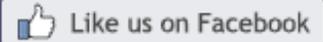




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Members in the News

Some AADH members have been busy offering CE courses via webinars and online, attesting to their commitment to the advancement of the profession.

Read more about all these members and their accomplishments [here](#).

New Members

Welcome to new members **Valoree Althoff, Kim Attanasi, Kimberly Erdman, Dorothy Ferreira, and Joy Void-Holmes.**

Read more about them [here](#).

Upcoming National Dental Hygiene Events

[ADHA 2019 Annual Conference](#)

"It is the long history of humankind (and animal kind, too) that those who learned to collaborate and improvise most effectively have prevailed."



Fall has arrived and not a moment too soon. Our last newsletter shared news of the annual business meeting and the installation of new officers. As this quote by Charles Darwin so succinctly illustrates, we look forward to seeing the results of the combined talents and hard work of the Academy's newest leaders.

Message From President Winnie Furnari

Let's Focus on Leadership

Greetings to everyone reading this message. A focus of one of the Academy's missions is to foster professional growth through leadership. The members of the Academy are established leaders and each day we continue to exhibit all the qualities that make a good leader. Google any of our members and you will see accomplishments that make our profession shine. Leaders know that our values and actions reflect upon our profession, our organizations and, of course, ourselves. We set the tone for others to emulate. We lead by example. We lead with respect, communication and the strength to make decisions that affect others.



Being a leader does not mean solving other people's problems. It is about steering ourselves and others with a sensitivity that addresses beliefs, cultures and preferences.

We must celebrate our leader reputation by continuing to possess, address and put into action those time-honored virtues of a leader. Hayden & Jenkins publish them as: Humility, Honesty, Courage,



June 21-23, 2019
Louisville, KY

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2019 RDH Under One Roof

July 31-August 3, 2019
Gaylord Texan Resort & Convention Center
Grapevine, TX

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AADH Annual Meeting
Tuesday, July 30, 2019
RDH Under One Roof
RSVP at info@aadh.org

Upcoming International Dental Hygiene Event

International Federation of Dental Hygienists (IFDH) Triennial Meeting



LEAD 2019
LEADERSHIP EMPOWERMENT ADVANCES DIVERSITY
Brisbane, Australia. 15-17 August 2019

August 15-17, 2019
Brisbane, Australia

Perseverance, Hope, Charity, Balance, Wisdom, and Justice.

The members who compose our Governing Council and committees are committed to the Academy's mission and have all taken on the responsibilities with a willingness to continue our successful organization. I thank all of you for this commitment and your efforts. I am so honored to serve you as president and hope to gather the experience to be effective and accomplish our goals. Thank you for the opportunity. We have had our first Governing Council meeting reflecting on the business work of the Academy and I will share our actions with members soon.

As we buckle down for weather changes across our country, we should pause to reflect on any changes we can make for the Academy to continue to lead and flourish and change with the high quality of our members and ask others to join us in continuing to change as the seasons to move forward. My wish for all is health, happiness, prosperity and leadership in the New Year.

Winnie

Winnie Furnari, MS, RDH, FAADH, FAFS, FADE

Esther Wilkins Biography Published

The Esther M. Wilkins Story, As Told by Her Friends, an Authorized Biography, about our beloved leader, was published in July by Walters Kluwer. Some of our members contributed to it. The book includes quotes from **Nancy Barnes, Marilyn Cortell, Ann-Marie De Palma, Winnie Furnari, Anne Guignon, Olga Ibsen, Mary Kellerman, Karen Raposa, and Joyce Turcotte.**

Read more about the book, or order it, on the [Walters Kluwer](#) website.

The International Federation of Dental Hygienists 2019 Meeting

The **International Federation of Dental Hygienists** holds their triennial **International Symposium on Dental Hygiene** in different parts of the world. The upcoming 21st meeting will take place in Brisbane, Australia on August 15-17, 2019. The Dental Hygienists Association of Australia will host the

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AADH Leadership

See photos and read bios of AADH Executive Board and Governing Council members.

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For a summary of AADH leaders, [click here.](#)

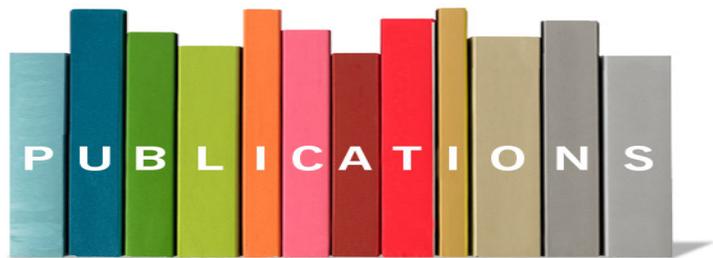
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event. They chose as their theme, **LEAD**, an acronym for Leadership, Empowerment, Advances, and Diversity. The AADH has been certifying IFDH continuing education courses for many years.

Find more information, you can visit the [IFDH](#) and the [ISDH](#) ebsites. Nancy Barnes, RDH, BA, an AADH co-founder and current GC member, generously offered to answer any questions via email at pbarfam@aol.com.

Times Features Peer-Reviewed Author Members



Call for Citations

In order to celebrate our members' accomplishments, we feature citations of their published peer-reviewed articles.

This is an ongoing feature, so, if you have written an article that has appeared in a peer-reviewed publication, regardless of the date, please send the citation and the abstract in Word format to: dmrhd@aol.com

From your Editor:



Welcome to the newsletter of the American Academy of Dental Hygiene. My name is Diana and I am the new editor of the newsletter. I'll be taking over for Toni Adams, who has done a great job over the years. I have some experience with communications and am looking forward to sharing information with you regarding not just members' contributions and accomplishments, but anything regarding dental hygiene, dentistry, dental education and systemic health which I believe you may find interesting.

I am a full-time faculty in the dental hygiene unit at Eugenio Maria de Hostos Community College, in the Bronx, NYC. Prior to this adventure, I was a dental hygienist working in private practice.

Please email me anytime if you'd like to submit original content or news which you'd like to share with the Academy. Please also be sure to share any peer-reviewed publications which

you have authored. My email is dmrhd@aol.com.

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