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President's Message

Dear Colleagues,

These are exciting times! We are just eight weeks away from our summer meeting. It is exciting that we will have the opportunity to meet, collaborate,



and socialize again in person. Your board has been working hard to plan a meeting that is both informative and entertaining.

The FAP Summer Meeting will be August 13-14 at the Margaritaville Resort in Orlando, Florida. We are fortunate to have Dr. Dennis Tarnow joining us to speak on "Immediate Extraction Socket Management in the Aesthetic Zone and Molars: What We Know, What We Think We Know and What We Don't Know." We also have the return of Emergency Medical Consultants to train us and our teams on sedation emergency response and skill refreshing in our office settings. As we return to live continuing education programs, this is one you do not want to miss. Register before August 11th to avoid late fees and be sure to join us at the welcome reception on Friday, August 13, from 5:00pm to 6:30pm.

The Florida Board of Dentistry has also returned to in person meetings. The most recent meeting of the Florida Board of Dentistry was held on May 21st and our association, along with the Florida Dental Association and others were present for a special rules workshop on the use of lasers by dental hygienists. Dr. Mia Geisinger, Associate Professor from University of Alabama School of Dentistry, spoke on the available literature and research regarding lasers. The Board of Dentistry concluded the workshop requesting quality research and literature on the effectiveness of lasers in conjunction with scaling and root planning prior to further consideration. Thank you to those members who provided their valuable help, information, and attended the board meeting. The association will continue to monitor developments in the rule making process and keep members up-to-date.

We look forward to seeing everyone in Orlando this summer!

Dr. Walter E. Colón, II 2021-2022 President



2021-2022 Important Dates

June 24-27, 2021 Southern Academy of Periodontology (SAP)

Destin, FL

August 13-14, 2021 FAP Summer Meeting

Orlando – Margaritaville Resort

August 13, 2021 Florida Board of Dentistry

Sheraton Orlando North - Maitland

October 11-13, 2021 ADA Meeting – SMILECON™

Las Vegas, NV

Nov. 4–7, 2021 AAP Annual Meeting

Miami Beach Convention Center

November 19, 2021 Florida Board of Dentistry

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February 11-12, 2022 FAP WINTER MEETING

Hilton Orlando

February 18, 2022 Florida Board of Dentistry

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Outstanding Dental Student Awards

Nova Southeastern University

Congratulations to NSU D-3 Student, **Ailyn Avila Portal** recipient of the FAP's 2021 Student Award recognizing her outstanding achievement in didactic periodontology.



(L-R) Dr. Saynur Vardar-Sengal, Chair, NSU Dept. of Periodontology, **Ailyn Avila Portal**, and Dr. John Virag, NSU College of Dental Medicine, Pre-Doctoral Director.

(L-R) Dr. Saynur Vardar-Sengal, Chair, NSU Dept. of Periodontology, **Ailyn Avila Portal**, and Dr. Maria Hernandez, Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs, NSU.

University of Florida

Congratulations to **Catherine (Jenny) King** pictured below with Dr. Ikramuddin Aukhil, Chair, UF Department of Periodontology, presenting her the FAP 2021 Outstanding Student Award.



(L-R): Dr. Wagner Duarte, Perio Graduate Program Director, Dr. Poliana Mendes Duarte Reis, Alline Teles, Dr. Tsuyoshi Tanaka, Perio DMD Program Director, Dr. Ike Aukhil, Chair, **Catherine (Jenny) King**, Dr. Cecil White, Jr., Dr. Karin Schey, and Dr. Luz Oreste.

Both award recipients were also presented a \$200.00 check from the Florida Association of Periodontists.

2022 Membership Dues

Get ahead of the game and save paper too! Pay your 2022 membership dues today at www.floridaperio.org. Dues for 2022 are \$250.00. Yearly membership dues include two meetings per year, February 2022 and August 2022. Up to 10 hours of continuing education for the year and sometimes more, plus at each meeting, welcome reception, lunch and business meeting.

FAP 2021 Summer Meeting

MEETING SCHEDULE:

Friday, August 13, 2021

12:30pm-5:00pm Shaun Fix, President

Airway Management Course

5:00pm-6:30pm FAP Welcome Reception

Saturday, August 14, 2021

7:00am-8:30am Registration/Coffee/Breakfast/Visit Exhibitors

Corporate Forums (if scheduled) 8:00am-9:00am

9:00am-12:30pm Dr. Dennis Tarnow

Immediate Extraction Socket Management in

the Esthetic Zone

10:30am-11:00am Break/Visit Exhibitors

12:30pm-1:30pm FAP Lunch/FAP Business Meeting

1:30pm-4:00pm Dr. Dennis Tarnow

Molars & Interdisciplinary Management of

Aesthetic Problem Cases

Break/Visit Exhibitors 2:30pm-3:00pm

4:00pm-4:30pm Visit Exhibitors.

FAP reserves the right to make schedule changes.

LOCATION:

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COURSE DESCRIPTIONS:

Friday, August 13, 2021

Shaun Fix, President - Emergency Medical Consultants, Inc. 4 CEUs - 12:30pm-5:00pm

Airway Management Course

The course will provide didactic, video, and casebased hands-on skills labs dealing with medical and airway emergencies possible in the dental and sedation settings.

Participants will review, practice, and demonstrate proficiency in managing emergencies including but not limited to respiratory distress and failure, using

bag mask, oral and nasal airways, perilaryngeal devices, as well as intubation and cricothyrotomy. Recognizing and treating emergencies such as cardiac events, stroke, syncope, seizures, allergic reactions and laryngospasm will be reviewed and practiced.

This four hour program meets the Florida Board of Dentistry requirements for sedation permit holders.

Saturday, August 14, 2021

Dr. Dennis Tarnow – 5 CEUs – 9am-4pm

Morning Lecture: Immediate Extraction Socket Management in the Esthetic Zone.

Immediate placements of implants into extraction sockets is an exciting treatment alternative for our patients. However, there are many potential short and particularly long-term risks which the practitioner must be fully aware of. This presentation will focus on the potential problems and benefits both clinically and biologically when the choice of immediate socket placement is made for single and multiple sites. This will be an evidence-based



presentation that will be objective about the best and simplest way to treat these types of cases.

Upon completion of this presentation participants should be able to:

- Identify what type of healing takes place against the implant in immediate socket placement
- Know how to minimize recession with immediate provisionalization
- Know the proper crown contour for immediate provisionals
- Know if the gap distance really matters
- · Know if primary closure should be attempted or should it be left open?

Course Descriptions (cont'd)

- Know if membranes should be utilized?
- Know what type of graft material if any should be utilized?
- Identify what are the potential short and long term risks involved with immediate placement of implants

Afternoon Lecture: Molars and Interdisciplinary Management of Aesthetic Problem Cases

The treatment planning of complex cases requires the highest level of knowledge and skill of the treating team. It is an orchestration of procedures including proper sequencing and timing that makes the difference. An envisionment of the final case before starting is required to know where the goal of treatment will be directed. This, in conjunction with the patient's needs and clinical situation comprise the decision-making process for what is the best treatment for the patient.

Problems facing the team such as:

- Which teeth to save or extract?
- Should implants be placed immediately or in a delayed protocol?
- Should multiple implants be placed in the aesthetic zone?
- When and how to include orthodontics if needed for sight development
- Should pink ceramic be used or should ridge augmentation be performed?
- Should the case be splinted or broken up into separate bridges or individual teeth?
- How to provisionalize the case throughout treatment
- When to immediate load cases versus do a serial extraction case

These concerns will be addressed in this interdisciplinary approach to our most challenging cases.

Thank you to the following speaker sponsors: Salvin Dental Company, Quintessence Publishing, Southern Implants, Straumann Dental Company

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AAP Trustee Report

The Board of Trustees met April 30 and May 1, 2021, in-person in Kohler, Wisconsin and via video conference call. The following is a summary of actions taken by the Board.

Organizational Viability

The Board of Trustees reviewed the 2022 Strategic Plan. Upon review, an amendment was added to Objective 4: Increase awareness of periodontal health. The objective was amended to, "Increase awareness of periodontal health and peri-implant health." Once the objective was amended, the Board of Trustees approved the 2022 Strategic Plan. Highlights of the 2022 Strategic Plan include enhanced digital communication with members, ongoing efforts to influence pre-doctoral periodontal education, the launch of a "think tank" comprised of up-and-coming periodontal scientists, additional outreach activities towards dental hygienists, and amplified engagement between trustees and their districts.

Leadership

Nominees for the 2021 AAP Awards were presented by the Volunteer Qualifications and Awards Committee with the Board selecting recipients by ballot vote. Trustees also selected finalists for the ADEA William J. Gies Award, a nominee for the ADA Norton M. Ross Award for Excellence in Clinical Research, and a nominee for the ADA Gold Medal Award.

The Board approved proposed appointments to the 2021-2022 In-Service Examination Committee. Other appointments included naming AAP Past President Dr. Donald Clem III as the AAP representative to the ADA National Commission on Recognition of Dental Specialties and Certifying Boards, and Dr. Giorgio Di Vincenzo as the replacement to fill the unexpired District 7 Trustee vacancy for the 2021-2022 year.

Two amendments were made to the Nominations and Elections Policy Manual to more clearly address how vacancies in elected positions should be handled. The revision states, "It is preferred, but not required, that Officer Nominating Committee (ONC) members be past officers and/or Trustees of the Academy. No member of the ONC may run for or serve in an officer position, a position on the BOT, a Director of the American Board of Periodontology, or Director of the AAP Foundation while serving on the ONC, except for Trustees who are completing their terms."

The Board addressed the concerns shared by some Open Forum users regarding Board size. The Board agreed that being fiscally responsible with member dues is part of its fiduciary duty; but acknowledged that decreasing the size of the Board would limit the diversity of location and practice modality, and place a stronger burden on a smaller number of volunteers. The Board confirmed that a finely tuned focus, and commitment to advancing AAP priorities, is the most important consideration rather than the size of the deliberating body.

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AAP Trustee Report (cont'd)

Education

The AAP's 107th Annual Meeting will take place in-person in Miami Beach, from November 4-7, 2021.

Education Consultant, Dr. Nico Geurs' contract was approved for a three-year term, and the next CODA Commissioner in periodontics was selected to serve during the 2023-2026 term.

Science

Two decisions were made regarding the next Best Evidence Consensus panel. The topic of "biologic mediators" was approved, and Dr. Brian Mealey was selected as Chairperson of the Best Evidence Consensus on biologic mediators committee. Results of the Best Evidence Consensus will be published in the Journal of Periodontology and Clinical Advances in Periodontics in early 2023.

The Board discussed the concept of referral guidelines, at length, and carefully reviewed the 2006 guidelines from a historical perspective. In addition, the Board considered a draft of new guidelines based on the updated disease classification authored by an ad hoc group of members. The Board concurred that the disease classification provides a driver for referral, but was wary about pursuing a prescriptive set of guidelines that may strain collaborative relationships between general dentists and periodontists. The Board ultimately concluded that the initiatives outlined in the 2021 and 2022 Strategic Plans that aim to integrate the staging and grading concept from the updated disease classification into pre-doctoral education, insurance and third-party reimbursement, dental hygiene and general dentist outreach, and consumer awareness will help drive referral to a periodontal specialist.

Membership

The Board held a robust discussion about the importance of keeping members engaged and ensuring that the Academy is providing the best value to its membership. The Membership Sustainability and Growth Committee was directed to develop a plan outlining membership engagement initiative, in collaboration with staff and outside advisors. The committee will give an update on their progress to the Board of Trustees in August of 2021. The committee was also charged with drafting a new AAP core value that includes verbiage on diversity, equity, and inclusion that will be considered by the Board of Trustees at the August meeting.

Your District III Trustees,

Dr. John Russo (FL), Dr. Mia Geisinger (AL), Dr. Cecil White (FL), Dr. Ben Duval (GA)

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AAP Voting is Open!

The American Academy of Periodontology (AAP) election is in full swing and voting is now open.

By now, you should have received an email or pamphlet from the Academy with directions on how to cast your vote.

It is vitally important that you exercise your right to vote. Let your voices be heard! We always rank amongst the most engaged districts in the AAP with regard to percentage of members voting. Let's keep that trend going!

Please take the time to vote before the end of June. If you have questions about the election and/or a candidate's qualifications, feel free to reach out to one of your AAP representatives. National candidates also have video statements that can be accessed at the following website: https://www.perio.org/members/elections

Your local AAP representatives are:

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Florida Board of Dentistry Discusses Anesthesia and Lasers

Submitted by Casey Stoutamire, Florida Dental Association Director of Third-Party Payer and Professional Affairs

The Florida Board of Dentistry (BOD) met in Orlando on Friday, May 21, at 7:30 a.m. The Florida Dental Association (FDA) was represented by FDA BOD Liaison Dr. **Joe Calderone** and Director of Third-Party Payer and Professional Affairs Casey Stoutamire. Other FDA members also in attendance included Drs. **Dave Boden**, **Andy Brown**, **Walt Colon**, and **Roger Robinson**.

The BOD members present included: Dr. Nick White, chair; Mr. Fabio Andrade (consumer member), vice chair; Drs. Christine Bojaxhi, **Tom McCawley**, **Claudio Miro**, **Jose Mellado**, **Brad Cherry** and **T.J. Tejera**; hygiene members, Ms. Angela Johnson, and Ms. Karyn Hill. There is one consumer position open on the board that the governor has not yet filled.

BOD Executive Director Ms. Jessica Sapp updated the board on legislation affecting the practice of dentistry that passed during the 2021 Legislative Session. She also mentioned that neither the dental therapy legislation nor legislation that would allow the Western Regional Examining Board exam to be accepted for licensure in the state passed this Session.

During the Anesthesia Inspection Report, the anesthesia inspectors requested the Anesthesia Committee look at the amount of epinephrine needed in the dental office. Right now, the rule is an "adequate amount." This objective standard is causing some confusion and leading to different inspectors requiring dentists to have different amounts upon inspection. Dr. Tejera, chair of the Anesthesia Committee, stated he would hold a meeting sometime over the summer to discuss this issue.

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At its November 2020 meeting, the board heard a revised proposal from the Council on Dental Hygiene to allow hygienists to use a laser while performing their remediable tasks, which died on a 4-4 vote. After this vote, the Florida Dental Hygiene Association requested the BOD revisit this rule and hold a workshop on the issue. After its May meeting, the BOD held this rules workshop. After much discussion and testimony, the board adjourned without moving forward with the rule. In addition, the BOD attorney said, on the record, this is not a Federal Trade Commission issue. All BOD members indicated they would revisit the topic if, and when, there is evidence to support the use of lasers by hygienists for bacterial reduction. This also has been the FDA's position since 2017; when weighing the safety of the public (including cost) with the efficacy, the FDA is opposed to the use of lasers by hygienists for this purpose. Thank you to Drs. Calderone and Brown and Mrs. Angie Brown for testifying. They did a fantastic job presenting the FDA's position. Dr. Calderone and Mrs. Brown also gave a historical perspective, as they were both BOD members when this issue first arose. Thank you also to the Florida Association of Periodontists (FAP) and its president, Dr. Walt Colon, and the Florida Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons and its president, Dr. Brett Laggan, for joining with the FDA to oppose this issue.



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Updated Information from the Margaritaville Resort Orlando.

We have increased sanitation stations, installed protective shields at check in and are following the mask guidelines set by the CDC. Vaccinated guests do not have to wear masks around the resort. Employees in the resort will still be mandated to wear masks, while employees outdoors (who show proof of vaccination) do not have to wear a mask.

During this phase, we have adjusted the following operations:

- ✓ Valet/Bellman Services are available and running
- ✓ Resort Shuttle Shuttle Services are from 7am to 11pm daily.
- ✓ Euphoria Restaurant/Bar is open.
- ✓ Provisions Open daily from 7am-9pm
- ✓ Salty Rim Pool Bar is open.
- ✓ Room Service Room service is temporarily suspended.
- ✓ Housekeeping Services Once checked in to a clean and sanitized room, housekeeping will be limited to trash and linen pick up only upon request by calling the front desk.
- ✓ Parakeets Kids Club Closed
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- ✓ Margaritaville Store is open.

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FAP Welcome Reception on

August 13, 5pm-6:30pm in conjunction with the

FAP Summer Meeting.



Covid-19 Incidence Lower Among Dentists Than Other Health Care Workers

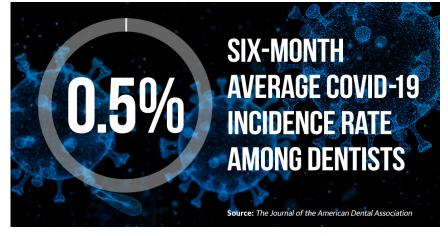
From the ADA News- May 24, 2021

A study reported in the Journal of the American Dental Association, found that dentists had experienced a 2.6% cumulative COVID-19 infection rate as of November 2020, with monthly incidence rates ranging from 0.2% to 1.1% and averaging 0.5% over six months. This infection rate is far below that of other health care workers, such as physicians and nurses, ADA News reports.

The ADA study is a continuation of the first large-scale report of U.S. dentists' COVID-19 infection rates and infection control practices

published in October 2020 by JADA. The results were weighted according to age and location to approximate all U.S. dentists. Of the initial 2,196 respondents, 1,291 participated in the final survey and 785 participated in all six. Fifty-seven dentists total reported ever receiving a COVID-19 diagnosis. The likely source of COVID-19 was identified via contact tracing by a health agency or clinic in 23 of those cases, with the dental practice identified as the likely infection source in two instances.

To read the full article online, visit <u>JADA.ADA.org</u>.



FAP 2021 SUMMER MEETING - REGISTRATION FORM

August 13-14, 2021 • Margaritaville Resort Orlando

Name	Email
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	- EARLY REGISTER FEES -
	I am a member of the FAP. No fee for Dr. Dennis Tarnow Saturday Lecture/Corporate Forum/FAP Business Meeting & Luncheon
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	Non-member periodontists: \$300.00 includes Dr. Dennis Tarnow/Corporate Forum/FAP Business Meeting & Luncheon. Contact the FAP office to join and attend the above for free!
	Referring Dentists: \$200.00 (must attend with an FAP Member) includes Dr. Dennis Tarnow/Corporate Forum/FAP Business Meeting & Luncheon
	Referring Dentist's Name
	YES, I will be attending the FAP Welcome Reception Friday, August 13th, 5:00 p.m.
	YES, I will be attending the Business Meeting Luncheon Saturday, August 14th, 12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m. Only those indicating by checking above will be given a lunch ticket. Please, if you commit to attending lunch, we ask that you do stay for the luncheon and business meeting.
	REGISTER FOR AIRWAY MANAGEMENT COURSE HERE! YES! Register me for the Airway Management Course on Friday, August 13th. Cost per dentist/periodontist: \$475.00 The following dental team members* will be attending at \$225.00 ea. List staff below and designation (i.e. dental assistant):
*Denta	I Team Members are defined as: Dental Assistant, R.D.H., Office Manager, and other support personnel and does not include dentists/periodontists.
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Join me at the upcoming Summer Meeting!

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