

1 **COUNCIL ON DENTAL EDUCATION AND LICENSURE**
2 **AMERICAN DENTAL ASSOCIATION**
3 **VIDEO CONFERENCE, CHICAGO**
4 **SEPTEMBER 23, 2021**

5 **Call to Order:** Dr. Jacqueline Plemons, chair, called a meeting of the Council on Dental Education and
6 Licensure to order on Thursday, September 23, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. via video conference.

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8 **Roll Call:** Dr. Cheska Avery-Stafford, Dr. Kimon Divaris, Dr. Uri Hangorsky, Dr. Willis Stanton Hardesty
9 Jr., Dr. Steven M. Lepowsky, Dr. William M. Litaker, Dr. Maurice S. Miles, Dr. James D. Nickman, Dr.
10 David L. Nielson, Dr. Linda C. Niessen, Dr. Joan Otomo-Corgel, Dr. Jacqueline Plemons, and Dr. Donna
11 Thomas-Moses were present. Dr. Daniel Hammer, Dr. Jun S. Lim, Dr. Barbara L. Mousel and Dr. Bruce
12 R. Terry were unable to attend.

13 Dr. Linda Himmelberger, ADA Board Liaison to the Council, was unable to attend. Dr. Sydney Shapiro
14 attended as Student Liaison of the American Student Dental Association.

15 The following Council staff members attended the meeting: Ms. Tierra Braxton, Coordinator, Ms. Karen
16 M. Hart, Director, Ms. Annette Puzan, Manager, Dental Education and Licensure, and Dr. Meaghan
17 Strotman, Senior Manager, Dental Licensure and Education. Dr. Anthony J. Ziebert, Senior Vice-
18 President, Education and Professional Affairs also participated.

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20 **Adoption of Agenda, and Disclosure of Business or Personal Relationships:** The Council
21 approved the agenda. Dr. Plemons directed the Council's attention to the ADA Disclosure Policy. No
22 personal, professional or business relationships were disclosed.

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24 **2021 ADA House of Delegates Preliminary Schedule:** The Council reviewed the House of Delegates
25 and Related Activities Preliminary Schedule and noted that the Hearing of the Reference Committee on
26 Dental Education, Science and Related Matters is scheduled for Thursday, October 14, 2021 from
27 12:00 pm to 1:30 pm.

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29 **Annual Report to 2021 House of Delegates:** Ms. Hart reminded the Council that its Annual Report to
30 the 2021 House of Delegates is published and available to delegates and ADA members.

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32 **CDEL Members Serving as Delegates/Alternates:** Dr. Plemons asked Council members to confirm
33 their attendance at the 2021 House of Delegates and whether they would be serving as a delegate or
34 alternate.

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36 **Resolutions of Interest to CDEL:** Dr. Plemons led a discussion on resolutions transmitted by the
37 Council to the 2021 House of Delegates (Resolution 32 calling for amendment to the policy on
38 continuing competency, CDEL Report 1 Response to Resolution 100H-2020: Special Needs Dentistry
39 with Resolutions 46, 47, 48 and 49 and CDEL Report 2 Response to Resolution 76-2020 – Elder Care
40 Strategies on Increased Preparedness of Educational Institutions). The Council also discussed other
41 Resolutions of interest (Resolutions 69, 90, 43, 31, 65, 81, 92, 41, 50, 58, 77, 86 and 86BS-1) and
42 agreed on a plan to provide testimony at the appropriate Reference Committee Hearings.

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44 **Consideration of Nominations for Vacancies on the Anesthesiology Committee:** Dr. Otomo-
45 Corgel noted that AAP representative Dr. Charles E. Rader and ADSA representative Dr. Edward C.
46 Adlesic will complete their terms serving on the Anesthesiology Committee in October 2021; the
47 Council thanked them for their service and dedication to the important work of this Committee. The
48 Council reviewed nominations for the upcoming vacancies and agreed with the Committee's

1 recommendations for new AAP and ADSA appointees and took the following action:
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3 **Council Action:** The Council on Dental Education and Licensure appointed Dr. Tyler Borg to
4 serve as the AAP representative and Dr. Andrea M. Fonner to serve as the ADSA
5 representative on the Anesthesiology Committee for four-year terms commencing at the close of
6 the 2021 ADA House of Delegates.
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8 **2021-2022 Standing Committee Assignments:** The Council was reminded that CDEL standing
9 committee assignments for 2021-22 have been posted in the Council's area of the ADA Connect site.

10 **CDEL Meeting January 2022:** Council members were reminded that the next in-person meeting of the
11 Council is scheduled for January 24-25, 2022 and upcoming meeting dates for the Council
12 subcommittees were noted. All meeting dates are posted in the Council's area of the ADA Connect site.

13 **Adjournment:** 6:40 PM, Thursday, September 23, 2021