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Life is 10% what happens to me and 90% of how I react to it. - Charles Swindoll

MDA 2016 Annual Convention

Reach Out and Touch Your Community

It’s time to start thinking about the MDA Annual Convention. It’s only six months away - June 10-11, 2016 at the Samoset Resort in Rockport, Maine. Take time to enjoy the Samoset this year as next year’s convention will be held in Bar Harbor, June 2-3, 2017.

Pre-Convention:
The MAOMS course with Dr. Mark Lerman (Oral Malignancies and Mimics) will be held on Thursday, June 9. See page 10 for more information.

The CNA Risk Management Seminar will again be held at the Samoset on Thursday, June 9 from 12:30-5:00 pm.

Convention:
The Friday CE with Dr. Harold Crossley (Street Drugs Exposed - What Your Patients and Your Kids ARE NOT Telling You!) is part of both the dentist and hygienist Package Plans. Registration will also be open to all dental team members and guests. You must be 18 years of age or older to attend. There will be no exceptions.

The MAO annual lecture with Dr. Harry Legan will also be held on Friday (For more information see page 5.)

The Saturday CE with Dr. Crossley (Want Clues to Your Patient’s Health: Look at Their Medications) is part of the dentists’ Package Plan only. Registration will also be open to all dental team members and guests.

A Dental Student/New Member Lunch & Learn (Dental Practice Finance 101 - The Road to Practice Ownership and How to Handle Post-Graduate Debt), open to all MDA members, will be held from 12 noon to 1:45 pm on Saturday with Edward Nunes.

Watch for the MDA convention brochure with registration form and the CNA registration to be mailed in early February. It will also be posted on the MDA website - www.medental.org.

Plan ahead now for these very informational seminars.
Dr. Jonathan Shenkin of Augusta was appointed to a 4-year term to the ADPAC board of directors, commencing at the close of the 2015 ADA House of Delegates. ADPAC is responsible for collecting donations from ADA members, and uses these resources to support members of Congress who are strong advocates of dentistry. ADPAC has 17 board members, one from each district of the American Dental Association, as well as representatives from the Academy for General Dentistry, ASDA and several specialty groups. ADPAC is the second largest healthcare PAC in Washington, DC and relies on the generosity of member dentists in maintaining its influential position. Dr. Shenkin is a past President of the Maine Dental Association, and past Vice President of the American Dental Association. He also served on the ADA Council on Communications, which he Chaired from 2012-2013.

Thank You

The Maine Dental Association would like to thank Dr. Jeff Dow and Dr. Jonathan Shenkin for their service to the American Dental Association on behalf of the entire First District. Dr. Jeff Dow recently completed his term as First District Trustee. Dr. Jonathan Shenkin recently completed his term as Vice President of the ADA and currently serves as the ADA Long Term Delegate.

Dr. Jeffrey Dow
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Winter is a big part of living in Maine. Hopefully you have found some pastime, indoors or out, to enjoy during these months. This is also the time of year we focus on kid’s oral health. February 2016 is the 75th year of the National Children’s Dental Health Month program. Started in 1941 as a one-day event in Cleveland, Ohio, this annual initiative has become a nationwide effort sponsored by your ADA. There are free materials available on the ADA website for helping promote the month in your community.

Working in a community health setting, I can attest to multigenerational patterns of good or poor oral health in families. We have all seen habits, expectations, and concern – or lack thereof – for oral health pass from parent to child. As dentists, we serve a very important role of reinforcing good patterns and trying to break bad cycles of disease. Helping a child begin life with healthful practices is a wonderful impact we can have towards promoting health.

Coming up in the next few weeks there will be at least 7 “Give Kids a Smile” events in the state. These events seek to provide education, foster goodwill, and provide free care to those in need. I encourage you to volunteer or support the volunteers of a GKAS event.

Wouldn’t it be great if our association’s “brand” was instantly connected, in the public eye, to events like this that seek to improve our community’s health? Imagine how much easier that would make our public relations campaigns at the statehouse – or how just being a “MDA Dentist” would generate goodwill for your office.

While not all practices and providers are comfortable or setup to seeing young patients, I hope that we can have a unified message to caregivers. The basic standard of care is to recommend the first dentist visit by age one, yet some families are still being given conflicting information by various people in dental offices. I urge you to find the offices, if you don’t already, that accept these youngest patients in your area. Your patients will thank you.

Together we can help break cycles of poor oral health. We can make a difference in our community and help promote warm happy smiles even in the middle of winter.

Cheers!
Timothy Oh, DMD
TOh@caringhandsofmaine.org

Helping Children Through Give Kids A Smile

Be a part of the GKAS movement!

Through the ADA Foundation’s Give Kids A Smile program, launched nationally by the American Dental Association in 2003, more than 5 million underserved children have received free oral health services. These free services are provided by approximately 10,000 dentists annually, along with 30,000 other dental team members.

Each year Give Kids A Smile day is celebrated nationally on the first Friday in February. GKAS events are intended to be touch points for children who do not receive dental care, for whatever reason. The ultimate goal for a GKAS program should be to establish a dental home for these children - in other words, provide continuity of care.

To download posters and for more information go to: http://www.ada.org/en/public-programs/national-childrens-dental-health-month
A recent article in the local newspaper recognized the Monmouth Academy girls’ soccer coach as the Coach of the Year for building a championship team. His formula for success was predicated upon one simple request, just one more; just one more sit-up, just one more jumping jack, just one more sprint drill, just one more......!

Our MDA Charitable Foundation would like to ask you to consider doing just one more prophy, or just one more restoration, or just one more extraction ..... and contribute the proceeds to our own Charitable Foundation. Collectively and quietly, our MDA members have been building a rather substantial Foundation that has been contributing to dental school scholarships, aid to community health facilities, subsidies for clinics offering oral health care for residents and veterans in need, and equipment upgrades at community based dental clinics. We can and will do more but only as we grow our Foundation. So, we’re asking for your help to do one more treatment procedure to benefit our Charitable Foundation.

Incorporated in 2008 we are considered by state law to be a 501(c)(3) charitable corporation duly registered in the state of Maine. To help administer and grow these funds, our MDA leadership wisely created a Charitable Foundation to allow us to grow as a “public benefit” corporation. Currently, our investments are generating approximately $30,000.00 of annual income for philanthropic distribution benefiting dentistry here in Maine.

As always, thanks to all the “trail blazers” like Dr. Alva Appleby who came before us for having the wisdom, foresight, and generosity to position our Foundation where it is today. If you missed the opportunity to donate your voluntary tax deductible contribution as it appears on your annual dues statement, please consider an annual donation.

Contributions can be made year round to: MDA Charitable Foundation
P.O. Box 215
Manchester, ME 04351
**Legislative Snapshot**

We need your help in opposing LD 1514 An Act to Conform Maine Law to the Requirements of the American Dental Association’s Commission on Dental Accreditation.

Maine Legislators spent nearly 2 years debating the dental hygiene therapy law that passed in 2014. The Legislature enacted and Governor LePage signed a law they believed was in the best interest of Maine citizens. Since then, no other states have passed a law authorizing dental therapists.

The accreditation standards for dental therapy outline what the Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) regards as the minimum educational standards necessary to train a dental therapist. States are free to define the curriculum beyond what is required in the CODA standards, and programs are free to teach beyond the standards.

Furthermore, states have the authority to define scope of practice, requirements for supervised clinical practice, and levels of supervision.

LD 1514, eliminates the direct supervision provision in the law authorizing a dental hygiene therapist (DHT) – if the bill passes, a DHT would be allowed to perform irreversible surgical procedures such as drilling, filling and extracting teeth without the on-site supervision of a dentist.

Legislators need to understand – only dentists are qualified to diagnose dental disease. A dentist must actively participate in the patient’s diagnosis and treatment planning, and following any surgical or irreversible procedure performed by a DHT or other member of the dental team, a dentist must examine the patient.

The Maine Legislature’s Joint Standing Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development will hold a public hearing on LD 1514 in the near future.

Please don’t allow important decisions about the practice of dentistry to occur without your input. Your willingness to share your experience will make all the difference. Call or email LCRED Committee Members today and tell them why you oppose LD 1514.

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**MAO Annual Lecture and Meeting at the Samoset**

Greetings fellow members of the Maine Association of Orthodontists.

It’s time to take a break from correcting malocclusions and skeletal disharmony to...learn more about correcting malocclusions and skeletal disharmony. Our annual lecture and meeting will be held at the Samoset on June 10th, 2016.

Our speaker this year will be Harry Legan, DDS. Dr. Legan’s studies have focused on diagnosis and treatment planning, biomechanics, obstructive sleep apnea, orthognathic surgery, biomechanics and distraction osteogenesis. He was a full time academician with the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School, West Virginia University School of Dentistry, and was the founding professor and Chairman of Orthodontics at Vanderbilt University Medical Center. We are very honored to have him join us in Maine.

There will be 6 CE credits offered for the day. Registration is at 8:30 am, and the lecture starts at 9:00 am. The cost is $200 for Orthodontists, and $75 for orthodontic staff who would like to attend the lecture. Lunch is included for doctors only as the M.A.O. annual meeting will be during lunch from 12:00 - 1:30 pm.

Please send checks to “MAO c/o Brian Morin” 325-D Kennedy Memorial Drive, Waterville, ME 04901. We’re looking forward to seeing you all in Rockport!

June 10, 2016 - Samoset Resort, Rockpot, Maine
Registration: 8:30 am – Lecture: 9:00 am
Lunch included for doctors
$200 - Orthodontists  $ 75 - orthodontic staff
The Maine Dental Association will again be hosting a hospitality booth/lounge area on the exhibit floor at Yankee Dental in Boston, January 27 - 31, 2016. The booth will be open most of the hours that the exhibits are open January 28-30.

The booth will provide a place for members and guests to rest and relax, have a beverage, and make connections with old friends or team members during the busy days of walking around the vast Yankee exhibit space. The MDA will also be hosting a reception with light refreshments late Friday afternoon, so save some time to drop by to say hello to MDA President Timothy Oh and other members of the MDA leadership.

The MDA is looking for volunteers to host booth times at Yankee. If you are willing to volunteer to host an hour or two at the MDA booth, please complete and return the form below as soon as possible.

If you would like to be an MDA booth volunteer at the 2016 Yankee Dental Congress, please complete and return the form below as soon as possible.

Mail to:
MDA, PO Box 215, Manchester, ME 04351 or fax to MDA: 207-622-6210

If you have questions please call the MDA Central office.

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I recently had the opportunity to represent Maine at the House of Delegates during the ADA’s convention in Washington DC. Unfortunately, as a state, we only get two votes in the nationals regarding any dental issues. “So does my vote really matter?” Actually, it does. President Hayes secured his place in the White House by just one Electoral vote. So, yes, use your right to vote, because every single one of them counts. Otherwise, you lose your right to complain. I like to complain; therefore I will always be at the polling stations.

What I find most concerning, certainly for the long term growth and advocacy of our profession, is the lack of younger members attending and providing a collective voice to the issues that matter and affect all of us in our daily practice. With so many things that are impacting our profession, from the Mid-Level Provider to positive member benefits where the ADA is looking to lower financing costs of student loans, the majority of the demographic (think ‘cruising towards retirement at The Villages’) that is attending our national meetings are not going to best represent the challenges of practicing dentistry in the current climate.

I understand the struggle to find a balance between staying involved with professional organizations, keeping up with CE’s, running a business, as well as trying to have a life to avoid burn out as a result of the aforementioned responsibilities and obligations. Believe me, it can be hard to justify taking just one day (let alone three) off from production, when you have student loans, and business loans hanging over your head, and it also just happens to be payroll week. Having attended some of these meetings, I too, get frustrated when I feel like there is a lot of “fluff” that wastes my time, if things could be better condensed, meaning less time off work, I’d be more willing to show up to open my mouth about the big issues. However, the only way this is going to happen is if more people (with big mouths) also show up.

As dentists in Maine, we are fortunate to have some very articulate, intelligent and dynamic individuals at the national level of the ADA. Our biggest advocates include Jeffrey D. Dow, DMD (who just completed his term as First District Trustee), and Jonathan Shenkin, DDS, MPH (who just completed his elected position of second Vice President of the ADA), who provide much analysis and sound logic to some very ‘hot button’ issues. I will admit that the ADA is beginning to make strides to do away with the “Good Old Boys Club”, the ADA Executive Director, Kathleen T. O’Loughlin, DMD, MPH points out some of the archaic rules even to join the organization-remember when you needed to collect signatures from ADA dentists to join the organization? I cannot argue with someone who wants to streamline the dissemination and communication of pertinent information to its members. From my time in the Navy, I do however realize that is takes a long time to turn a large ship.

This is my ‘ask’ to the younger generation of dentists and recent graduates; please get involved! If you are not at the table, the people representing you may not convey your message. They will vote yes to holding many and some unnecessary meetings.

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Julia Teitel & Regina Rooney. This course will be conducted on a regional basis throughout the state. The instructor may change but the content will remain the same. |
| September 16, 2016 | Components of Vitality – Stress & Resilience – Nutrition for Oral & Overall Health – How Can You as a Dental Professional Support Your Patients in these Areas (6 credit hours)  
Annie Kay, MS, RDN, LDN, RYT500 [DoubleTree by Hilton, Portland, Maine] |
| September 17, 2016 | Mindfulness for Behavior Change (1.5 credit hours)  
Annie Kay, MS, RDN, LDN, RYT500 [DoubleTree by Hilton, Portland, Maine] |
| September 17, 2016 | Yoga & Dentistry (1.5 credit hours)  
Dr. Sarah Rossignol [DoubleTree by Hilton, Portland, Maine] |
| September 17, 2016 | Herbs Your Patients Could Be Taking and How it Affects the Treatment You Provide (1.5 credit hours)  
Presenter - TBA [DoubleTree by Hilton, Portland, Maine] |
| October 14, 2016 | Dental Sleep Medicine (6 credit hours)  
John Nadeau, SGS Vice President [Togus VA] |
| November 4, 2016 | Profession Ethics & Questions/Problems Facing Dentists as Employers (6 credit hours)  
Christopher Taintor, Esq & Kelly Hoffman, Esq. [Togus VA] |
| December 9, 2016 | Geriatric Oral Health Care (6 credit hours)  
Dr. Leonard Brennan [Togus VA] |
| April 21, 2017 | Diabetes and Oral Health (6 credit hours)  
Dr. John Devlin [Togus VA] |
| June 2, 2017 | The Fire Within: Nutrition and Lifestyle Approaches to Chronic Inflammation (6 credit hours)  
Dr. Tieraona Low Dog [MDA CONVENTION 2017 - Bar Harbor, Maine] |
| June 3, 2017 | The Christensen Bottom Line: the Areas of Dentistry With the Most Change (6 credit hours)  
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Greetings and Happy New Year!

My name is Lindsey Cunningham, and I am a first-year dental student at the University of New England College of Dental Medicine (UNE CDM). My classmate, Rebekah Reed, and I are collaborating with our faculty to establish a mentorship program between UNE CDM students and Maine dentists.

Rebekah and I both started our careers in dentistry as dental assistants, and we have 20 years of combined experience. We know that not all of our classmates share this extensive dental background, so we hope to have as many real life dental experiences as possible while in dental school. We believe that a strong dental mentorship program will help our classmates build a firm career foundation.

We would like to partner with the MDA to establish this mentorship program between Maine dentists and third- and fourth-year UNE CDM students. Students would benefit from having a dentist to ask for advice as well as the chance to build a professional network. Maine dentists would likely enjoy having the opportunity to pass on their knowledge to the next generation. This would also give dentists who are not associated with externship sites the opportunity to interact with UNE students. We think that this type of relationship would encourage UNE CDM students, with a newly established dental network, to stay in Maine and help address the shortage of dental providers in the state upon graduation.

Personally, Rebekah and I chose to move from our homes in Colorado and California and attend the UNE CDM because we knew there was a high need for dentists in Northern New England. We think a lot of our classmates, whether locally raised or "from away," feel the same. Our goal for the mentorship program is to open the doors for communication now so that students know what their options are for the future. In line with our school’s mission, we hope to improve the health of Northern New England!

If this is something that you are interested in please contact Rebecca Carr, Assistant Director of Community-Based Education, at: rcarr@une.edu. We will keep you up to date as this program becomes established!

Thank you and we look forward to meeting many of you in the future!

Lindsey Cunningham
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MDA Mission Statement

The Maine Dental Association exists to:

► improve and maintain the oral and overall health of the people of Maine;
► serve the dentists of Maine, collectively and individually; and
► represent the American Dental Association at the state level.
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Too Many Patients

Vs.

Too Few Dentist Volunteers

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SECOND ANNUAL INTERPROFESSIONAL SYMPOSIUM

**Thursday, January 28**

- Impact of Periodontal Disease  
  133TL  8:00 - 11:00 am  
  Thomas Van Dyke, DDS, PhD  
  _Body on Fire_

**Friday, January 29**

- Forever Young: Taking Care of #1  
  423RL  8:00 - 11:00 am  
  Barbara Steinberg, DDS  
  _Body on Fire_

  The Savage Front Desk: An Entire Team Approach!  
  435RW  9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
  Rhonda Savage, DDS  
  _Body on Fire_

**Saturday, January 30**

- The Body-Mouth Connection: Inflammation 911  
  629SL  9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
  Uche Odiatu, DMD  
  _Body on Fire_

- Some Days You’re the Pigeon, Some Days the Statue  
  630SL  9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
  Dave Weber