2014 New Hampshire Oral Health Forum
The Mouth Matters: Improved Oral Health via Medical & Dental Pathways
Friday, October 17, 2014
Holiday Inn
172 N. Main Street ♦ Concord, NH 03301

AGENDA

8:30 am  Registration & Breakfast sponsored by NH Dental Society Foundation

9:00 am  Opening Ceremony & Welcome Remarks

9:15 – 10:30 am  "A Profession in Transition - What Every Dentist Needs to Know About Tomorrow's Practice Environment"
Keynote Speaker sponsored by the Endowment for Health & Northeast Delta Dental Foundation
Marko Vujicic, Ph.D., Managing Vice President, Health Policy Resource Center, American Dental Association

10:30 am  Break

10:45 am  NH 1115 Medicaid Waiver, and Oral Health during Pregnancy: A National Consensus Statement
Margaret M. Snow, DMD, MBA, MPH, Dental Director, Office of Medicaid Business and Policy

11:45 am  Luncheon Buffet & Invitational Luncheons

1:00 – 2:00 pm  So You Want to Be a Public Health Oral Health Practitioner? (Panel)
Senior care, NHTI -- Concord’s Community College, Molar Express,
Concord Dental Sealant Coalition

2:00 – 3:00 pm  Exploring Medical-Dental Integration (Panel)
Hugh Silk, MD, MPH, Smiles for Life, From the First Tooth, U Mass Medical Center
Skip Homicz, DDS, Dental Director, Families First Health and Support Center
Joseph Ebner, MD and Ruth Doane, RDH, Plymouth OB-GYN, Speare Memorial Hospital

3:00  Adjourn

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Registration:  www.nhalorhealth.org
Up to 5 Continuing Education Credits Available, $42 Registration Fee
Upon completion of Oral Health Care Forum, the participant will be able to:

1. Describe emerging multidisciplinary roles in oral health and dentistry.
2. Discuss emerging trends in preventative and restorative dental services.
3. Understand NH Medicaid oral health and dental policy changes.
4. Describe opportunities for community based oral health and dental services provided outside of the traditional dental office.
5. Recognize potential improved clinical outcomes related to increased communication and referral between medical and dental providers.

A Profession in Transition – What Every Dentist Needs to Know about Tomorrow’s Practice Environment
Learning objectives:
1. Describe trends and significant shifts in dental care over the past decade.
2. Identify key drivers moving these trends.
3. Discuss policies to begin to address critical access to dental care within tomorrow’s health care environment.

NH 1115 Medicaid Waiver, and Oral Health during Pregnancy: A National Consensus Statement
Learning objectives:
1. Describe new oral health and dental services proposed in New Hampshire 1115 Waiver for pregnant women.
2. Discuss the challenges delivering care to this target population.

NH Dental Society Workshop Lunch with Marko Vujicic, PhD: Discuss potential practice changes that reflect the empirical evidence presented by the American Dental Association speaker.

Invitational Lunch with Hugh Silk, MD, MPH: Increase knowledge of the key components of implementing preventative oral health services in the medical setting.

Panel 1: So you want to be a Public Health Oral Health Practitioner?
Learning objectives:
1. Describe the multiple roles and opportunities for dental professionals in non-traditional settings.
2. Discuss challenges in program implementation and gain a better understanding of working models of oral health care delivery.
3. Describe key elements characterizing successful, sustainable private organizations delivering oral health care services to vulnerable populations across the life span.

Panel 2: Exploring Medical-Dental Integration
Learning objectives:
1. Understand the impact of Primary Care Medicine on prevention and management of child and adult dental disease.
2. Describe models of Medical-Dental Integration.
3. State the critical role of primary care in the delivery of and referral to oral health care services.