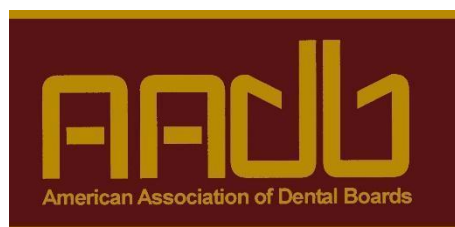


AADB 140th Annual Meeting

**Loews Hollywood Hotel
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Preliminary Program

October 19 - 21, 2023



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About AADB

The American Association of Dental Boards is a national organization that encourages the highest standards of dental education. The AADB promotes higher and uniform standards of qualification for dental practitioners. Membership is composed of boards of dentistry, advanced education boards, present and past members of those boards, board administrators, board attorneys, educators, and oral health stakeholders.

Our Mission

To serve as a resource by providing a national forum for exchange, development, and dissemination of information to assist dental regulatory boards with their responsibility to protect the public.

About AADB's Annual Meeting

The AADB Meeting provides an excellent forum for keeping up-to-date with state board concerns. Programs are designed to allow opportunities for interaction among all participants, including board members, dentists, dental therapists, dental hygienists, dental assistants, educators, board attorneys, public members, investigators and dental specialty associations. Panels and small discussion groups exchange ideas and information. Participants take away valuable information on current issues and all aspects of dental regulation.

Meeting Agenda

Thursday, October 19

Please note the times listed below are in **Pacific Time**

4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	Registration
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	AADB Board of Directors' Dinner <i>By invitation only</i>

Friday, October 20

Please note the times listed below are in **Pacific Time**

6:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Registration
7:15 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.	AADB Board of Directors Meeting – Breakout James A. Sparks, DDS AADB President
8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	New Member Orientation and Certification Course – Breakout TBD
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Program Committee Meeting – Breakout James A. Sparks, DDS AADB President
10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	Investigator Caucus Meeting – Breakout W. Blake Strickland Executive Director Board of Dental Examiners of Alabama <i>This closed session is for AADB member Dental Board Investigators.</i>
10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	AADB Member Hygienist Caucus Meeting – Breakout Laura Richoux, RDH AADB Caucus Chair <i>This closed session is for AADB member hygienists.</i>
11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	Exhibits & Networking Break
11:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Sponsorship Recognition
12:00 p.m. - 12:25 p.m.	AADB President's Opening Remarks Recognition of New Members Recognition of the AADB Board of Directors James A. Sparks, DDS AADB President

12:25 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Interim Executive Director's Welcome & Report Kimber Cobb
12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Compact Update Guy Shampaine
2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Exhibits & Networking Break
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Business Meeting I Treasurer's Report Clifford Feingold, DDS AADB Treasurer AADB Update / Bylaws Chair / Moderator: Dr. Frank Maggio Panel: Dale Chamberlain, DDS, AADB President Elect Arthur Chen-Shu Jee, DMD, AADB Vice President Clifford Feingold, DDS, AADB Treasurer VOTE on Bylaws
5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	2023 Candidate Speeches for positions on the AADB Board of Directors
5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Exhibits & Networking Break
6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.	Presidential Reception <i>Registered attendees are invited to join President James A. Sparks, DDS, the AADB Board of Directors, AADB team, and invited speakers for light hors d'oeuvres and drinks.</i>

Saturday, October 21

Please note the times listed below are in **Pacific Time**

8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Registration
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Regional Caucus Meetings <i>North Caucus – Breakout</i> <i>South Caucus – Breakout</i> <i>East Caucus – Breakout</i> <i>West Caucus – Breakout</i>
9:00 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.	Exhibits & Networking Break
9:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	Business Meeting II Voting for Compact and Officers Moderator: Bobby J. Carmen, DDS, MAGD, AADB Secretary Panel: Arthur Chen-Shu Jee, DMD, AADB Vice President Brian Barnett, AADB Administrator Member Laura Richoux, RDH, AADN Dental Hygiene Member Susan Rogers, AADB Board Attorney Guy Shampaine Bobby White

11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	Caucus Reports North: Frank Maggio, DDS, and Susan Rogers AADB Caucus Co Chair South: Melodie Jones, DMD, AADB Caucus Chair East: Jim Goldsmith, DMD, AADB Caucus Chair West: Ryan Edmonson, AADB Caucus Chair
11:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	AADB Representative Reports CDEL: Barbara Mousel, DDS (NORTH) Donald P. Bennett, DDS (SOUTH) Catherine Watkins, DDS (SOUTH) Maurice Miles, DDS (WEST) CODA: Carolyn Brown, DMD (SOUTH) Maxine Feinberg, DDS (EAST) Burrell Tucker, DDS (WEST) Bruce Kinney, DDS (APPEALS - WEST) JCNDE: Mary A. Starsiak, RN, DDS (NORTH) Julie W. McKee, DMD (SOUTH) Jeetendra Patel, DDS (SOUTH) Mark Zajkowski, DDS, MD (EAST) DANB: Frank A. Maggio, DDS (NORTH)
12:15 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Members' Luncheon AADB Citizen of the Year Award Presentation Frank Maggio, DDS (2022 AADB Citizen of the Year)
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Attorney Round Table Lori Lindley Senior Assistant Attorney General, Oregon Board of Dentistry Susan Rogers AADB Board Attorney Executive Director and General Counsel, Oklahoma State Board of Dentistry Bobby D. White CEO/Legal Counsel, North Carolina State Board of Dental Examiners
2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	AADB State Dental Board Forum: State/Juristictions Board Issues Frank Maggio, DDS AADB Member and Moderator
4:00 p.m.	Adjournment

Biographies as received on 8/02/2023



Donald P. Bennett, DDS, AADB Representative (CDEL)

Dr. Bennett is a 1985 graduate of the Louisiana State University School of Dentistry and has been in private practice for 37 years. He is a continuous tri-partite member of the ADA, LDA, and NODA, as well as the Past President of the New Orleans Dental Association. Dr. Bennett was the 2020 recipient of the New Orleans Dental Association Honor Dentist award, Past General Chairman of the New Orleans Dental Conference, Member of the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry since 2016 and current President. He is the current examiner for CITA and CDCA and member of the CITA Board of Directors and Quality Assurance Committee and a Fellow in the ACD and ICD.



Carolyn Brown, DDS, AADB Representative (CODA)

Dr. Carolyn Brown was appointed by the American Association of Dental Boards to serve as a Commissioner on the Commission on Dental Accreditation for the term 2021-2025. Dr. Brown received her undergraduate degree from Columbia College, Columbia, SC. She is a 1994 graduate of the Medical University of SC (MUSC) James B. Edwards College of Dental Medicine and was recognized with the 2021 Distinguished Alumna Award. Following 22 years of private practice, Dr. Brown is currently a staff dentist in the Dental Service at the Columbia Veterans Affairs Health Care System, Columbia, SC. She is a fellow of the American College of Dentists. Dr. Brown is an alumnus of the ADA Institute for Diversity in Leadership (2016-2017 Class). In 2015, SC Governor Nikki Haley appointed Dr. Brown to the SC Board of Dentistry. As past president and current board member serving under Governor Henry McMaster, Dr. Brown is the recipient of the Exemplary Service Award of the SC State Board of Dentistry. She is a member of the Admissions Committee of the MUSC James B. Edwards College of Dental Medicine. Dr. Brown is a Federal Dental Services member of the American Dental Association and continues to serve in various capacities of organized dentistry.



Dale Chamberlain, DDS, President-Elect

AADB President-Elect, Dr. Dale Chamberlain, DDS, is an oral & maxillofacial surgery specialist in Helena. Dr. Chamberlain has been in private practice in Helena since 2012. He received his DDS degree from Creighton University in 1988. From 1989-2011, Chamberlain had a private practice in Lewistown. While in Lewistown he also set up the dental program and worked two days a month at NEXUS, a methamphetamine treatment center, for five years.

Dr. Chamberlain was awarded the Shampaine-Low Award by the CDCA-WREB-CITA in January.



Maxine Feinberg, DDS, AADB Representative (CODA)

Dr. Feinberg graduated from New York University College of Arts and Sciences in 1977 and NYU's College of Dentistry in 1980. She returned to NYU after her residency in anesthesiology and working as a general dentist and treating patients confined in nursing homes to complete her certificate in Periodontics in 1984.

Dr. Feinberg is a past president of the New Jersey Dental Association and the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry, where she served for 9 years. She has been a delegate in both the ADA and New Jersey Dental Associations House of Delegates. She initiated the New Jersey Give Kids A Smile campaign in 2002 and 2003. She remains active in both her component dental society

and the NJDA.



Melodie Jones, DMD, AADB Caucus Chair (South)

Dr. Melodie Anderson Jones serves as a Board Member on the Board of Dental Examiners of Alabama. She is also a Member of the State Committee on Public Health for the Alabama Department of Public Health and serves as Chair of the Council on Dental Health for the Alabama Department of Public Health.

Dr. Jones is a life member of the American Dental Association, the Alabama Dental Association, and the Second District Dental Society serving as an active member since 1992. She has served as President, President-elect, Secretary-Treasurer, and Program Chair of the Second District Dental Society. She has served as a delegate to the House of Delegates of the Alabama Dental Association and a member of the Board of Trustees of the Alabama Dental Association.

Dr. Jones has served on the Oral Health Coalition of Alabama and the Council on Dental Health of the Alabama Department of Public Health. Dr. Jones has practiced general dentistry for over 30 years providing comprehensive dental care to patients of all ages. Dr. Jones holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Chemistry from Auburn University and a Doctor of Dental Medicine Degree from the University of Alabama School of Dentistry, class of 1992. Dr. Jones is on the Executive Alumni Council of the University of Alabama School of Dentistry Alumni Association and is currently the Secretary-Treasurer of the Alumni Association.

**Frank Maggio, DDS, AADB Member and Moderator**

The AADB Board Member Forum will be facilitated by Frank A. Maggio, DDS. This lively, interactive session will provide the General Assembly an opportunity to discuss regulatory concerns and other important topics encountered by state boards in a spontaneous, free-flowing setting. Participate in the AADB Board Member Forum by asking questions, discussing challenges, and sharing your successful practices and innovations.

**Julie McKee, DMD, AADB Representative (JCND E)**

Dr. McKee received a degree in Biology from the University of Kentucky and received a Dental Degree from the University of Louisville in 1983. She practiced General Dentistry for 10 years in Mount Sterling, Kentucky and worked in state government, focusing on healthcare policy and regulation. Dr. McKee has managed a four-county district health department for 12 years and held the position of State Dental Director since 2007. She was awarded the Presidential Award of the Kentucky Dental Association in the fall of 2020 and the President's Award for Outstanding Merit in Public Health Dentistry, Association of State and Territorial Dental Directors, in April 2022.

**Jeetendra Patel, DDS, AADB Representative (JCND E)**

Dr. Jeetendra Patel received his BS in 1995 from the Louisiana State University-Shreveport (LSU-S) in Biology and his DDS from the LSU School of Dentistry in 2001. He also completed a 1-year hospital-based residency (GPR) at the Veterans Affairs Hospital in Biloxi, MS. In 2019, Dr. Patel was appointed by the Governor of Louisiana, John Bel Edwards, to serve on the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry. In December 2021, Dr. Patel was appointed as a Commissioner to the Joint Commission on National Dental Examinations (JCND E). Besides being on the State Board and JCND E, Dr. Patel has been in private practice since 2003 and currently owns a dental practice in Monroe, Louisiana. Dr. Patel was born in Birmingham, England and lived there for 10 years before moving to the United States in 1982. He has lived in Louisiana for 39 years.

**Laura Richoux, RDH, Dental Hygiene Member**

Laura Richoux is a dental hygienist on the Mississippi Gulf Coast. After graduating from the University of Mississippi Medical Center's Dental Hygiene program, she practiced her first four years in South Louisiana and has spent the last fifteen years practicing in Mississippi. Laura served as the Dental Hygienist at Large on the Mississippi State Board of Dental Examiners for six years and is currently serving as the Dental Hygienist member of the American Association of Dental Boards.

**James A. Sparks, DDS, AADB President**

Dr. James A. Sparks is a dentist in private practice in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. A graduate of Oklahoma University College of Dentistry, class of 1986, where he is and has been part-time faculty in Oral Diagnosis and Radiology ever since, and is currently a Clinical Associate Professor. He was elected to six terms (18 years) on the Oklahoma Board of Dentistry and served as President for 8 years. Currently, Dr. Sparks is serving as President of the American Association of Dental Boards.

**Mary A. Starsiak, RN, DDS, AADB Representative (JCND E)**

Dr. Mary A. Starsiak is a graduate of Loyola University Dental School in 1984. Her undergraduate degree is a BSN, RN from the College of St. Teresa associated with the Mayo Clinic in Rochester Minnesota. She worked as an ICU nurse during dental school plus a few years after and maintains her RN license today. She is the daughter of a general dentist and a sister of an oral surgeon. She has her own private practice of general dentistry since 1984.

She serves on the Joint Commission on National Dental Exams as an AADB representative at this time being a member of AADB. She is a Past President of the Central Regional Testing Agency (CRDTS) and has served on the CRDTS Steering Committee and Officer track leading up to President. She has served as a member of the State of Illinois Board of Dentistry from 2009 and served as its chair from 2012-2014 and 2016-2017. She has served as a Board Examiner for the CDCA-WREB-CITA; and Central Regional Testing Agency (CRDTS)

She is the Regent of the International College of Dentistry District VIII and served as the Program Chair for the Chicago Dental Society Midwinter Meeting 2022. She has served on numerous Boards and Committees including the Illinois State Dental Society; Chicago Dental Society; was a Founding member of the Chicago Dental Society Foundation; The American Dental Association Council of Communication; Odontographic Society of Chicago and President of the Dental Arts Club of Chicago. She has also served on the Resurrection Healthcare Foundation Board along with the Saints Mary and Elizabeth Medical Center Advisory Board.

She is a fellow of the American College of Dentists, the International College of Dentists, the Academy of Dentistry International, the Pierre Fauchard Academy, the Academy of General Dentistry, and the Odontographic Society. She has been awarded the Raffaele Suriano Award in 2014 from the University of Illinois/Loyola Alumni Society for her work with geriatric patients. She was a past dentist/ consultant at Chicagoland Methodist Senior Services since 1994.



Catherine Watkins, DDS, AADB Representative (CDEL)

Dr. Watkins attended the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill where she earned a Master's Degree in Geriatric Dentistry and a PH.D. in Oral Epidemiology.

Dr. Watkins serves as the dentist for the special management patients at dental care. From June 2003 until September 2004, she established the Special Needs Dental Program at Wake Forest University Baptist Hospital Medical Center in Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Dr. Watkins was an assistant professor in the Department of Preventive and Community Dentistry at the College of Dentistry at the University of Iowa from August 1995 to June 2003. For over 20 years her dental practice and training have focused on Geriatric Dentistry. Dr. Watkins has authored numerous research articles related to oral health among older adults. She was recently recognized as a diplomate of the American Board of Special Care Dentistry. She is committed to improving the quality of oral health care for seniors and currently works as an oral health consultant for the Sjogren's Support Group of the Triad.



Mark Zajkowski, DDS, AADB Representative (JCND)

Dr. Mark Zajkowski is an oral & maxillofacial surgeon practicing in South Portland, Maine. He is a graduate of the UCLA School of Dentistry, Harvard Medical School and the Isenberg School of Business at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst. He completed his surgical residency at the Massachusetts General Hospital in 1999.

Mark currently serves as the Chair of the Maine Board of Dental Practice and serves on the board of OMSNIC, the leading malpractice carrier for oral surgeons. He has also served as an examiner, director and President of the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery and President of the Maine Dental Association. He has also remained active in many committees with AAOMS and the Joint Commission.

His clinical interests include dentoalveolar surgery, cleft lip and palate reconstruction, head and neck pathology, outpatient anesthesia, and patient safety.

Registration:

Because of the importance of the issues before the AADB, we wish to engage our membership to the greatest extent possible by waiving the registration fee for all active AADB members who are past or present State Dental Board members, administrators, board attorneys, and board investigators. Please follow this link to [register now](#). If you meet the above criteria and have already paid a meeting registration fee, please contact Stephanie Rojas at stephanie@aadbdentalboards.org so we can process a refund on your behalf.

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Kentucky
Louisiana
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South Carolina
Tennessee
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Virginia
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