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# Clinical Guidelines: FROM THE BENCH

## Know ALL of Your Zirconia Options

*by Robert Marbach, BA, CDT • President, Authentic Dental Lab*

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Cover Photo: Taken by Dr. Christine Meiners while on a recent whale watching tour in Tadoussac, QC, Canada
August 14th GM Meeting at Maggiano’s
Featuring Andrew Hanna, DDS, MD
“Facial Cosmetic Surgery”

Dr. Lavoyer Gies, SADDS President, welcomed all to the meeting. The invocation was done by Dr. David Singleton with an announcement of deaths that included Drs. Jack Martin, O.M. Reed, William Stanley, Vincent Fontana, Joe Whitley and Lawrence Jones. Dr. Gies again welcomed all members, new dentists, residents, non-member dentists, and guests.

He thanked the sponsors: McLerran & Associates, Mass Mutual, Garfield Refining, MSA Architecture, Implant Concierge/Imagdent and 210IT.

Dr. Gies called the business meeting to order at 6:30pm. Dr. Gies asked the SADDS Past Presidents in attendance to stand. Included were Drs. Joshua Austin, James Bone, Warren Branch, Charles Bruchmiller and J. Preston Coleman - Current Recipient of the TDA Gold Medal for Distinguished Service.

He also announced that the night’s meeting was highlighting Oral & Maxillofacial Pathologists, Radiologists and Surgeons and had all in attendance stand.

Motion (1-17) was made by Dr. Potter and seconded by Dr. Edgin to dispense with reading of the June 12, 2018 minutes and accept them as printed in the SADDS Newsletter. Motion was approved.

Announcements were made by the following: Dr. Rich Potter reported on Fantasy Football, Dr. Bart Wilson discussed the upcoming DoSeum and Top Golf Events, Dr. Christine Meiners spoke about the upcoming Smiles of Hope Clinic and asked all members to donate to the event. Dr. Gies then encouraged all who haven’t signed up to the 2018 ADA Meeting in Hawaii and the New Dentist Conference, to sign up. He also announced the February 2, 2019 SADDS Foundation Family Fun Run at LBJ Park.

Dr. Christine Meiners introduced the speaker, Andrew Hanna, DDS, MD speaking on “Facial Cosmetic Surgery”. Dr. Meiners presented Dr. Hanna a Certificate of Appreciation after the presentation.

Dr. Gies reminded members to complete the evaluations and to pick up CE slips then announced the upcoming meetings and events. He drew for door prizes that were donated by MSA Architecture & Interior. The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully Submitted by Dr. Richard Potter, SADDS Secretary/Treasurer
Editor's Message....

Robbie Henwood DDS, PHD, CDE

Peer Review

“...almost all cases involved some failure to communicate”

The experience with the TDA Peer Review Committee was good because instead of just reviewing the chart only concerning the complaint, now we reviewed the entire chart. In both the District and the State cases both the dentists and the complainants were asked to come to an interview. Both sides spoke separately and the committee members consulted afterwards and made their recommendations. It was interesting that almost all cases involved some failure to communicate. The TDA reviews also involved some travel but the scope of practices all over the state was educational. It was surprising to me how similarly our dentists were taught.

Somewhere around this time my office was flooded and after accepting the claim as payable the insurance company decided to not continue paying the claim. It took 4 years and about 20 depositions and 2 arbitrations to settle the claim. Trust me if I had a business card. This felt good also. The attorney paid me and I was able to help him get compensation. This felt good but I was also asked by a couple of the jurors if I had a business card. This felt good also. The attorney paid me and this felt good. So after a while I looked into how to do more consulting. It seemed to me that the experiences from Peer Review and from my own lawsuit that I might learn more, keep current, and get paid.

Clearly I recommend doing some of this work which I believe would benefit most dentists. It may prevent some from straying into areas where they lack the proper training and experience. When you see where things go wrong and how they can escalate it should help you to want to learn more and be better. It has also helped me appreciate the support from my specialist referrals. Sometimes they really do give excellent advice and support.

Respectfully submitted,
Robbie Henwood DDS, PhD
CDE Editor
The nominations timeline is shown below:

Nominating Committee Meeting:
August 21, 2018
Approved by SADDS Board of Directors
September 22, 2018

Mailed to all Members
Included in Sept/Oct 2018 Newsletter
Reading to Membership with request for additional nominations:
- October 9, 2018 GM Meeting
- February 12, 2019 GM Meeting

Elections:
February 12, 2019 GM Meeting

The SADDS Nominating Committee members met on August 21, 2018. The Nominating Committee members are:
Dr. Wendell Edgin, Dr. Victoria Vickers, Dr. Josh Austin, Dr. Christine Meiners, Dr. Richard Potter, Dr. Sarah Tovar and Dr. Bart Wilson. Also Linda Shafer, Executive Director, ex-officio member and Shannon Starr, Events & Programs Manager.

The committee presents the following slate of officers, delegates, and committee members for nomination to the respected positions.

Submitted by:
Wendell Edgin, DDS
Nominating Committee Chairman
We are all on the same quest searching for happiness. Happiness is a very broad term and has many different meanings to all of our colleagues. This quest for happiness is something everyone in our society shares. An enormous amount of money is spent daily telling us the best places to find happiness/fulfillment, i.e., cars, vacations, houses, clothes, food, alcohol, the latest technology, or the latest iPhone (let’s wait on the very last one..)!

Personally, one place I have found happiness is in the act of serving others. Wow, did I really just say that? Yes, I did and it is in fact 100% absolutely true! The more I have become involved with our dental society the more I fully appreciate and understand the great love and care that so many members before me have given to our profession, society, and of course our community.

It never ceases to amaze me how my dental colleagues are always willing to lend a hand whether it is an encouragement dinner, how to cut a prep better, free lit review, etc. I also have become much more aware of the increased needs for service from all of our members.

Over the summer I had the opportunity to join the SADDS board members in a TDA “BEST” Leadership Conference in Austin. Your society had an almost perfect attendance by your board members. It was truly awesome to see so many of my colleagues offering a full day to improve themselves to be better leaders!

In the spirit of leading from the front I encourage all members to join in and ask family and friends to become a part of our first Annual 3 Miles for Texas Smiles Family 5k event on February 2, 2019! Our first planning meeting in early September was a great success! I am in awe of our younger members’ willingness to contribute with such energy, excitement, and passion! The money raised from this event will benefit the SADDS Foundation. Hopefully this first year we will help support a future TMOM in San Antonio.

We are all very excited to continue the SADDS Smiles of Hope Clinic. Thank you to Dr. Meiners for chairing the event to move it forward.

Let’s keep this wonderful year going!

Sample questions by Jake Harriman for consideration in becoming a better leader:

“What happens when you have a team member who begins to develop a sense of entitlements as you commit to taking care of your team and putting their needs first?”

“How do you respond without making your team feel like your commitment to serve them and put their needs first was not just a facade?”

The keynote speaker was Jake Harriman (right), a retired ex-special ops/Marine Veteran and graduate of the US Naval Academy. Ironically, his talk focused on leadership through service to others and how to be a better leader. It was a truly awesome event hosted by your TDA!

From The President
Lavoyger E. Gies, D.D.S.

“What do I get for my dues?”
I have been a member of organized dentistry for my entire 23-year dental career, but only recently have I become more involved in the Advocacy efforts of the TDA and ADA. Yes, I have paid attention to the issues that we as dentists have faced but never really got overly involved. That all changed when I became a TDA House of Delegates member representing the great dentists in our component society, the San Antonio District Dental Society, or SADDS. Being a delegate, you get to see the inner workings of the men and women that are leading Texas organized dentistry. You are an integral part of the formation of policies that TDA adopts that will shape the future of your profession, dentistry, in Texas.

My perspective and respect for our advocacy efforts through DENPAC took another turn in 2017. It was the first time I ever attended a TDA Legislative Day in Austin. I had no idea what to expect as I was driving up to Austin on the Tuesday morning in February, but it turned out to be one of my most amazing days as a dentist. The day was certainly eye opening but was also extremely fulfilling.

To give you a little background, the Texas Legislature is held every two years and 2017 was a very important year. That year the Sunset Commission was convened to make recommendations on how all the state governing boards could continue to operate. Some had called for sweeping changes to the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners.

TDA’s Legislative Day provides you the opportunity to meet with YOUR representatives.

It can be a very long day but where else do you get direct face time with your state representatives about the issues that affect you on a daily basis? See photos below from the 2017 Legislative Day visits.

The Texas Legislature will reconvene in 2019 and our TDA Legislative day is scheduled for Wednesday, February 20th. Put it on your calendar and make the short drive up to Austin – or ride the SADDS bus! You will not regret it!!

On a national level, ADPAC is working very hard for you every day. ADPAC is taking the fight to the “big bad insurance companies”. The day will soon come when the McCarron-Ferguson Act will be no more. ADPAC is lobbying on your behalf to repeal this piece of legislation that gives all the power to insurance companies and none to the small business/private practice owning dentist. With the repeal of this act, you will be able to take back the control of the treatment for your patients and not have insurance companies tell you how to treat YOUR patients.

I encourage you to check out the ADPAC page on the ADA website: www.ada.org/en/advocacy/adpac and the TDA’s DENPAC website: https://www.denpac.org/

You may ask yourself, “How can I make a difference in organized dentistry?” Well, it’s simple; get involved and talk to your leaders on the local level and attend the TDA Legislative Day on February 20, 2019!

By: Richard Potter, DDS
SADDS Sec’y / Treasurer

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**WHAT IS ORGANIZED DENTISTRY DOING FOR YOU? ADVOCACY!**

Sign up for SADDS October 9 GM Meeting with TDA President & staff discussing issues that YOU requested at last February’s GM meeting. Hear about plans for February’s Legislative Day. See details on inside back cover.
The American Dental Association Annual Session is just around the corner. Dr. Jamie Bone and I are excited about our trip to Hawaii. We wanted our members to know that we will be working on your behalf, not just sipping fruity drinks on the beach. Texas is known in ADA terms as the 15th District. We are large enough to have our own component with 27 Delegates and 16 Alternate Delegates. During the meeting, we will attend our own Caucus Meetings, Reference Committee Meetings, and all of the sessions of the House of Delegates.

The structure is very similar to the governance at TDA, but this is our national organization. ADA policies and procedures are debated and created during the Annual Session.

We will also be electing officers which will set the direction of the ADA over the next few years.

Jamie and I have had a couple of opportunities to meet and question the candidates for the President-Elect. There are four highly-qualified candidates for this position. Dr. Rick Asai from Oregon, Dr. Lindsey Robinson from California, Dr. Ronald Lemmo from Ohio, and Dr. Chad Gehani from New York. Official meetings occurred during the TDA Meeting in San Antonio and again in Grapevine, TX at our first Divisional Caucus Meeting. TDA prepared questions for the candidates and they were each given an opportunity to answer the same questions, so we could compare and contrast their opinions and leadership styles.

The questions that TDA posed involved the proposed inclusion of a dental benefit into Medicare Part B, a dues assessment of $58 to fund the “Find a Dentist” campaign, generation of non-dues revenue by a mentoring program that would connect retiring dentists with young dentists to facilitate practice transitions, and creating relevancy to membership in the ADA. There were significant differences in each candidate’s answers! Some ranged from definite opinions for-or-against an issue which, I preferred, over the typical politically correct answer of “referral to a committee for further study”, or “let the House of Delegates decide”. If you are really interested in who will lead our parent organization, please reach out to us and voice your concerns.

Other topics that we expect to discuss in Hawaii are: The Texas delegation plans to submit a Resolution to request the ADA work toward legislation that would require dental benefits for children that become victims of divorce settlements. TDA has been successful in passing this legislation in Texas, and now we hope to make it a national policy.

The ongoing opioid crisis is sure to be a topic of discussion. The ADA has a strong relationship with CVS Pharmacy Stores. They display products with the specific ADA seal of approval, and advertisements for the ADA Find-a-Dentist program. But, they also sell several DIY dental services in the cosmetics section... and so the battle continues.

My goal is to represent Texas dentists and establish policy that will make the ADA a strong, reliable organization. The candidate I vote for will fight to preserve the independent private practice of dentistry.

More to come, Aloha.
It was GREAT EXPECTATIONS time again! The Great Expectations program is a mentoring group whose Vision is “To share life and inspire dental students”. The group started in 2009 by Dr. Rise Martin. Over the years it has grown significantly as can be seen by the many attendees! The group is comprised of many volunteers from staff at the dental school, private practitioners, 2nd and 3rd year dental students and members elect of the SADDS and the Alliance. All of these volunteers come together to welcome, listen to and inspire our new dental students.

This year’s meeting on Aug. 7th began at Two Bro’s BBQ. First year dental students met with volunteer private practice professionals from both general dentistry and specialties. The experiences of these dentists and upper dental student classman were shared over a great meal. We can all remember our first days of school and this activity helped calm some of the fears and replaced them with inspiration.

Dr. Rise’ Martin introduced the new students. Drs. Fred Phillips and Robert Lemke followed. They had all worked together organizing the event.

The private practice volunteer mentors include: Dr. Chris Bates, Dr. Roger Campos, Dr. Megan Robl, Dr. Selina Fuentes, Dr. Kelsey Garza, Dr. Olivia “Libby” Gassman, Dr. Adam Hauser, Dr. Alexandra Forney, Drs. June and Eddie Camacho, Drs. Kelly and Robert Lemke, Dr. Larry Dougherty, Dr. Minda Gray, and Drs. Sarah Percy and James Tovar.

The students were able to hear and meet prominent and active Dentists including Dr. Kay Malone (UT Admissions Advisor), Dr. Lavoyer Gies (SADDS President), Kristen Huriega (Alliance President) and Gloria Morales (Alliance Past President). Of course none of this would ever have occurred if it were not for the spectacular behind the scenes work of SADDS Staff Linda Shafer and Shannon Starr. These ladies not only organized and coordinated the event but also sought out local and national funding!

This was the first of many meetings. The group is looking forward to a bowling party in December. By then there will have been many trials and tribulations for the students to share.
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Registration is Limited - Register Now to Reserve Your Spot!
Are you ready for some Football......?

The 6th annual SADDS Fantasy Football season kicked off with our annual Draft Party at the Lion & Rose Pub on August 27th. With the support of our great sponsors, we have a field of 12 teams vying for the coveted Arm Chair/Dental Chair Quarterback trophy, but more importantly, bragging rights for the next year.

By the luck of the draw, Rookie Owner, Dr. Adam Harkrider, and Team Vantage Bank received the first pick in the draft selecting Le’Veon Bell of the Pittsburgh Steelers. Our other Rookie Owners playing for the first time in the SADDS League are Lindsey Schlepp-McIntosh, Michael Morchat, David Rice, Danielle Larivey, Richard Sanchez, Randy Voigt, and Chris Perry. Our returning veterans include Akshay Thusu, Bart Wilson, Derrick Cantu and yours truly, Rich Potter. Unfortunately, our reigning champion, Dr. Michael Hosking, relocated to Florida and will not be able to defend his title so the trophy is for the taking!!

Once again, our sincerest appreciation goes out to all our sponsors that make the league possible year after year making it a great SADDS Tradition.

Dr. Wendell Edgin & Associates at Alamo Maxillofacial Surgical Associates
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Christine Villarreal with Xite Realty

Stay tuned for the date of our Mid-Season watch party coming later this fall. All are invited to come on out, socialize and watch some football. This is something we are able to host due to the generosity of all our sponsors. We will also be having our Year End Awards Banquet where the Champion is crowned and the last place owner is ridiculed!! Hope to see you at come out and spend time with our sponsors that make this all possible.

Here’s to another Great Football Season!!
Congratulations to SADDS Past President, Dr. Victoria Vickers on her induction into the International College of Dentists (ICD) at the Southwest Dental Conference in Dallas. The award was presented by SADDS Past President, Dr. Rise’ Martin.

Dr. Fred Philips named SADDS Faculty of the Year 2017-2018!

From his students: “Dear Dr. Philips, we were the luckiest group having you as our teacher, mentor, and friend. It is no surprise that the Class of 2018 has elected you to be Faculty of the Year. Thank you dearly for imbibing us with confidence and knowledge. We hope to embody your teachings throughout the rest of our career and lives. Thank you for being the incredible human being you are. Na na na na, na na na na, hey hey hey, Group 4”

SADDS also awarded Dr. Philips the 2018 SADDS Faculty of the Year award.

Gold Medalist: Dr. Kenneth Hargreaves will receive $25,000 and a gold medallion and serve a three-year term on the ADA Council on Scientific Affairs.

Congratulations to Drs. Roger Macias Jr. and Roger Campos on the nomination for 2018 Dentist of the Year and to Drs. Sarah Tovar and Natalee Trevino on their nomination for 2018 New Dentist of the Year!

And, congratulations to Dr. Roger Macias Jr. on being elected to the FDI Education Council!
In his October 2017 inaugural address as President of the ADA, Dr. Joseph P. Crowley called on dentists to “claim their place as a major player in health care, not just in dental health but in overall health as well”. He implored dentists to collaborate outside the profession, with the “entire health care system...to help people live healthier lives. Science and research are connecting these dots.”

In my San Antonio craniofacial pain practice, I’ve worked with primary dentists, periodontists, oral surgeons, as well as neurologists and ear, nose and throat doctors. Realizing that craniofacial problems are primarily structural, developmental and functional, I also work with osteopaths, myofunctional therapists, chiropractors, bodywork specialists, etc. in the course of treatment. The most common causes of misalignment of the cranium and jaws are trauma to the skull through birth or an accident, and developmental problems caused by poor diet and lack of exercise, or a lack of breastfeeding, and functional problems such as a short frenum, which restricts the movement of the tongue. The whole body, including the head, needs to be level, symmetrical and balanced for proper growth and development, and function.

Last year, Terra Schanzenbacher, DC suggested that her patient, CB, be seen by me. He had been living in San Antonio for a short time, was a locally well-known 16 year old basketball player, who appeared to be in superb physical condition at 6’10” tall, but suffered from chronic hip and knee pain, and was prone to frequent compression injuries. His trainer, Chris Poulin, ATC, CSCS, PES, PRT, of the Postural Restoration Institute (PRI) of Lincoln, NB, first consulted with Michael Hoefs, DDS of the Cranial Pain Center of Lincoln, NB, who supported his decision to see me.

Chris wrote to me, “...he is lateraled to his right side and his pelvis is in a pattern of right rotation with compensatory femoral internal rotation. This would not even concern me much if this were all that he had but further evaluation of his bite revealed a posterior crossbite also on his right side. In PRI we recognize a common pattern where this is caused by a rotated sphenoid, maxilla and temporal bone. I’ve seen it a lot in athletes who rotate repetitively one way such as golfers and baseball players. ...he has a very bright future as a basketball player if he can stay healthy which I feel would be jeopardized if he does not correct the crossbite in the right way.” I had been following CB’s career and was delighted to have an opportunity to treat him.

At his first visit in August 2017, a diagnostic CT Scan showed that he was suffering from the most common skull pathology; his sphenoid bone was left-rotated and sidebent, causing the entire body to rotate left of the plumb line.

The first step in his treatment was using a Diagnostic Orthotic to eliminate his crossbites (both sides wisdom teeth and right side canine and first premolar; Figure 1, top row). The crossbites were causing his head to get stuck to the right posteriorly (Figure 1). The Diagnostic Orthotic is a temporary acrylic appliance, based on the Gelb MOR, made by me on a Galetti articulator, to guide the upper and lower jaws into correct alignment. It is removable, worn 24 hours a day, including while eating. He was fitted with this appliance that same afternoon. You can see (Figure 1, bottom row) that he’s already more balanced wearing the appliance. After this mechanic correction, it was easier to analyze his skeletal pattern. I diagnosed him with a lingual tongue tie, and referred him for a frenectomy with Monica Flynn, DDS, which she performed two days later.

**Figure 1.** Top row, initial photos at first day of treatment. The patient had posterior cross bite on the right side, his lower jaw shifted to the right, and his head was rotated back and to the right. Bottom row, photos later in the same day, with only a diagnostic orthotic to restore his jaw position. The orthotic corrected his cross bite and repositioned the lower jaw, and his resulting head posture was neutral.
**Athlete Injury Protection Protocol Continued**

In his panoramic scan (Figure 2, top row), you can see that his jaw was rotated posteriorly and dorsally, resulting in compressed jaw joints. After one week of treatment with the Diagnostic Orthotic, the compression of the jaw joint lessened, and we used a second CT Scan with the Orthotic in place (Figure 2, middle row) to assess his jaw to skull relationship.

**Figure 2. Space in jaw joint with use of appliance. Top row, panoramic scan at initial visit. His jaw was shifted dorsally and posteriorly, and his jaw joint was compressed. Middle row, scan one week later with Diagnostic Orthotic in place. The initial treatment decompressed the jaw joint by moving the jaw anteriorly and ventrally. Bottom row, scan after 5 months of treatment, with the ALF appliance. The alignment of the temporal bones and jaw joint continues to improve, and the eruption of the wisdom teeth is visible.**

As a result of the correction of his jaw to skull relationship with the Diagnostic Orthotic and frenectomy, the volume of his airway increased, his cervical vertebrae were more aligned, his tongue posture improved by resting closer to the roof of the mouth, and his skull was decompressed (Figure 3).

CB wore his Diagnostic Orthotic for four weeks, 24 hours a day. The next stage of treatment utilized ALF (Advanced Light Force) dental appliances to gradually expand and level the arches, encourage the tongue to maintain a proper position in roof of mouth, and help teeth to erupt to support a new bite (Figure 4, www.alftherapy.com).

He received his upper and lower ALFs after one month of treatment, and returned afterwards every eight weeks for adjustments on his appliances. Both arches were expanded about one millimeter at each adjustment visit.

Usually the lower ALF Appliance was resurfaced with new acrylic to account for the wearing down of the acrylic and slight movement to the right of the jaw and shifting of the cranial bones (Figure 4 - next page). At every visit, movement to the right was less and less as his body was normalizing.

After four months of treatment, his second molars were relieved of occlusal acrylic to allow them and his wisdom teeth to passively erupt to their normal position. They had been depressed due to his low tongue posture. At his most recent visit, after one year of treatment, he received his next set of ALF Appliances to continue the expansion of his arches and eruption of his first molars.

**Figure 3. Below, CT Scan at initial visit, showing his original airway volume and posture. Right, CT Scan one week later with Diagnostic Orthotic appliance in place and after frenectomy. The resulting improvement in the jaw to skull relationship increased his airway volume (red to blue), straightened his cervical vertebrae, decompressed his skull, and raised his tongue posture.**
At every visit to my office, his head and neck muscles were treated with Apollo cold laser and micro current acupuncture (ETPS) to release muscles and encourage his parasympathetic nervous system.

I always keep in mind that the human body is complex, and all of the parts are connected and they all affect structure and function. My focus is on correcting the asymmetrical skull and jaw relationship, which affects the rest of the body. This article explores one possible way to improve the total body function. Bowspring Alignment Therapy is an excellent auxiliary complementary therapy that our athletes are utilizing to decompress and align their bodies to improve function.

In CB’s case, his structure is improving as is the function (Figure 5 - see next page). He has been injury free since August 2017, and has been able to do certain special strength exercises, which previously were impossible, according to his coach Greg Renfeld. The goal of the treatment is to align the bones as correctly as possible, to move the teeth to their correct position and angled correctly, and to replace any poor habits (mouth breathing) with correct habits (nasal breathing).

CB’s current treatment team includes: Terra Schanzenbacher, DC, Victoria Chang, DO (osteopathy), Monica Flynn, DDS (frenectomy), Michale Chatham, RN, OMT, LMT (myofunctional therapy), Alton “Rusty” Nail, LMT (bodywork), Brandi Lindsey DDS (restorative dentistry, prophylaxis & frenectomy), Greg Rehfeld (strength coach), Joaquin Van Arch & Hennssy Auriantal (basketball coaches), and Amanda Cepeda & Joey Lingard (Bowspring Alignment Therapy).
Figure 5.

A. *Standing posture at initial visit shows his neck and shoulders tipped to the right.*

B. *Posture on same day, while wearing Diagnostic Orthotic, shows a more relaxed and vertical alignment of his head, shoulders and hips.*

C. *After 4 months of treatment, his structure is stabilizing and he remains vertically aligned.*

D. *After 8 months of treatment, his position is stable and he has increased in muscle mass.*

I applaud Dr. Crowley for calling on dentists to take their rightful place as key diagnosticians and providers of care in the total health of the human body!

Risto Hurme, D.D.S.

October 9 General Membership Meeting

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SUGGESTIONS FOR ANALYSIS OF A FEW BOARD RULES
By Edward P. “Joe” Waller, Jr.

Almost any Board rule or statute may form a basis for the Board to open or proceed in an investigation. Over the years, I have found that the language and/or interpretation of some of the rules can be helpful in the defense of a Board matter.

I. One of the rules which every dentist should be aware of is §108.6 Report of Patient Death or Injury Requiring Hospitalization. This rule places an affirmative responsibility on the dentist to report certain events to the Board. The rule reads as follows:

A dentist must submit a written report to the SBDE as provided below:

1) The death of a dental patient which may have occurred as a consequence of the receipt of dental services from the reporting dentist must be reported within 72 hours of the death, or such time as the dentist becomes aware or reasonably should have become aware of the death;

2) The hospitalization of a dental patient, as a possible consequence of receiving dental services from the reporting dentist, must be reported within 30 days of the hospitalization or such time as the dentist becomes aware of or reasonably should have become aware of the hospitalization. For purposes of this section, “hospitalization” shall be defined as an examination at a hospital or emergency medical facility that results in in-patient admission for the purpose(s) of treatment and/or monitoring. In essence, if the patient’s hospitalization has not met the definition in the rule, it may very well not be a reportable event.

II. §108.13 Practice of Dentistry on Certain Children provides for the presumptive right of the parent or guardian of a child under 18 years old to be present in the operatory during treatment. The rule in its entirety reads as follows:

a) The parent or guardian of a child younger than 18 years of age may be present in the treatment room during the child’s dental treatment or procedure, unless the dentist determines in the dentist’s professional judgment that the presence of the parent or guardian in the treatment room is likely to have an adverse effect on the treatment of the child. Then decision to exclude the parent or guardian must be documented in the patient’s record.

b) In this section, “parent or guardian” includes a person authorized by law to consent for the medical or dental treatment of a child younger than 18 years of age.

Analysis

As noted, the rule provides a presumptive right of a parent or guardian of a child younger than 18 to be present in the treatment room during the child’s treatment, unless the dentist determines that the presence of the parent or guardian is likely to have an adverse effect on the treatment of the child. The decision must be documented in the
patient’s record if a parent or guardian is to be excluded from the treatment room. The rule merely provides that the dentist document the decision to exclude the parent or guardian from the treatment room “due to the fact that the presence likely will have an adverse effect on the treatment of the child”. The specific reason for the exclusion is not mandated by the rule.

The second portion of the rule relates to the legal definition of a parent or guardian, since the individuals whom the rule addresses is presumed to have a presumptive right to be present during treatment. Furthermore, as a reminder, an individual under 18 years of age is legally incapable of providing consent for any medical or dental treatment, with the exception of some isolated circumstances. If the patient is 18 years old at the time of treatment, the rule, of course, does not apply.

III.
§ 108.72 Dental Custodian of Records. For those dentists who have previously been employed by another dentist or dental clinic, and after leaving employment, have encountered difficulty in obtaining a patient record, the following rule will be helpful.

a) An owner, shareholder, partner, or executive officer of a clinic or other entity that provides dental services for the public shall designate a licensed Texas dentist as the dental custodian of records. The dental custodian of records shall provide records to the Board, a dentist who has provided dental treatment, and patients in accordance with Texas Occupations Code §§258.0511, 253.109, 261.005, 263.008 and §108.8 of this chapter (relating to Records of the Dentist), and other law regulating dental patient records.

b) A dental custodian of records shall furnish copies of dental records on demand by the office, agents, or employees of the State Board of Dental Examiners. The patient’s privilege against disclosure does not apply to the Board in a disciplinary investigation or proceeding under the Dental Practice Act.

2) A dental custodian of records shall make dental records available for inspection and reproduction within 15 days of the written request.

3) The right of access shall be maintained regardless of employment status.

4) The requirement to provide access to records shall not be modified or waived by agreement.

D) A dental custodian of records shall furnish copies of dental records to a patient who requests his or her dental records pursuant to §108.8(g) of this chapter.

Analysis

Many dental offices and clinics will attempt to contractually modify ownership and accessibility to patient records after an associate dentist leaves that employment. This rule provides that a dentist who has provided treatment to a patient, and subsequent to a written request for the dental records shall have unbridled access to those records. As noted, the dental records in question will need to be made available to the requesting dentist for inspection and reproduction within 15 days of the written request. The rule further notes that the right of access shall be maintained regardless of employment status and may not be modified or waived by agreement. The rule further mandates that the dental custodian of records shall furnish copies of dental records to any patient who requests their records from that entity.

Whereas this article merely addresses three rules of the more than 300 pages of rules, statutes, and documents published by the Board, there are many others that lend themselves to similar analysis. As with many of the other rules promulgated by the Board, the review and understanding of these mandates can often prove challenging.

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Purpose of the Alliance to the San Antonio District Dental Society
- Promote dental health education in the community
- Assist underserved children and adults in obtaining good dental care
- Provide fellowship and support for families of dental professionals

Download Miss Smile Scholarship Application from SADDS website:
We’re looking forward to seeing friends both old and new at our fall kick-off meeting. Please join us on Tuesday, October 2, 11:00 am at Club Giraud - plans include a speaker, lunch, and - back by popular demand - door prizes! Our Telephone Committee will be reaching out in mid-September to invite Alliance members to this meeting.

Dental Health and Welfare Committee is happy to announce that we will be receiving Dental Health Award funds from the Alliance to the TDA. This much-needed money will be used to:

- purchase oral health educational materials for Title I schools (those with high percentages of children from low-income families)
- repair and improve our puppet show stage and equipment
- update our materials for tobacco-cessation programs

We will continue to partner with MetroHealth and their ‘Miles of Smiles’ program as well as to seek other opportunities to teach children about the importance of healthy habits! A big ‘thank you’ to Committee Chairman Denise Bruchmiller for her hard work.

Great Expectations is a mentoring program at the School of Dentistry that matches each new freshman class of dental students with local dentists. Once again the Alliance invited spouses (and babies!) of first-year students to the launch party at Two Bros. BBQ. In addition to food, fun, and fellowship, this was a great opportunity to share our mission of service to others. Thank you Gloria Morales, America Gies, Denise Bruchmiller, Mary Linda Balderas, and Kristen Huriega for making everyone feel so welcome!

The 8th Annual Smiles of Hope Clinic is scheduled for Oct. 12-13 at the San Antonio Christian Dental Clinic. Volunteer dentists and hygienists provide charitable care to low-income and homeless patients who would otherwise go without care. The Alliance supports the volunteers by providing breakfast and lunch each day. President Kristen Huriega is spearheading this effort; if you would like to help please contact her at 210-573-6240.

If you are not currently active in our local San Antonio Alliance but would like to get to know us, please join us at one of our fun and informative lunch meetings!

Contact Membership Chairman Karen Cox at karencox79@gmail.com for more information.

Upcoming lunch meetings:

- Oct. 2 - Club Giraud
- Dec. 4 - San Antonio Country Club
- Feb. 5 - Barn Door
- Apr. 2 - Paloma Blanca

Dental student spouses had a chance to meet Alliance members at Two Bros BBQ

America Gies (left), Mary Linda Balderas (right) and Denise Bruchmiller (below) make some new friends at the Great Expectations Kick-off Party
O.M. Reed, DDS
November 17, 1920 - July 29, 2018

On Sunday, July 29, 2018, San Antonio lost one of its members of the "Greatest Generation," Dr. O.M. Reed. Born in Belfield, North Dakota on November 17, 1920, he was the only child of Edna Kane Reed and George Allison Reed. He will be deeply missed.

Dr. Reed was a man of many talents. He was a musician, playing trumpet. He was a dentist, licensed to practice in California and Texas, maintaining a private practice in San Antonio for 50 years. He was a scientist working with the Southwest Foundation for Biomedical Research as a research specialist and was responsible for devising a method by which the age of baboons, being brought to this country from the wilds of Africa, could be determined, and he was an educator, who recognized that perpetuating his beloved profession was critical, serving as an associate professor at the University of Texas Health Science Center in the Senior Dental Clinic.

But those of us who knew and loved him would tell you that O.M. was probably proudest of the role he played, along with thousands of his generation, to assure the freedom we enjoy in this country today. As a young second lieutenant in the U.S. Army Air Corps, Dr. Reed flew 35 missions over Germany, France and Czechoslovakia. Not one to ever refer to himself as hero, he was cited for his heroic efforts during WW II being awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with 4 Oak Leaf Clusters.

It was during his time in the service, while training in San Antonio, that he, through a blind date, met the love of his life, Evelyn Campbell of San Antonio formerly of Oakwood, Texas. They were married on June 26, 1945 in the Little Church of the Flowers located on the grounds of the Forest Lawn Memorial Cemetery in Los Angeles, California. The Reeds were stationed in Tucson, Arizona when the war ended, and returned to San Francisco, California where Dr. Reed completed dental school at UC San Francisco, having started his studies there prior to entering the service and after matriculating with a bachelor’s degree from UC Berkeley. Evelyn worked as a model and in a bank to help support O.M.’s efforts in school and later he returned the favor when Evelyn returned to school at St. Mary's University in San Antonio, completing both a bachelor’s and master’s degree, to become a public-school educator. A profession she practiced for the next 25+ years. They just celebrated their 73rd Anniversary this past June. Dr. Reed is survived by his beloved Evelyn, his son Mark Allison Reed, his grandson, Douglas Scott Reed and many dear friends. We will miss him beyond words. Visitation was on Wednesday, August 8, 2018 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at Porter Loring on McCullough, interment in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

Col. Jack Sidney Trawick, DDS
November 12, 1937 - September 6, 2018

Born November 12, 1937 in Seminole, OK to the local dentist Dr. James Steen Trawick and his wife Edna Hood Trawick, Sid would not immediately presume this was a direction he too would take. Jack Sidney Trawick adopted his middle name “Sid” in the first grade to distinguish himself from seven other boys named Jack. Graduating from high school in Seminole, he attended Oklahoma University and Oklahoma Baptist University before entering the University of Texas Health Science Center in the Senior Dental Clinic.

During his junior year of dental school, he married Priscilla Waters. Following his graduation in 1962 the Trawicks embarked on a fabulous life of adventure in the US Army Dental Corps. Their first duty assignment in Gelnhausen, Germany demonstrated how amazing life could be meeting new people and learning about new cultures. Sid’s thirty-year military career moved from Germany to Fort Sam Houston; Fort Hood; Vietnam; Kansas City; Fort Riley; Vicenza, Italy; Fort Sill; Fort Sam Houston; Frankfurt, Germany and returning to Fort Sam Houston where he retired in 1992.

Part of the enjoyment within military service were the opportunities to gain more knowledge and expertise. Sid completed two residencies in General Dentistry and Pediatric Dentistry as well as Command and General Staff College. Daily work never got boring as he transitioned from student to clinician to teacher, staff officer and commander. Each day brought a new challenge to feed his enthusiastic spirit. Always involved in volunteerism, Sid was active with all types of school projects and Boy Scouts of America as the family moved three children from post to post. If a road trip was involved he sang out funky songs like “Rabbit Ain’t Got No Tail at All.” That volunteer spirit continued the rest of his life. Thinking of himself as a Soldier first, Sid served on the board of Alamo Chapter of Association of the United States Army for many years following retirement to include a tenure as president. He thoroughly enjoyed working on the host committee for the Army All-American Bowl to help the young players, band members and their families. His greatest passion became organizing and escorting Wounded Warriors’ hunting/fishing trips for our BAMC population following September 2001.

Local service projects that kept him happily involved were his Alamo Heights Rotary Club endeavors and Meals on Wheels. Helping his neighbors on a daily basis was a part of how he lived his life. Born in a very small town of Oklahoma, Sid went on through work and travel to experience seven continents in the world he loved. He is survived by his wife Pris; his sister Nancy Shields; mother-in-law Jeanne Waters; son David and wife Debbie; daughter Melissa and husband Shawn; son Jim; grandchildren Jas Broome, Nicole Trawick, Alex Daley and Camille Trawick.

Contributions to Boy Scouts of America or military support groups are welcomed. The Memorial Service was on September 20th at Porter Loring Mortuary North Chapel with gravesite to follow at Fort Sam National Cemetery.
In Memoriam

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UPCOMING MEETINGS

SADDSS
Tuesday, October 9, 2018
October GM Meeting
TDA President
@ Maggiano’s

Tuesday, November 13, 2018
New Member Social

Thursday, December 13, 2018
Holiday GM Meeting
@ The Plaza Club

Tuesday, January 8, 2019
BOD Meeting

Saturday, February 2, 2019
SADDSS Fun Run 5K / Walk
@ LBJ Park

ALLIANCE
December 4, 2018
San Antonio Country Club

February 5, 2019
Barn Door

April 2, 2019
Paloma Blanca

Social Time 10:30 a.m.
Business Mtg 11:00 a.m.

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San Antonio District Dental Society
October General Membership Meeting

Tuesday, October 9, 2018  Location: Maggiano’s at the Rim
5:30 pm - 8:30 pm Social, Sponsor Exhibits, Dinner, & Program

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GM Meeting
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General Dentists

William H. Gerlach, DDS
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PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

• Insurance Companies - Denials, Prompt Payments, Credit Card payments, Shrinking Reimbursements and more
• Legislative Activities during the 86th Legislative Session
• Future Steps to be taken by Organized Dentistry at the upcoming Governmental Sessions
• The Importance of Key Contact Dentist’s Building Relationships with their Legislators
• How Dentist’s Contributions to DENPAC & ADPAC Benefits Organized Dentistry with our Elected Officials
• TDA State of Operation
• At-Home Dental Treatments

Don’t miss this opportunity to be informed & participate.

Time will be reserved to respond to your questions and remarks.
SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday, February 2, 2019
Lady Bird Johnson Park
5K Family Fun Run / Walk