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AADH Leadership

See photos and read bios of AADH Executive Board & Governing Council [Click here.](#)

New Members

Welcome to new members: Amanda Hill, RDH, BSDH; Layla Christensen, RDH, BSDH; Julie Martin, RDH, MS, MPH; Jaclyn Klepadlo, RDH, BSDH; Lynette Weber, RDH, MS

Upcoming National Dental Hygiene Events

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Message From President Winnie Furnari

Believe it or not this will be my final president's message in our AADH Times Newsletter. It has been a most rewarding 2 years because I have been fortunate to work with the most educated, dedicated and supportive group any organization can only hope for. I thank everyone for the privilege.

The pandemic has pushed us into the strangest circumstances we've ever seen. So many people have been affected by it

and I send heartfelt concern for your losses and fears. But I know our members have that patience and fortitude to ride out even the worst of circumstances. I acknowledge our support for all the front line workers and scientists throughout the world, those behind the scenes, those who have donated supplies and money and those at the sewing machines making masks and all the other people working in the effort to treat, prevent and teach us to be safe.

The theme I had planned for this message is Fellowship a term we use in our motto which explains us as a friendly association with people who share interests. One of those interests is the viability to maintain this group as a recognized entity which approves continuing education courses at the highest standards for dental hygienists to not only maintain their licenses but to enhance and further their knowledge of dental



RDH UOR Rescheduled for October in Denver



5th Global Dental Hygiene Research Conference

**RESCHEDULED September
23-25, 2021, Bethesda, MD**



**August 10-13, 2022
Dublin, Ireland**

Welcome

Welcome to our new AADH
Approved CE Providers:

Thomas Viola Enterprises

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Howard Notgarnie

Lynette Weber

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hygiene and all that entails. We are those who maintain standards above what is required of us.

One way to continue our mission and adhere to our motto is in leadership. There are books and tutorials out there to "teach" one to be a leader, yet I ascribe to the additional way by being a role model and mentor as a way of learning leadership. We have excellent leaders in this organization and I step aside knowing in this transition, I leave this leadership to extraordinary hands to guide us in maintaining, in changing and in bringing our profession ever higher. There are opportunities to join the Academy's Leadership as an officer or to contribute to a committee. Just let us know.

I am pleased to welcome all our new members, our new providers these past 2 years and respect the existing members for their choice to retain membership year after year. We are hoping to Zoom Meeting our annual meeting in July. This should allow for more available members to be present and participate.

Good health, happiness and prosperity to you all and to our Academy. Thank you.

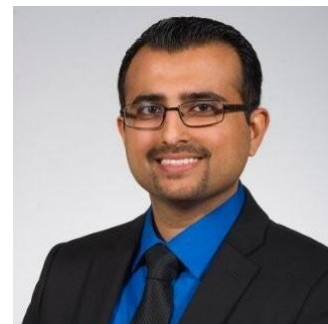
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Winnie Furnari, MS, RDH, FAADH, FAAFS, FADE

Congratulations to Faizan Kabani, BSDH, PhD, MHA, MBA, FAADH

for being selected as the
2020 Phillips/Heart to
Hands Award for
transforming the lives of
patients, dental hygiene
clinicians, and educators.

Faizan was selected for his work with special needs patients, *"the notion of caring for people with disabilities is an integral part of my philosophy."*



Congratulations to the Dental Hygiene Graduates of 2020

The 2020 Dental Hygiene Graduates were certainly dealt a poker hand that NO ONE wants to play! Some will graduate and are unable to complete board exams, while others need to return to campus in Summer or Fall to complete clinical requirements. All while worrying what the new job market will look like and if they can find employment. It is certainly not the entry into our profession they expected! Remember your excitement at your graduation and then imaging taking all that away. Be kind to these new professionals; welcome them with open arms; offer to mentor them; show them why you love this profession. And remember--they all learned the new perio classifications, so they can teach us a thing or two!

10 Things to do when You aren't working

- 1) Take care care of your health: meditate & exercise
- 2) Keep a schedule.
- 3) Brush up on a skill you haven't used in a while.
- 4) Learn a new skill.
- 5) Figure out your finances.
- 6) Treat Yourself!
- 7) Read *everything*.
- 8) Get organized, clean your house, & see what you can sell.
- 9) Do what you love (but not all the time).
- 10) Get some perspective & volunteer.

Research Roundup

Aerosols & Dental Splatter

Oral Health Care Team's Role in Identification of Type 2 Diabetes

Risks & Complications of Oral Piercings

Effects of NSPT on Cardiac Function in Patients with Diabetes



From your Editor:



I am starting to consider myself a semi-expert at editing a pdf in Adobe. I love the challenge of changing things in the newsletter for each quarter. It's even better when members have contributions; so please--keep them coming!

Please email me anytime if you'd like to submit original content or news which you'd like to share with the Academy. My email is erdmanrdh@yahoo.com

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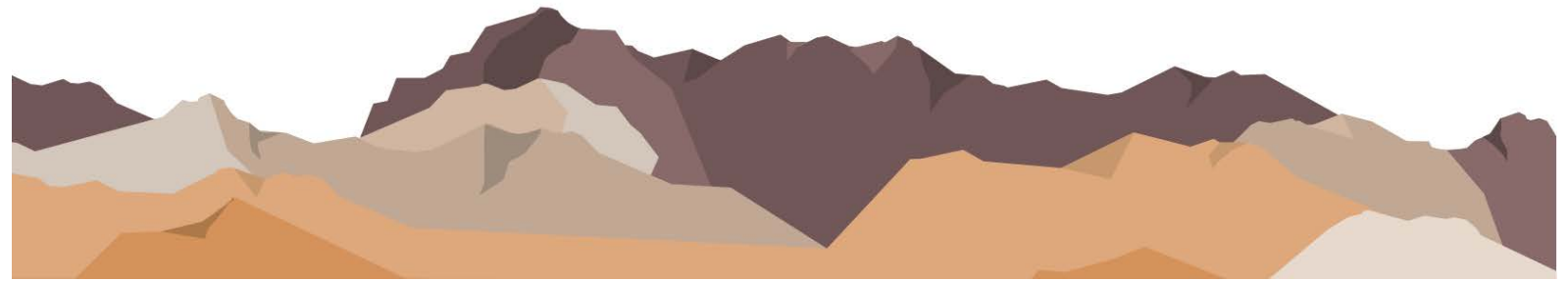
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ISDH: International Symposium on Dental Hygiene

The International Symposium on Dental Hygiene (ISDH) is held every two (2) years (starting after 2022) under the auspices of the International Federation of Dental Hygienists (IFDH) to provide a forum for the understanding and discussion of issues pertaining to dental hygiene.

Symposium attendees include Dental/Oral Hygienists, Medical/Dental Practitioners and Allied Healthcare Practitioners. The official language of the symposium is English with simultaneous translation into other languages, depending on the location.

House of Delegates vote on which Full Association Member country will host the event.

The event encompasses three IFDH elements:

- *Board of Directors*: 2-day meeting.
- *House of Delegates*: 2-3 day meeting for IFDH HoD members only.
- *Symposium*: 3 day symposium with over 1,500 attendees from around the world.

See the commitment
& dedication by the
representatives at
our 2019 IFDH
House of Delegates
Business Meeting in
Brisbane, Australia!
(4-minute video)



2022: Dublin, Ireland

House of Delegate Business Meeting: August 9-10, 2022

International Symposium on Dental Hygiene: August 10-13, 2022

Future ISDH Locations

- **2022**: Dublin, Ireland: August 10-13, 2022
- **2024**: Seoul, Korea
- **2026**: Milan, Italy: July 9-11, 2026

Past ISDH Locations

- **2019**: Brisbane, Australia - [read the article and see photos](#)
- **2016**: Basel, Switzerland - [read the article and see photos](#)
- **2013**: Cape Town South Africa - [read the article and see photos](#)
- **2010**: Edinburgh, Scotland
- **2007**: Toronto, Ontario, Canada
- **2004**: Madrid, Spain
- **2001**: Sydney, Australia
- **1998**: Florence, Italy
- **1995**: Tokyo, Japan
- **1992**: The Hague, Netherlands
- **1989**: Ottawa, Canada
- **1986**: Oslo, Norway

Latest News

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- Read our November eNews
- President's Message (Nov)
- 2019 ISDH a huge success!
- New Board elected!
- Updated Mission & Vision
- 2019 World Dental Hygienist Awards Announced
- Social Responsibility:
 - 2019 Workshop Overview
 - New Policy Approved
 - Book with 17 Programs Unveiled in Brisbane
- 2018 Research Grants Awarded
- Every Child Has a Toothbrush program updated
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