a significant share of the marketplace. Latest ADA figures put its market share at approximately 65 percent, one percentage less than the previous year. ADA market share was 71 percent in 2007.

Both candidates served as members of the ADA Board of Trustees.

In an uncontested election, Thomas Gamaba, of Pennsylvania, was elected second vice president.

There were three announced candidates for president-elect next year when the House meets in Washington, DC.

They are: Hilton Israileson, ADA trustee for the 15th District; Gary Roberts, ADA trustee for the 12th District; and Gary Yonemoto, ADA trustee for the 14th District.

Only members of the House of Delegates are allowed to vote in officer elections.
Illinois wrap up

by Joanna Brown

The Illinois State Dental Society’s 150th Annual Session in Schaumburg Sept 18-20 was a time of celebration. With a rich history to bolster current activities, the future looks bright.

“Change is occurring in dentistry at an ever increasing rate,” said Edward Segal, upon his installation as president of ISDS. “Our profession, while maintaining its independence, is becoming more significant in overall health care. The oral-systemic link is becoming more important and evident every day. Technology is rapidly expanding our diagnostic capabilities, the services we provide, and the efficiency with which we provide them.

“We are the leaders in providing the best dental care to the citizens of Illinois. And we will continue to be in the future.”

Outgoing President Brian Soltys pointed to several successes in 2014, including passage of the so-called Vaccine Bill, allowing dentists to administer flu vaccines to patients; the restoration of basic adult dental services in the Medicaid program; and the June Illinois Mission of Mercy, at which $1.1 million of care was administered to 2,000 patients through the service of 1,000 volunteers.

And yet, Dr. Soltys explained, membership continues to trend down.

“It is incumbent upon all of us to do our part in our membership efforts and before all of our local and state leaders here today, I challenge you once again to do so as we move forward to the next 150 years,” he said.

The House of Delegates also convened that weekend to review several resolutions. Among them:

- A 2015 budget of $2,817,271 was adopted. It includes a projected $3,996 surplus.
- A 3 percent dues increase, equal to $11 per member, will fund the ISDS operating budget. This brings the ISDS dues for 2015 to $373. ISDS treasurer Barbara Mousel reported in a memo to delegates that ISDS was the fourth largest state dental association in 2014, and posted the ninth lowest dues. Average state association dues in 2014 were $521.
- The Annual Session also included several honors:
  - Past president and dental educator Keith Dickey received the Distinguished Member Award.
  - Lindsey Yates received the Greek Leadership Award.
  - President’s Awards were given to Michael Durbin and Timmothy Schwartz.

Dr. Segal looked forward to the projects that await him during his presidential year.

“As your new president, I will dedicate myself to foster an atmosphere of cooperation and support, so that we may continue to identify and tackle our profession’s challenges and issues together.”
Two CDS members were installed as officers of the Illinois State Dental Society during its 150th Annual Session.

Edward Segal took office as president. His responsibilities include serving as an official representative of ISDS in its contacts with government, civic, business and professional organizations.

CDS members recognize Dr. Segal, of Northbrook, from his service as program chair for the 2012 Midwinter Meeting, past president of the Northwest Suburban Branch, and several CDS committees. Dr. Segal previously served as president of the Illinois Society of Periodontists, ISDS Trustee, and on numerous ISDS committees. He has lectured internationally and taught for six years at the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Dentistry.

Also taking office was CDS member Barbara Mousel. As treasurer of ISDS, her responsibilities will include overseeing fiscal activities such as record keeping, meeting with the Finance and Planning Committee, and reporting audit results.

Dr. Mousel is a past director of CDS and has served as chair of the CDS Foundation. She has also served on several committees. She is active within the Illinois State Dental Society, which honored her with the President’s Award in 2007, and is also the Illinois section chair for the American College of Dentists and an Illinois Board of Dentistry Member. The American Association of Women Dentists recognized her with the Lucy Hobbs Taylor Award and twice honored her with the President’s Award. She practices in Chicago.

Other newly elected officers are: CDS associate members Bradley Barnes, President-elect (Normal); Terry Barnfield, Vice President (Salem); and Randall Markarian, Secretary (Swansea). Newly installed Board of Trustees members include: CDS member James Benz, (Skokie); CDS member Philip Schefke, (Woodridge); Steven Seibert, (Champaign); and CDS associate member Stacey Van Scoyoc, (Bloomington).
IT’S THE LAW
by Petra von Heimburg, DDS, JD

Getting into business together

Whether your business is growing rapidly — requiring another pair of dental hands — or you would like to slow down and have another dentist take on a portion of your patient load, the situation calls for choosing the right person to associate with. This is a challenging task and requires a structured, thoughtful process. In my almost 20 years as attorney for the dental profession, I have come across working relationships which were successes, and others which were dismal failures.

Working with someone else — in particular when you have always practiced as a solo dentist — is not easy and requires adjustment. The process of choosing a compatible practice partner, whether precipitated by circumstances or by choice, should be undertaken methodically and with an analysis of the goals, the practice philosophy and the personality of the dentists involved.

Goals and expectations should be stated clearly and up front. It is best to find out early to what degree the long term vision of the two parties coincide; “early” means before either party invests money and time into a mutual venture. Do both parties envision an eventual equal ownership or a full buy-out of one dentist in the future? If so, has an option been negotiated to facilitate a buy-in or a buy-out, and is this financially feasible for the potential buyer? These and other questions need to be addressed as early as possible.

Becoming involved in a shared dental practice demands the adjusting of differing philosophies of practice — but they should not be worlds apart. Do both dentists place the same importance on preventative care of their patients? Are both conservative practitioners? Do both possess similar levels of expertise and ability? Do both dentists share a similar work philosophy? Will the financial compensation package of the joint practice reflect the respective work contribution of either party or will it generate resentment by one party who perceives it as “inequitable”? While practitioners’ interests in different areas of general dentistry might be complimentary in a practice, different qualities of care, even if perceived, might cause serious disagreements in a close practice environment. Such differences do not bode well for a successful relationship.

Both dentists will most likely spend significant amounts of time working together, in close proximity, at times serving the same patients. Patients, while not always able to judge the quality of care, are usually sensitive to disagreements and strife occurring in the dental office. Personal tensions also spill over into the behavior and attitudes of the staff. These occurrences might doom the dental relationship and the practice.

While a solid contract is the basis for a successful joint venture, it can not address all problems which might arise — technical, human or otherwise. Solid planning, self-awareness and communication are required to prepare for a joint future.

Editor’s note: The preceding article does not constitute legal advice but is for educational purposes only. In order to obtain legal advice, a personal consultation with an attorney is required.

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Welcome new developments

In a dental practice, it doesn’t take too long to recognize the cycle of the year. From Halloween to New Year’s, the kids are revved up with candy and excitement, and the adults are overwhelmed with year-end chores and preparing for all the holidays.

At the Chicago Dental Society Foundation, we, too, are wrapping up another year. One of the most recent accomplishments was a successful Evening of Wine and Roses fund- (and friend-) raiser, held at the Hu-Friedy Manufacturing Performance Center. Attendees enjoyed sampling wines from Germany, Australia, Chile and other parts of the world while browsing and bidding on more than 50 silent auction and raffle items. This fun event garnered more than $15,000 to support the many CDS Foundation projects that strive to improve the oral health of the communities we serve.

In CDS Foundation headquarters news, I am happy to announce the appointment of Kristen Weber as the organization’s new executive director. A University of Iowa graduate, Ms. Weber brings a strong background of foundation and association expertise to the CDS Foundation, having served most recently as chief development officer at the Neurosurgery Research and Education Foundation, the philanthropic arm of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons.

Ms. Weber’s experience is characterized by numerous achievements, including fundraising growth, major donor giving and grants. She has a personal commitment to philanthropy as a volunteer, board member and donor, and she has already proven to be a quick study of CDS Foundation business. Ms. Weber will be visiting the branches over the next few months to better familiarize herself with CDS and the CDS Foundation.

YEAR END APPEAL
Before the start of the new year, we all take stock of our charitable giving. As you undertake your 2015 financial planning, please keep in mind that charitable contributions are an excellent way to reduce your tax burden.

The CDS Foundation is a charitable 501(c)3 tax-exempt organization. For donations to be considered for 2014, a cash or credit card contribution must be received by Dec. 31.

If you wish to make a contribution, visit www.cdsfound.org or contact Kristen Weber at kweber@cdsfound.org or 312.836.7301.

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Please consider the CDS Foundation while you do your holiday shopping. Amazon Smile is a simple, easy and automatic way for you to support the CDS Foundation. Every time you shop, at no cost to you, Amazon will donate 0.5 percent of the price of your eligible purchase to the CDS Foundation.

Simply go to smile.amazon.com, select Chicago Dental Society Foundation as your charity of choice, and then enjoy the shopping experience at Amazon.com, knowing that your purchases provide resources for dental education and access to care.

END OF THE YEAR GOODBYES
As we wrap up 2014, special thanks goes out to Kathy Bell who served as interim executive director of the CDS Foundation for the past 11 months; she has been a rock star in our organization. Her dedication, leadership and direction provided solid footing for the next stage of the CDS Foundation’s growth.

We are grateful to Ms. Bell for sharing her expertise with us and we wish her the very best in her next endeavor.
YOUR GENERATION™ IN CONCERT FEATURING FIFTY AMP FUSE

Make a point to attend a very exciting Midwinter Meeting Friday Night when Your Generation™ in Concert featuring FIFTY AMP FUSE celebrates six decades of American and British pop and rock music in spectacular style. This multimedia event, led by a nine-piece band, will transport you through a musical journey.

Purchase tickets online at www.cds.org. Tickets may also be purchased on site Thursday morning at McCormick Place West at the Special Events ticket counter in the Registration Area, Level 3, Concourse, subject to availability.

FRIDAY, FEB. 27
- Doors open at 8 p.m., performance starts at 9 p.m.
- Park West, 322 W. Armitage, Chicago
- $50 per ticket; ticket required for entry
- EVENT NUMBER: SE3
Looking Back 1984

Celebrating 150 years of the Chicago Dental Society

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Midwinter Meeting Opens to Soggy Start

Cloudy skies and a misty drizzle could not dampen the excitement of the opening day of the 119th Midwinter Meeting of the Chicago Dental Society.

By 5 p.m., 15,607 meeting attendees had registered, with about 12,000 more expected to register in the next two days.

Malpractice Prevention: Lesson of Mock Trial

On Monday, Feb. 20, 1984, prevention took on a new and different meaning to the 500 people who witnessed the mock trial of a general dentist at the Midwinter Meeting.

Those present began to think of prevention in terms of “How can I prevent becoming part of this unfolding scenario?”

Milt Salzer played the role of the general dentist defendant, and the roles of expert witnesses were played by Erwin Barrington and Zigmond Porter. California periodontist and practicing attorney Edwin Zinman played the prosecutor.

The trial accomplished its purpose in pointing out the complex issues involved in malpractice litigation. Many important lessons were learned, including:

- Keep detailed and accurate records;
- Follow treatment sequence carefully, noting progress or lack of it;
- For new patients, take accurate diagnostic radiographs;
- Treat staff and patients respectfully;
- Use clinically acceptable procedures and, whenever possible, offer treatment options to the patient;
- Explain these alternatives and their consequences prior to treatment.

CDS Salutes Bozo the Clown, Others at Media Luncheon

A video salute to Bob Bell, who recently retired as WGN-TV’s Bozo the Clown, highlighted CDS’s recent media “thank you” luncheon.

Bozo served as CDS’s honorary chairman of Children’s Dental Health Month for the past several years.

At the June luncheon the Public Relations Commission honored 38 media people who had covered dental health during the past year.

Tips for Speakers: How to Make the Right Impression

Many CDS members will be speaking to various groups in the next few months regarding dentistry. For Project Smile Bright, many will be going to the public schools. Because we want to put our best face forward in these opportunities, here are some tips for our speakers:

1. Always first identify yourself as a representative of the Chicago Dental Society.

At the 119th Midwinter Meeting, CDS President Irwin Robinson presented Chicago Mayor Harold Washington with a giant inscribed toothbrush. Mayor Washington signed a proclamation heralding Children’s Dental Health Month. Also pictured are Public Relations Commission Chair Jane Selbe and President-elect Robert Kimbrough.

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Larry Lujack is Honorary Children’s Dental Health Month Chairman

WLS Radio personality Larry Lujack will be taping public service announcements to be played on radio and television, using his off-beat inimitable style which has great appeal to young people. In addition, he’ll convey the “good dental health” message during the month of February on his morning drive show.

 television program exploits effects of mercury

One of the sidelines of our recent Midwinter Meeting was the presence of investigative reporter Steve Wilson and a camera crew gathering material for a television series on the controversial question, “Is it possible the mercury fillings in your mouth could be poisoning you?” The series “Breakaway” aired March 5-7. Its star was Hal Huggins, a Colorado Springs dentist.

We were shown a clip from the tea party scene in “Alice in Wonderland” with reporter Wilson explaining the expression “mad as a hatter.”

All the evidence presented shows there are three people who are most likely hypersensitive to mercury. I believe that over 100 years clinical experience with dental amalgam and extensive research verifies the safety of the material for the vast majority of patients.

Huggins is a bright, articulate student of dentistry. I want to believe he is sincere in his concerns. He does, however, have an obligation to publish all his data in scientific journals and allow other concerned dentists to substantiate or invalidate his conclusions. This controversy does not belong on the TV tube or lay press.

Free Enterprise, Free Choice: The Best Dental Delivery System

More than at any other time in recent years, this country’s free enterprise system of dental care is being challenged by various other dental care delivery systems.

Bureaucrats, politicians, and third parties are destroying our present system under the weight of rules and regulations in the name of quality and cost control.
Dental tourism is a growing trend

It would be easy to dismiss the numbers of those traveling abroad for dental and medical treatment as inconsequential and label those shoppers as eccentric, but the ADA and leading dentists warn the numbers are on the rise and encourage dentists to take the offensive.

Riffing on the Doctors Without Borders model, the seven-year-old Patients Beyond Borders steers Americans looking for less expensive dental and medical treatment to doctors out of the country.

Here's the pitch from the group's website:

“Last year, more than 900,000 Americans packed their bags and headed overseas for nearly every imaginable type of medical treatment: tummy tucks in Brazil, heart valve replacements in Thailand, hip resurfacing surgeries in India, addiction recovery in Antigua, fertility diagnosis and treatments in South Africa, thalassotherapy in Hungary, or restorative dentistry in Mexico.”

Zero in on that last one: the website has a link for people looking for dental work, everything from whitening to restorative procedures. (Interestingly, it was “sticker shock” related to treatment of a “complex dental condition” that inspired Josef Woodward to found Patients Beyond Borders.)

Dentistry, the group notes, attracts what it calls the “incidental traveler,” someone who works “affordable dental care” into their vacation and holiday plans, and business travelers who arrange for dental treatment while on a business trip, “saving on both oral treatment and travel costs.”

What’s a home-grown dentist to do?

Software Advice, which researches and advises clients on software purchases and medical trends, has some insight and answers.

According to the group’s research, it’s a small percentage of people looking elsewhere for dental treatment. But those people are middle class, have dental insurance, and respond to cost when considering treatment, which can be priced at an average of two-thirds less out of the country than at home.

“For American dentists,” the group cautions, “the 17 percent of respondents who expressed an interest in dental work abroad represents a growing trend that should be closely monitored. Since the average dental tourist does have insurance and the funds to afford treatment, it falls to dentists to persuade patients that the long-term value of American dental care is superior to cheaper care abroad.”

In the end, the patient relationship is paramount and the dentist’s best defense.

“When patients have confidence in the doctor, feel they are treated well by the team, and believe they are already receiving excellent dental care for their money,” dental consultant and dentist Roger Levin told Software Advice, “they will have no reason to look elsewhere.”
Image Gently campaign offers advice on pediatric X-rays

The American Dental Association has partnered with more than 80 professional healthcare organizations — including nine other dental organizations — to encourage safe pediatric imaging during medical exams.

The Image Gently campaign has developed educational and scientific materials to help dental professionals optimize radiation doses during these pediatric exams. Image Gently has also produced downloadable materials to help parents ask more informed questions of their dental providers whenever scans are recommended for their children.

Imaging has an important role in improved dental health — but children are, in general, more sensitive to radiation than adults. As such, healthcare providers should reduce radiation doses used in children’s imaging and avoid unwarranted imaging. The Image Gently campaign encourages dental providers to consider the following guidelines:

• Select X-rays for individual needs, not as a routine. Use X-rays only when essential for diagnosis and treatment — based on a review of the patient and their dental history.

• Use the fastest image receptor available. When film X-ray is used, select E- or F-speed. Set exposure parameters as low as possible for diagnostic digital imaging.

• Use cone-beam CT (CBCT) only when necessary. CBCT should be restricted in children to cases in which it is essential for diagnosis and treatment planning.

• Collimate beam to area of interest. For intraoral X-rays, collimation should be rectangular to match recording area of detector. For extraoral X-rays, including cone-beam CT, restrict beam to the area needed for diagnosis.

• Always use a thyroid shield. The thyroid gland in children is particularly sensitive to radiation.

• Child-size the exposure time. Less exposure time is needed for children as oral structures are smaller than in adults.

Dental professionals are also urged to visit www.imagegently.org and pledge to image gently. ■
Community Service
Grants provide direct access to care and education

by Joanna Brown

Working in partnership with the Wrigley Company Foundation, the CDS Foundation distributed nearly $30,000 in Community Service Grants this year. The 10 awards support the efforts of Chicago Dental Society member dentists and fourth-year dental students who are working to promote oral health education and care in underserved communities.

Said Maureen Jones, Manager and Executive Director of the Wrigley Company Foundation at the Wm. Wrigley Jr. Company, “This program allows the dental community to provide direct access to care and education in communities where they live and work. The care and education is being provided by recognized experts and provides a very needed service to the communities, especially to populations that may not have access to either.”

Ten programs received funding:

**COMMUNITY CARE CLINIC AT THE FIRST EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH OF CHICAGO**
Sponsored by CDS member Jun Lim

$636 grant
Clinicians provide exams and health education to the underserved in their neighborhood. Grant funding will support dental services provided at the clinic. In 2013, the clinic served 700 guests including 100 seeking dental care.

**COMMUNITY NURSE HEALTH CENTER, LAGRANGE**
Sponsored by CDS member Anthony Lumpkin

$5,000 grant
The dental clinic provides comprehensive preventive care, education and restorative care to more than 2,000 patients annually. Patients come from 19 communities in Chicago’s western suburbs.
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<td>DENTAL ACCESS DAYS IN ELK GROVE VILLAGE</td>
<td>Paul Fischl</td>
<td>$4,000 grant</td>
<td>This bi-annual event provides complete care and oral health education to people in need at a mobile clinic site.</td>
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<td>GOLDIE’S PLACE STUDENT-RUN DENTAL CLINIC, CHICAGO</td>
<td>Kenneth Negro</td>
<td>$5,000 grant</td>
<td>The dental clinic at Goldie’s Place serves homeless people working to better themselves and secure employment. Students from the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Dentistry operate the clinic under a dentist’s supervision three days each month.</td>
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<td>HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL, CHICAGO DENTAL SOCIETY</td>
<td>Amy VanFossen</td>
<td>$500 grant</td>
<td>A project called Love in a Ziplock, students annually assemble 250-500 care kits for the homeless, including toothbrushes, toothpaste, hats, gloves, lip balm and a few snacks. Grant funds will offset the costs of the oral care items in these care kits.</td>
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<td>KIDS 1ST HEALTH FAIR, NORTH CHICAGO</td>
<td>Gerald Mackey</td>
<td>$1,500 grant</td>
<td>This 22-year-old event provides children in low-income families from throughout Lake County with the medical exams and immunizations they need in order to start the school year on time. While on site, they also receive health education, home care supplies and school supplies.</td>
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<td>SMILES ORAL HEALTH PROGRAM AT RAVENSWOOD COMMUNITY SERVICES</td>
<td>Sue Etminan</td>
<td>$4,914.90 grant</td>
<td>Participants improve their oral health awareness and improve oral hygiene habits in practices surrounding the acronym SMILES: Soft bristles, Morning and evening, Inner and outer, Lower and upper, Everyday, Smile! Grant funds will provide supplies and oral care products.</td>
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<td>UC P SEGUIN SERVICES, CICERO</td>
<td>Robert Rada</td>
<td>$2,500 grant</td>
<td>Dr. Rada works with dental students to provide care to individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities at the Illinois Center for Rehabilitation and Education. Grant funds will enable the team to purchase a portable electric handpiece for the provision of restorative care at the center and other sites.</td>
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“I am continually amazed at the generous and caring services our members provide for the needy and underserved populations of our communities,” said Trucia Drummond, chair of the CDS Foundation Grants Committee. “I am so grateful to the Wrigley Company Foundation for focusing on our members and their personal endeavors to improve the oral health and the oral health literacy of our most vulnerable citizens.”
GOING LOCAL

News from the dental community

ELIZABETH RAZDOLSKY EARNs NIH RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP
UIC College of Dentistry student Elizabeth Razdolsky earned a research fellowship from the National Institutes of Health.

Working in the Center for Wound Healing and Tissue Regeneration, Ms. Razdolsky is studying a protein called pigment epithelium-derived factor (PEDF), “which plays a role in many cell processes in the human body,” Ms. Razdolsky said. “This research award involved PEDF’s effect on the wound healing process.”

Working with her mentor Luisa DiPietro, associate vice chancellor for research, Ms. Razdolsky hopes to discover how PEDF regulates blood vessel formation and scar formation in wounds. “These studies may suggest future therapeutic options for tissue regeneration, fibrosis and cancer. This work can hopefully be translated into the oral cavity in the future.”

Ms. Razdolsky plans to continue doing research as well as dentistry, which would possibly involve a post-doctoral research and specialty program.

AMATUL SALMA WINS DENTSPLY/CAULK COMPETITION
UIC College of Dentistry third-year student Amatul Salma won first place in the Basic Sciences category of the DENTSPLY/Caulk Competition at the American Association of Dental Research (AADR) meeting in Charlotte, NC.

Ms. Salma’s research focused on molecular targeted chemotherapies for head and neck cancers, involving telomeres: DNA-protein structures at the ends of chromosomes which shorten throughout life.

“In order to compensate for telomere loss, head and neck cancer cells overexpress the telomerase reverse transcriptase enzyme which maintains telomeres in rapidly dividing cells, thus contributing to the difficulty in killing these cells,” she explained.

Ms. Salma tested the effects of two different telomere targeted chemotherapy drugs on human head and neck squamous cell carcinoma lines, and discovered that, “cells treated with both drugs stopped growing,” she said.

Since many patients who receive traditional chemotherapy may have a recurrence of their cancer, “the application of this project allows us to specifically target cancer cells at the molecular level and diminish their ability to recur, thus improving the success of chemotherapy for patients,” Ms. Salma said.

T he University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) College of Dentistry Predoctoral Implant Program (PIP), directed by Judy Yuan, Assistant Professor, Department of Restorative Dentistry, has been chosen to receive the 2014 Departmental Teaching Excellence Award. This annual award is sponsored by the Council for Excellence in Teaching and Learning (CETL) at UIC. In recognition of its commitment to excellent performance in teaching, the PIP will receive a $20,000 one-time award.

Upon the CETL’s call for applications, the College’s core PIP faculty submitted a portfolio for consideration of the honor. A complete portfolio related to excellence in teaching includes: methods the department uses to achieve excellence in teaching and learning and methods to measure the effectiveness of those methods; evidence-based statement of teaching and learning outcomes; support letter from the head/Chair of department; support letter from the dean; support letters from current and past students; and a description of how the award proceeds will be used.

The one-time $20,000 accolade will be used to enhance student learning experiences and patient education in implant dentistry in the following areas: (1) introduction of multi-media resources demonstrating several clinical and laboratory techniques used for single tooth implant and implant supported over-denture implant therapy; (2) development of a website specific to PIP to inform Chicagoland residents of the implant services provided at UIC and the discounted fees relative to private practice; (3) update of brochures on implant supported restorations, which help to educate UIC patients of the intricacies of implant treatment; and (4) implementation of a community outreach program that includes implant education and restorative options to patients and health care providers at community-based organizations including retirement homes and healthcare offices.

For more information about the Council for Excellence in Teaching and Learning at UIC, visit www.cetl.uic.edu.

UIC implant program earns teaching award
UIC announces new faculty additions

**IMPLANT EXPERT TOLGA TOZUM JOINS PERIODONTICS DEPARTMENT**

Tolga Tozum joined the Department of Periodontics at the UIC College of Dentistry as a clinical associate professor. Dr. Tozum is originally from Turkey.

A highly regarded researcher, Dr. Tozum has published “around 80 manuscripts including original articles, review papers, and case reports in international scientific and medical journals—some in Europe and some in the United States,” he explained.

His research mostly has focused on implant dentistry, including implant stability — resonance frequency and analysis, damping capacity assessment, and insertion torque values; marginal bone loss and gain around implants; and peri-implant crevicular fluid evaluation (nitric oxide, myeloperoxidase, ICTP, and osteocalcin) for the long term.

Dr. Tozum earned the Travel Award in Implant Dentistry from the International Association of Dental Research-Continental European Division in 2004, and the Platinum Award from the World Congress of International Oral Implantologists in 2006. He also earned an award from Acta Odontologica Scandinavia for an article about graft materials used in periodontics in 2009.

Dr. Tozum is a Fellow of the Academy of Osseointegration and of the International Congress of Oral Implantologists, and an honorary member of the Mefert Implant Institute. He also acts as the ambassador of Turkey in the Alliance of Oral Health Across Borders.

He is a member of the European Federation of Periodontology, Turkish Association of Oral Implantology, and Turkish Association of Periodontology. He currently holds member positions in two committees of the Academy of Osseointegration: the Osseointegration Fund Research Grant and Website Education committees.

Dr. Tozum is an editorial board member of 12 international journals, and serves as an ad hoc reviewer for 35 international journals.

**PREVENTION AND PUBLIC HEALTH SCIENCES DIVISION ADDS DARIEN WEAVERSPOON**

Darien Weatherspoon has joined the faculty within the Division of Prevention and Public Health Sciences at the UIC College of Dentistry as an assistant professor of pediatric dentistry.

Upon graduation from the University of Maryland College of Dental Surgery, Dr. Weatherspoon went on to complete the Advanced Education in General Dentistry Residency Certificate program at the School of Dentistry at the University of Michigan. He then earned a Master of Public Health in epidemiology from the University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Just prior to joining UIC, Dr. Weatherspoon completed a Dental Public Health Residency at the National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research at the National Institutes of Health.

His research focus is on using epidemiologic methods to understand the determinants of oral health disparities. Dr. Weatherspoon has additional interest in health literacy, including the role of provider communication in improving health literacy. He expects to engage in research with the ultimate goal of improving oral health at the population level.
MEETING PLACE
Dental meetings and CE opportunities

January

6: Northwest Suburban Branch
David Landwehr, DDS, MS: Differential Diagnosis of Periapical Radiolucencies: A Case-Based Review. Meridian, 1701 Algonquin Rd., Rolling Meadows. Cocktails: 6 p.m., Dinner: 7 p.m., Program: 7:30 p.m. Contact: J. Travis Thompson, 847.381.0106 or jtrthmp@aol.com.

13: Englewood Branch
Speaker and topic TBA. Louie’s Chophouse, 4642 W. 103rd St., Oak Lawn. Cocktails: 6 p.m., Dinner: 7 p.m., Program: 7:30 p.m. Contact: Alex Haralampopoulos, 708.799.2550 or aleco2994@yahoo.com.

13: South Suburban Branch

13: West Suburban Branch
Marie Apke, CEO, Bensinger, DuPont and Associates: Can We Really Change Our Patients’ Behavior? Barclay’s American Grille at the Carleton of Oak Park, 1110 Pleasant St., Oak Park. Cocktails: 6:15 p.m., Dinner and Program: 7 p.m. Contact: Michael Tauber, michaeltauber@bdcglobal.net or 708.528.8833.

Study clubs

Central Lake County Dental Study Club
Meets third Tuesday of every month at noon, January-November, Grandma V’s Pancakes, 10 E. Maple Ave., Mundelein. For information, contact Paul Showers, 847.816.3636.

Chicago Aesthetic Masters, a Hornbrook Group Study Club
Meets monthly, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the office of Sheldon Seidman, 410 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 1014, Chicago. For information, call 312.644.4321 or email smilechicago2@aol.com.

Chicago Dental Study Club
Information: www.chicagodentalsstudyclub.com or call Forrest Tower at 708.423.0610. Newcomers are free. Please RSVP.

Greater Evanston Dentists Association
Meets first Monday of every month, noon-1 p.m., Gio Restaurant, 1631 Chicago Ave., Evanston. For information, contact Roger Nounah, 847.475.7754.

Hellenic American Dental Society
The Hellenic American Dental Society (HADS) holds several dinner CE seminars throughout the year. Visit www.hads.com for more info.

Uptown Dental Forum
Meets every Friday, 12:30-2 p.m., Via Veneto Restaurant, 6340 N. Lincoln Ave., Chicago. Academy of General Dentistry sponsorship approved. For information, contact Steven Pearl, 773.262.4544.

Waukegan Dental Study Group
Semi-monthly meeting, noon-2 p.m., Waukegan Ramada, 200 Green Bay Rd., Waukegan. For information, contact Robert Stanuch, 847.336.8080, or Ellis Neiburger, 847.244.0292.

Submit your information online
using our form at http://on.cds.org/MyEvent or fax it to 312.836.7337.

The Chicago Dental Society provides the free publication of meeting announcements for dental study clubs and not-for-profit organizations. The publication of such notices is at the sole discretion of CDS. Be sure to include the following: subject, date, time, location and speaker’s name and degree, as well as the name and phone or email of your contact person. All information must be submitted in writing. The editor reserves the right to edit material for space and style.
Englewood Branch
by Denise Hale, DDS

Congratulations to John Kozal. His daughter Natasha was chosen again to be in the Joffrey Ballet’s Nutcracker this holiday season.

John Brendich, John Kozal, Wally Lamacki and Joe Unger have returned from the Lone Star State of Texas following the ADA Annual Session in San Antonio.

Dennis Nowak and his wife, Lynn, have been jetsetting around Europe again. They recently returned from two weeks visiting Germany, Switzerland and Austria. They went to Murren in the Swiss Alps, Munich, Salzberg (Mozart’s birthplace) and Vienna. Dennis’s summation of the trip: “German beer is good!”

A warm Englewood welcome to two new dentists who joined us for Staff/Vendor Night at Ridge Country Club: Stephanie Colletta and Robin Gillardi. Robin is joining us from Canada; she should have no problem with our midwestern winters!

And I wish everyone a Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, Happy Kwanzaa and a Happy New Year!

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Kenwood/Hyde Park Branch
by Sherece Thompson, DDS

Congratulations to Bonciel Griffin-Burress, who opened an ortho-pedo practice in Kenwood. Ivory Dental is located 1040 E. 47th St. This is her second specialty practice.

Birthday greetings to Mark Robinson, who turned 77 Sept. 9. He is proud to be the oldest practicing dentist in our branch. Mark began practicing dentistry in 1968 at his current location. He was also the winner of the iPad Mini raffle by U.S. Bank at our October meeting.

Mark reports that his granddaughter, Rebecca Robinson, is an exchange student at Oxford University in London. She began her program in October. She is a junior and plans to become an international lawyer. Rebecca will spend Christmas in Germany with her host family. We wish her much success!
North Side Branch
by Richard Leyba, DDS

Jeff Kramer and Janet Kuhn happily announce the September marriage of their daughter, Jessica, to Kevin Halpin. Since both the bride and the groom are engineers, the event was very well planned down to the last detail.

Neal Nealis enjoyed hiking in Yosemite in September with wife, brother and future sister-in-law; up next is a river cruise in Bordeaux. At home, Neal delivered a lecture to the North Michigan Avenue Study Club in October on esthetics and tooth proportion.

Fred Margolis received the 2014 Leon Goldman Award for Clinical Excellence from the Academy of Laser Dentistry. He also presented at the ADA Annual Session in San Antonio, TX.

Scott Miller has moved his practice to a brand new office at 5550 W. Touhy Ave, Suite 304, in Skokie.

CONDOLENCES: Freda Shulruff, mother of Charles Shulruff and wife of former branch member Walter Shulruff, died in August. Also, long-time member Jules Hazelkorn recently died.

On a lighter note, Charles’ older daughter, Molly, just started in the pre-veterinary medicine program at Northeastern Illinois University.

William Simon and all of the doctors and staff at City Smiles and Sonrisa

Urbana welcome new associates Anjali Talwar and Julie Davis into the practice. They are excited to work with these rising stars. Bill wishes his former associate Lance Skinkys much success and happiness as a new owner of his own practice in Plainfield.

David Behm is the drummer for Kiss Cabaret, which has moved to the Uptown Underground — a new theater in the Uptown neighborhood. David also has four grandchildren!

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President Profile

J. Travis Thompson, DDS | NORTHWEST SUBURBAN BRANCH

Education: Travis Thompson earned his dental degree in 1997 from the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Dentistry. He went on to earn his specialty in oral and maxillofacial surgery. Dr. Thompson also served in the U.S. Army for 11 years, achieving the rank of major.

Family and Practice: Dr. Thompson and his wife, Jennifer, have three children: Ryan, Lauren and Connor. He practices in Deer Park.

Outside of dentistry, my interests include: trapshooting, weightlifting and the Boy Scouts. I am also a lifelong science geek.

My goal for our branch in the coming year is: to increase branch membership, facilitate communication between the ADA and state with local branch members, and foster fellowship among members.

North Suburban Branch
by Ingrid Schroetter, DDS

Marie Fischl, Paul Fischl, Chris Culp and Dave Lewis visited South Bend to watch Notre Dame beat North Carolina. For Marie (St. Mary’s) and Dave (ND), it was a great trip back to their alma maters.

Lindsey McClellan and Mart McClellan congratulate their son, who was named MVP of the St. John’s Northwestern Military Academy swim team as a freshman.

Our branch kicked off our exciting educational season with President John Vickery introducing David Schwartz, of the Center for Sleep Medicine, to speak about Sleep Apnea at Green Acres Country Club in Northbrook.

NEW BOARD MEMBERS ELECTED
Jacqueline Rosen will serve as our secretary and Ted Constantine will serve as our vice president for this season.

North Suburban Branch Director Astrid Schroetter welcomed season ticketholders Megan Ratliff, of Glenview, and Nila Galvez, of Gurnee, at our Oct. 7 branch meeting.

NORTHWEST SIDE BRANCH:
(Top) Branch Members visited the Hu-Friedy Manufacturing facility in September. (Left) Larisa Spirtovic and Renata Johnson. (Right) Members brought in old documents for the annual Shred-A-Thon.
Cheryl Mora will complete her term as president of the Illinois Academy of General Dentistry in December. She also serves as chair of the Membership Council of the Academy of General Dentistry.

Northwest Side Branch
by Olga Gonzalez, DDS

In August, Sam Cascio celebrated his 90th birthday at the Butterfield Country Club. His children, their spouses, and 9 grandchildren enjoyed the festivities. Sam was our 1978 branch president and the 1990 president of the Illinois State Dental Society. The Northwest Side Branch extends its heartfelt best wishes to Sam.

In September, more than two dozen branch members toured the Hu-Friedy Mfg. Co. plant on the north side of Chicago. They were fascinated by the steps involved in processing metal blanks into hand tools. It was a real learning experience and all agreed the tours added value to branch membership.

Later in September, our branch — joined with the Northwest Suburban and West Suburban branches — organized a New Dentist Event at the Mars Gallery. The event attracted more than 60 new dentists and senior dental students from the University of Illinois and Midwestern University dental schools. Henry Schein was one of the evening’s sponsors. Dental practice brokers and transition specialists were on hand to speak with the attendees, as well.

Daniel Janowski proudly announced the addition of a new associate, Neil Singh, to Endodontic Associates Ltd. Neil returns to Illinois after 10 years in Florida. He earned his undergraduate degree in biology at the University of Miami. He attended Nova Southeastern University Dental School, where he earned his dental degree and completed a post-graduate endodontic residency. Daniel believes Neil will provide incredible care of the highest quality, and will be a great fit in CDS.

Proud papa Russ Cecala regaled us with his children’s individual pursuits. His oldest son, Russell (Rosario) Jr., is a senior at Marquette University. He worked as an intern for the Milwaukee Brewers this summer, and will pursue employment with Major League Baseball’s front office upon graduation. Daughter Christa, a senior at Prospect High School, has been accepted into an Italian exchange program. The Cecala family will host two Italian students in the fall and Christa will stay with their families in the spring. Youngest son Dante is an honor student at Prospect High School and a starting running back for the sophomore football team. Go Knights!

Our first branch meeting of the season Oct. 7 began with a Shred-A-Thon in the parking lot. The Paper Tiger shredding truck disposed of hundreds of pounds of old documents. We collected donations benefitting the Chicago Dental Society Foundation. And the incoming CDS officers (the so-called Green Coats) visited and addressed our members. Congratulations to Susan Becker Doroshow and the rest of the team on another exciting year.
Northwest Suburban Branch
by Maria Fournier, DDS

Congratulations to Jessica Bertoglio who recently opened a new office — The Toothery in Hoffman Estates. After a lot of time and hard work, she celebrated the grand opening Sept. 18. Jessica was so proud to have her three daughters take part in the ribbon cutting ceremony. We wish you success!

Ed Segal was installed as the 151st president of the Illinois State Dental Society in September. He gave a riveting and very emotional acceptance speech that left us laughing, crying and overall very excited to have him at the helm. Congratulations, Ed!

Another one of our branch members, Ted Borris, has joined the CDS staff as director of scientific programs.

Vicki Ursitti attended the Illinois State Dental Society Annual Session along with others from our branch; among them were past president Mike Higgins and Dent-IL-PAC president Mike Durbin.

Joe Baldassano volunteered for the 2014 Mission of Mercy in Peoria. He performed root canal therapy in the volunteer endodontic department.

We are saddened by the passing of Marvin Schumer Sept. 5.

South Suburban Branch
by Natacha Exorphe, DDS, and Crystal Patel, DDS

We started off another great season with our first meeting at the Olympia Fields Country Club Oct. 7, where we were fortunate to hear Dan Proft speak on the political climate in Illinois and how it affects dentistry and small businesses. Our November meeting featured Brian Currier, discussing Digital DNA: Effective IT in Your Office.

We thank George Morris and Michael Mintz for hosting a CPR recertification class in September at Idlewild Country Club in Flossmoor. George and Michael took time from their busy schedules to help their colleagues get recertified.

Kevin Patterson is making news again! He was recently inducted as a Fellow of the International College of Dentists. Kevin was awarded the honor during the ADA Annual Session in San Antonio, TX. Congratulations, Kevin!

Congratulations, too, to Tom Sarna on his new position in Arkansas. We are sad to see you leave, but we wish you and your family the best of luck. Thank you for your time and participation in our South Suburban Branch activities.
Happy Birthday and congratulations to Branch President Keyur Shah! Keyur and his wife, Neha, welcomed twins Anika and Arjun into the world Sept. 19. He tells us that everyone is healthy and doing well. Best wishes to Keyur and his wife!

Crystal Patel got engaged over Labor Day weekend in Lake Geneva. Congratulations and best of luck with your wedding planning!

Have news to share? Email Nataka Exorphe, exorphe.dds@gmail.com, or Crystal Patel, crystalpatel@gmail.com.

Michelle Jennings and Richard Kohn attended the American Academy of Periodontology meeting in San Francisco in September. Learning was supplemented with some sightseeing, including China Town, Fisherman's Wharf, Ghirardelli Square and wine tasting in Napa.

Our Sept. 9 branch meeting was a terrific start to the season. Mark Lingen presented the topic “Recent Advances in the Detection and Prevention of Oral Cancer.”

We held a 50/50 raffle benefiting the CDS Foundation. Michelle Jennings won. She then generously donated her winnings back to the CDS Foundation. That could have bought a lot more wine in Napa, Michelle!

Rick Battistoni and his family participated in the Chicagoland Out of the Darkness walk Sept. 20 in Grant Park. This is the largest fundraising event in the country supporting suicide prevention and research into mental health. More than 5,000 people participated in this event sponsored by the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, raising $700,000.

Our Oct. 14 meeting was well attended, with Mathew Sorrentino, MD, FACC, FASH, presenting “The Prevention of Heart Disease: What Everyone Should Know.”
President Profile

Shafa Amirsoltani, DDS | WEST SIDE BRANCH

Education: Shafa Amirsoltani earned her dental degree from Northwestern University Dental School in 1992.

Family and Practice: Dr. Amirsoltani practices in Oak Park. Her extended family includes her daughter Laden, son-in-law Kevin Jamali, granddaughter Aryana, son Hadi Saeid and daughter-in-law Julia Saeid.

Outside of dentistry, my interests include: exercise, cooking and family. I enjoy spending time traveling with my granddaughter.

My goal for our branch in the coming year is: I would like to acknowledge that the West Side Branch is my family and that I am proud to be a part of it. I plan to grow the family by welcoming young dentists and recent graduates. I want to establish a mentoring relationship with them. And our branch will continue to offer news and relevant topics for our lectures.
President Profile

Douglas Kay, DDS | WEST SUBURBAN BRANCH

Education: Douglas Kay earned his dental degree in 1981 from the Université de Paris Diderot (Paris 7): UFR d’Odontologie.

Family and Practice: Dr. Kay and his wife, Laura, have an extended family that includes sons Mike (married to Danielle) and Phil (married to Anne) and daughters Amanda, Kayla, Brianna and Natalie. The Kays have four grandchildren: Micah, Cooper, Carson and Mackenzie.

Outside of dentistry, my interests include: world travel with my family, keeping up with my international friends, languages and history. I am also interested in World War II sport vehicles.

My goal for our branch in the coming year is: to increase the value of our branch activities in order to retain our current members and attract many new members to organized dentistry.

Neil Singh, one of our newest branch members, just moved back to the area from south Florida. Neil attended the University of Miami for his undergraduate studies and received his dental and endodontic specialty degrees from Nova Southeast University in Ft. Lauderdale. He decided to move back up to the cold north to be closer to his family.

For all those thinking of joining the West Side Branch or any other CDS branch, please come join us. The lectures are stimulating, the dinners delicious and the camaraderie is priceless.

West Suburban Branch

by Alex Figueroa, DMD, and Leslie Sanders, DDS

The year is just a few short weeks from ending and another great season of West Suburban meetings has begun. This year’s program has some heavy-hitting lectures from local branch members and also nationally known dental superstars. We hope to see as many of you as we can over the year.

West Suburban Branch members discussed and voted on a number of important issues pertaining to dentistry at the Illinois State Dental Society’s 150th Annual Session. The West Suburban Branch is the largest delegation in the state with 12 delegates in attendance. At the meeting, our very own Jim Maragos announced his candidacy for secretary of ISDS in 2015.

Proud papa Fred Stroner is pleased to announce that his son, Brian, has achieved the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest honor a Boy Scout may earn. Only 4 percent of all boys who enter Scouting achieve this distinction.

Brian has been involved in scouting for the past 12 years. A community ser-
vice project is one of the many requirements required to earn the status of Eagle Scout. For his project, Brian chose to construct two slow-graze hay feeders for the Ray Graham Center.

The Ray Graham Center focuses on children and adults with primarily intellectual and developmental disabilities. One of their modes of treating autistic children is equine therapy. The Center’s Hinsdale/Burr Ridge stable is home to eight horses that are used in various ways to stimulate the mental and motor skills of these children. Brian is currently a freshman at the University of Illinois studying business and computer science.

With great pleasure, Zach Hermann (UIC Class of 2013) has joined the Naperville practice of Paul Caputo (UIC Class of 1983).

Bryan Bauer recently completed the purchase of the Wheaton practice formerly owned by Marty Dettmer. Bryan joined Marty in 2008 and they have practiced as Dettmer & Bauer since November 2010. Bryan and his wife, orthodontist Danielle Bauer, will continue to practice as Bauer Dental and Orthodontics.

Timothy Robieson announced that he has retired as of Sept. 30. We wish Tim well in all his future endeavors and hope he enjoys all that life has to bring him.

We had an excellent first meeting under President Doug Kay. West Suburban Program Chair Marmar Modarressi presented the topic “Periodontal Plastic Surgery.” The lecture was very informative and increased our knowledge of what is possible with today’s periodontal techniques and technology. At the completion of the meeting, Doug presented Marmar with a plaque of appreciation.

Like all of our meetings, we had three lucky winners for the vendor appreciation raffle. Congratulations to Alvaro Figueroa, Robert Malenius and Martin Sanders who each won Garmin GPS systems. We hope you never get lost.

If you are counting, this is Martin’s second win (he won an iPod at the final meeting of last year). Apparently all you need to do to win is sit near to Martin and hope his luck rubs off on you; this strategy worked for Alvaro!

It is truly amazing how time flies when you are having fun. As you can see, our members have a great time at our branch meetings. From all of us at the West Suburban Branch, we hope that you have had a prosperous and fulfilling 2014 and wish that next year is even better. Join us Jan. 13 for an evening with West Suburban’s very own Cindy Satko as she presents a topic “Office Oral Surgery.”
APPLICANTS
and deceased members

Applicants

Al Dallal, Anjnad
International Dental School, 2002
1900 W. 47th St., Chicago
Kenwood/Hyde Park Branch

Ali, Hussain
University of Illinois, 2014
1850 W. Golf Rd., Mount Prospect
Northwest Suburban Branch

Avenetti, David
University of California
Los Angeles, 2010
30 E. Huron St., Chicago
West Side Branch

Bacalar, Steven
Midwestern University-AZ, 2014
1636 N. Wells St., Chicago
North Side Branch

Danielewicz, Brian
University of California
Los Angeles, 2011
740 Florsheim Dr., Libertyville
North Suburban Branch

Fukushima, Naoko
University of Michigan, 2001
2941 W. Addison St., Chicago
North Side Branch

Gallardi, Robin
University of Western Ontario, 2000
8505 Wabash Ave., Chicago
Kenwood/Hyde Park Branch

Hafeez, Sabeen
Tufts University, 2014
1304 Macom Dr., Naperville
West Suburban Branch

Ho, WenTing
China Medical University, 2002
25 E. Washington St., Chicago
Kenwood/Hyde Park Branch

Hsu, Rona
Tufts University, 2014
208 N. Dunton Ave., Arlington Heights
Northwest Suburban Branch

Kadziela, Kenneth
Loyola University, 1986
3450 Lacey Rd., Downers Grove
West Suburban Branch

Karamagianis, Emily
New York University, 2005
14040 Selva Ln., Orland Park
South Suburban Branch

Kawalski, Monica
Arizona School of Dentistry, 2014
566 E. Northwest Hwy., Palatine
Northwest Suburban Branch

Khan, Shaheen
University of Louisville, 2001
1501 W. Dundee Rd., Buffalo Grove
North Suburban Branch

Kim, Richard
Northwestern University, 1997
1126 Westgate Ter., Park Oak
West Side Branch

Klein, Mark
University of Illinois, 1977
958 Elko Grove Town Ctr., Elk Grove Village
Northwest Suburban Branch

Konior, Kristyna
Midwestern University, 2014
10401 S. Edmonds Ave., Chicago
Englewood Branch

Lenz, Kristin
Midwestern University-AZ, 2012
6631 Grand Ave., Gurnee
North Suburban Branch

LeRose, Catherine
University of Pittsburgh, 2014
1900 Hollister Dr., Libertyville
North Suburban Branch

Liebman, Michael
University of Michigan, 2012
2800 N. Lake Shore Dr., Chicago
North Side Branch

Liperonis, Jim
University of Louisville, 1997
1555 W. Howard St., Chicago
North Side Branch

Martella, Alexandra
University of Detroit Mercy, 2014
212 W. Washington St., Chicago
Kenwood/Hyde Park Branch

Moore, Phillip
University of Oklahoma, 1996
939 W. North Ave., Chicago
Northwest Suburban Branch

Partridge, Andrew
Marquette University, 2014
690 First Ave., Des Plaines
Northwest Suburban Branch

Quinlin, Kate
University of Pittsburgh, 2011
939 W. North Ave., Chicago
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Reganato, Anthony
New York University, 2005
4910 W. Catalpa Ave., Chicago
Kenwood/Hyde Park Branch

Rudolph, Sara
University of Illinois, 2003
530 E. 5th Ave., Naperville
West Suburban Branch

Saeed, Reem
University of Illinois, 2014
530 E. 5th Ave., Naperville
West Suburban Branch

Sandhu, Preetinder
Columbia University, 2011
4261 Galway Dr., Lake in the Hills
Northwest Suburban Branch

Tham, Patrick
Loma Linda University, 2013
355-59th St., Willowbrook
Englewood Branch

Theobald, Timothy
Southern Illinois University, 2014
2045 N. Nicole Ln., Round Lake
North Suburban Branch

Vrana, Benjamin
University of Missouri, 2008
225 E. Chicago Ave., Chicago
North Side Branch

Wang, Weindei
Harvard University, 2012
121 N. Cross St., Wheaton
West Suburban Branch

Wojcicki, Elizabeth
Creighton University, 2014
One Tiffany Pointe, Bloomingdale
West Suburban Branch

Deceased members

Berenson, Ralph
University of Illinois at Chicago
College of Dentistry, 1955
1775 Sherwood Rd., Highland Park, IL
North Suburban Branch

Goslin, Paul
International Dental School
Proteus, Back Street, West Camel, Yeovil, Somerset BA22 7QF, U.K.
Associate Member Branch
Died May 16.

Hansen, Robert
Northwestern University, 1977
25-113 Willow Creek Dr., Elburn, IL
West Side Branch
Died Oct. 4.

Harrington, Rosanne
University of New Jersey, 1988
1105 Four Seasons Ln., Bolingbrook, IL
West Suburban Branch
Died Sept. 10.

Slovick, Jerome
Chicago College of Dental Surgery, 1952
400 W. Butterfield Rd., Apt. 516
Elmhurst, IL
West Suburban Branch
Died Aug. 20.
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ADS MIDWEST: Endorsed by the Illinois State Dental Society for dental practice brokerage and appraisal. Contact Peter J. Ackerman, CPA, at 312.240.9955 or adsmidwest.com

SELLERS NEEDED: Never has the market been stronger! Call for a free consultation if you are considering a transition or sale!

ORTHO: $2 million. Sold!

CHICAGO NORTHWEST: Sold!

CHICAGO SOUTHWEST: Two ops, $300,000, low overhead, real estate available. Asking $100,000.

LaGRANGE: $350,000, four digital ops, real estate available.

WESTERN SUBURB: $550,000, two high traffic locations. Seller moving

FAR WESTERN SUBURBS: $1.5 million, FFS, quality restorative/preventative practice. Seven digital operatories. Low overhead, incredible net income.

NILES: Four-op facility. Priced to sell.

NORTHWESTERN SUBURB: Great starter practice excellent visibility, digital with Cerec. Free-standing building for sale.

NORTHWEST SUBURB: $650,000, 100% FFS, quality restorative/preventative practice. Three digital operatories in a free-standing building for sale with practice.

NORTHWESTERN SUBURB: $1.5 million. Sold!

NORTHWESTERN SUBURB: $800,000. Sold!

NORTH BROOK: New, two-operative facility, 250 active patients. Great starter.

NORTH SHORE: $1.4 million, FFS, strong hygiene, beautiful facility.

NORTHERN SUBURB: $1.5 million, Sold!

PALOS AREA: Starter practice with free-standing building for sale.

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For Sale by Owner

BUILDING FOR SALE IN OAK PARK AREA: Property has three units. First floor unit was formerly a dental office. Second floor has two units used for rental income. For further details, please call Andrea Routen at 708.544.8440.

TURNKEY OFFICE SPACE AVAILABLE: Arlington Heights, fully equipped office, new A-dec chairs, Planmeca digital Panorex, NSK electric hand-pieces. Newly renovated, very modern with computers and flat screen TVs. Office only, no patients. Three ops, 900 square feet in medical office building. Great starter, satellite or specialty office. Low rent/overhead, $140,000. Email cerecdmd@gmail.com.
**Review**

**DENTAL UNIT FOR SALE:** Unit two years old, under full warranty for sale. Warranty is transferable. Doctor sold practice, new doctor already had digital unit. Price negotiable. Call 312.945.9563.

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**SOUTHWEST MICHIGAN PRACTICE:** Small private practice, three ops, lone standing building. Gross $180,000, three and half days, asking $250,000 for practice, three ops, lone standing building. Gross SOUTHWEST MICHIGAN PRACTICE: Small private practice and building. Contact jmlj5@frontier.com

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GENERAL DENTIST NEEDED: Full- or part-time to join our multi-specialty group practice in Westmont, Hyde Park Chicago and Munster, IN locations. Minimum one year experience required to join our dedicated team of professionals. Candidate should be comfortable with all restorative procedures, implant restorations and cosmetic procedures. Please apply confidentially to rajan1@aol.com.

GENERAL DENTIST WANTED: Northwest suburban dental practice seeking part-time associate dentist. PPO/fee-for-service office (no Medicaid). Excellent dental skills, communication skills and experience with all aspects of dental care required. Two days a week and alternating Saturdays with full-time potential. Please email cover letter and resume to dentineer@gmail.com.

ORAL SURGEON: Part-time. The Lombard office of Grove Dental Associates invites a licensed oral surgeon to join our team four days a month. Days available include Monday, Friday and Saturday. Our GPs and other specialists will keep you busy with a variety of cases for your skills. We offer a well-equipped office, experienced and friendly staff, and appreciative patients. Please contact Dr. Sue Carney at suecarney@sbcglobal.net for more information.

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PEDIATRIC DENTIST: Northwest Indiana. New, beautiful, pediatric private practice seeking the right peds doctor to help with expanding office. Three-five days available. 25 minutes from downtown. Great staff. Email CV to lynn@karrdds.com.

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ORAL SURGEON: Part-time oral surgeon wanted for well-established, state-of-the-art, multi-site group practice in the northwest suburbs of Chicago. Board certified, experienced in all areas of oral and maxillofacial surgery required. Solid referral base and top-notch staff in place to assist. Email CV to dental2848@gmail.com.

GENERAL DENTIST: A well-established practice near northern suburbs is looking for a well-trained, motivated dentist to work with fee-for-service/PPO/Medicaid patients. Full-time/part-time. Send your resume to ajithap2003@gmail.com.

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The Dental Careers Forum is the place to start your search. CDS offers this online service FREE to member dentists, dental hygienists and dental assistants.

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FRIDAY FASHION WORKSHOP AND LUNCHEON featuring amy salinger

Amy Salinger, nationally recognized fashion maven featured on the Lifetime series Million Dollar Shoppers, will present her special workshop designed to provide both women and men with budget-proof style options that fit any age or body type. She will help Midwinter Meeting attendees to better use items in their existing wardrobe and identify sensibly priced additions that can help their style evolve. Attendees will receive a booklet with Ms. Salinger’s style tips and advice. Brand yourself with successful style and have more confidence to present yourself.

- Identify your style and develop your current look
- Tips to show off your best assets
- "The Rules" – Dos and Don’ts of Styling & Shopping
- Foundation pieces: Build and make the most of your wardrobe

Register online at www.cds.org. Tickets may also be available on site on Thursday morning at McCormick Place at the Special Events ticket counter in the Registration Area, Level 3, Concourse, and subject to availability.

FRIDAY, FEB. 27
- McCormick Place West, W375E
- Doors open at 10:30 a.m.
- Luncheon at 11 – 11:45 a.m.
- Workshop at 11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.
- Question/Answer Session at 12:45 – 1:15 p.m.
- $65 per ticket, OPEN SEATING

EVENT NUMBER: SE2

Inclusive of workshop and lunch.
You must be a registered Midwinter Meeting attendee in order to purchase tickets to this event.
So you want to rein in bureaucracy?

This spring the United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) promulgated a rule that seeks to require dentists to enroll or opt out of the Medicare Program. Why do I have to enroll in Medicare when Medicare doesn’t cover routine dental treatment? A fair enough question, but I don’t see a simple answer.

In the past three months, the Illinois State Dental Society has sent emails to all of its members to let us know what to do. I thank them for the help. The October issue of the Illinois Dental News reprinted an American Dental Association Q&A on the Medicare situation. Find more information at https://success.ada.org/en/practice/medicare.

But no matter how much help you receive from our organizations you still have paperwork to do, thanks to government created by bureaucracy.

More bureaucracy is evident when you look at any state let alone the federal government. The folks who run the country’s regulatory agencies seem to believe in waterboarding small businesses and professions, possibly as a pastime. Unfortunately, there are far too many Kalkaesque examples of unbridled bureaucracy, but this Medicare enrollment regulation should suffice to get your dander up for now.

So what are our societies doing to counteract the bureaucracies “March to the Sea”?

Nationally, the Council on Governmental Affairs (CGA) and ADPAC advocates for you in Washington, DC. Among many initiatives, they spearheaded a coalition of professional societies and small business groups to pass the bipartisan Regulatory Flexibility Improvement Act of 2013 that ensures that all federal agencies appropriately consider the impact of their rules on small businesses across America. They petitioned the House of Representatives’s Small Business Committee to ask HHS to postpone implementation of the Medicare opt in, out rule in order to do a cost-benefit study that is required by law.

The CGA, ADPAC and our professional staff in Washington are an invaluable asset in reining in the more onerous rulings by the alphabet soup regulatory agencies. The bottom line is that bureaucracies live and die based on appropriations doled out by Congress; cut off the head of . . . (you know the rest).

Nearly five years ago, CDS formed a Government Affairs Committee to monitor and influence Cook, DuPage and Lake Counties’ law and rule making actions. The results have been noteworthy. Their efforts are part of your CDS dues (which have not risen in 28 years). CDS has contributed $75,000 annually to Dent-IL-PAC since 2011.

ISDS has had a governmental committee since its inception in 1864. In 1961, it formed the political action committee, Dent-IL-PAC. ISDS-sponsored legislation — which always has a public benefit component — has never been defeated in the Illinois Assembly. The giving levels for Dent-IL-PAC range from $200 to $500, and reaching $1,500 for spouse and member.

Your representatives in political action have done their part.

It’s time you step up to the plate to do yours.

Your contribution to Dent-IL-PAC and ADPAC protect you and the public we serve.
Treat yourself to a very special Midwinter Meeting Opening Session featuring MO5AIC, five voices and no instruments. The five members of MO5AIC create “vocally driven” music, which sonically can hold its own with any full instrumentation. This isn’t just another band. MO5AIC has worked with the likes of Jay Leno, Prince and Tony Bennett. Don’t miss MO5AIC’s interactive and finely tuned performance.

Purchase tickets online at www.cds.org. Tickets may also be purchased on site Thursday morning at McCormick Place West at the Special Events ticket counter in the Registration Area, Level 3, Concourse, subject to availability.

MO5AIC: VOCALLY DRIVEN MUSIC

THURSDAY, FEB. 26
• General seating
• Doors open at 5 p.m.
• Program at 5:30 p.m.
• Light food and refreshments presented at the conclusion of the event
• Ballroom (375E) McCormick West
• $15 per ticket; ticket required for entry
• Event number: SE1
NEW DENTIST RECEPTION:
Socializing & Networking

New dentists (those who have been in practice for 10 years or less) are invited to enjoy cocktails and conversation with your contemporaries during the Midwinter Meeting at the New Dentist Reception. Food will also be served.

Purchase tickets online at www.cds.org. Tickets may also be purchased on site Thursday morning at McCormick Place West at the Special Events ticket counter in the Registration Area, Level 3, Concourse, subject to availability.

FRIDAY, FEB. 27
- Level 2, 270 restaurant, McCormick Place West
- 5 – 6:30 p.m.
- $15 per ticket advanced registration, $25 on site
- EVENT NUMBER: S65
dinner dance

Join CDS President Dr. Susan Becker Doroshow and her husband, William, in celebrating the Sesquicentennial of the Midwinter Meeting at the President’s Dinner Dance. The Hyatt Regency Chicago will provide a perfect setting for exquisite cuisine, and dancing to the music of the High Society Orchestra. It will be a memorable evening and a fitting conclusion to a landmark Midwinter Meeting.

Purchase tickets online at www.cds.org. Tickets may also be purchased on site Thursday morning at McCormick Place West at the Special Events ticket counter in the Registration Area, Level 3, Concourse, subject to availability.

SATURDAY, FEB. 28
Hyatt Regency Chicago (151 E. Wacker Dr.), Crystal Ballroom, West Tower
Reception: 7-7:30 p.m.
Dinner Seating: 7:30 p.m.
Black Tie Optional
$115 per ticket, tables of 10 available

EVENT NUMBER: SE4
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