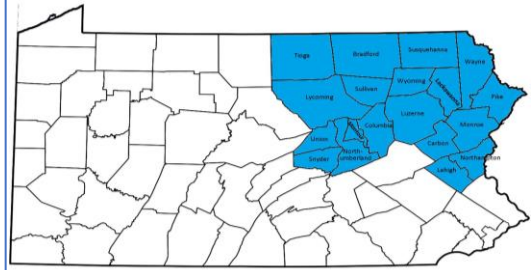




Pennsylvania
Dental Hygienists' Association



Northeast Component Pennsylvania Dental Hygienists' Association

Save the Date for 2018

The Keystone Dental Health Conference at the 95th PDHA Annual Session
November 8-11, 2018
Scranton at the Hilton Scranton & Conference Center
Check back often for updates. <http://pdhaonline.org/>

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Save the Dates for 2018

- ❖ Friday and Saturday May 18 & 19, 2018: Mom-N-PA, Mission of Mercy, Reading, PA
- ❖ ADHA June 20 – 25, 2018, Columbus, OH, Columbus Convention Center, Headquarter Hotels are the Hyatt Columbus and Hilton Columbus
- ❖ Saturday October 13, 2018, Tom Viola RM, CCP, 3 CEU, Opioids and Marijuana
- ❖ Friday November 2, 2018, 3 CEU, Linda Blackiston, RDH, 8:30 am to 11:30am
- ❖ Thursday November 8 to Sunday November 11, 2018, PDHA Annual Session, in Scranton, PA

Sealant Saturday Returns in 2018

Dental Hygiene Volunteers Needed

All Children Welcome!

Saturday March 3, 2018 8:30 am to 12:00 noon
Northampton Community College, Fowler Center 3rd Floor,
511 E 3rd Street, Bethlehem PA 18015

Contact Deborah Gschrey at 610-248-8961

****Copy of DH License required**

*****CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS for MARCH 2019*****

Dental Hygiene Licensure — minimum of 20 hours, at least 10 must be classroom.

Public Health Dental Hygiene Practitioner — 5 of the 20 hours required must be public health related.

Local Anesthesia — 3 of the required 20 hours must be related to the administration of local anesthesia such as pharmacology or other related topics.

Three (3) of the hours may now be in communication skills for only the Dental Hygienist, not the Dentist

Child Abuse – 2 additional hours are required for relicensure, which can be found by typing Act 31 training on a search engine such as Yahoo or Google. If the course is 3 CE's only 2 can be used for relicensure.

Radiology, 2 credit hours is required by the DEP every 4 years not for relicensure, can be online such as Dentalcare.com or in classroom. These count toward the 20 hours of continuing education

Mom-n-PA

**Our next Mission will be in Reading, PA on
May 18th & 19th, 2018**

MOM-n-PA provides dental care for the relief of pain to thousands of the most needy, many of whom are from working families who do not have access or cannot afford dental insurance. Many of these patients might otherwise have no hope of receiving care.

Volunteers Needed

Registration will open on February 1, 2018

Volunteers are the heart of our MOM-n-PA missions. We will rely on the generous help of more than 800 volunteer dentists, dental hygienists and assistants, lab technicians and other community volunteers during the mission.

Below are descriptions of the many roles we will need volunteers to play over the course of the mission.

Lay Volunteers: Sign up for Registration, Patient Ambassador (escort patients in the clinic), Patient Exit Interview, Volunteer Registration, Crowd Control, Translator, Data Entry, Hospitality, Set-up, Tear-Down. General Volunteers are our greatest need!!!!

Dentists: Those with a dental degree and a current, unrestricted PA dental license or a PA volunteer dental license to work in the following areas: dental triage, local anesthesia, oral surgery, restorative, endodontics, prosthodontics, pediatric dentistry.

Hygienists: Those with a dental hygiene degree and a current, unrestricted PA dental hygienist license to work in the following areas: hygiene, sterilization, anesthesia, and radiology.

Dental Assistants: radiology, dental triage, oral surgery, restorative, endodontics, prosthodontics, pediatric dentistry, sterilization, and hygiene.

Hygiene / Assisting Students: Sign up in Sterilization, Patient Education or any non-dental position.

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***To Extract or Not to Extract,
Current Protocols on Third Molar Extractions***

Veronica Barreto, DMD

2CEU

Assabi Isaac, DDS

Wednesday March 21, 2018

(Snow Date: March 28, 2018)

Registration Deadline: March 1, 2018

Late Registration Fee: Additional \$30.00

Time: 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Location: Green Pond Country Club

Doors open: 5:45PM

3604 Farmersville Rd

Pasta dinner provided

Bethlehem, PA 18020

Course Objectives:

- Be able to diagnose and classify type of third molar impaction.
- Choose appropriate diagnostic imaging.
- Assess biological and chronological development of third molars.
- Know the risk, benefits, and alternatives to third molar extraction.
- Understand radiographic indicators for high risk of inferior alveolar nerve injury with third molar extraction.
- Know when and how to refer patients to appropriate specialists.
- Post op pain management recommendations.

Veronica Barreto, DMD received her undergraduate degree from Temple University in Philadelphia, PA in 2007 and her dental degree from the Maurie H. Kornberg School of Dentistry (formally Temple University School of Dentistry) in Philadelphia, PA in 2011 where she graduated magna cum laude. She was the recipient of several awards including the American Association of Endodontist Student Achievement Award, awarded to the senior student who demonstrated exceptional ability in the area of Endodontics, and the recipient of the American Academy of Pediatric Dentists predoctoral student award, awarded to the senior student judged to be the most outstanding in the field of dentistry for children. She also was awarded the Edward B. and Arnold R. Cook Prize in Children’s Dentistry awarded to the junior student who demonstrated exceptional ability in the field of pediatric dentistry. During her dental school training, she also volunteered for numerous research and outreach activities in the Philadelphia area and abroad, providing dental care and oral health awareness to the underserved populations in Costa Rica and Panama. She served as president of the Hispanic Dental Association as well as the Student National Dental Association for her school chapter. She completed a preliminary internship in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at Thomas Jefferson University Hospital in 2012. She completed her residency training in Oral and Maxillofacial at Temple Health (formerly Temple University Hospital) in Philadelphia, PA and served as chief resident from 2015-2016. In August 2015, she received her doctorate from the International Congress of Oral Implantologists. Outside of work, Dr. Barreto enjoys volunteering and giving back to the community by participating in outreach, and being a mentor to underprivileged students aspiring to pursue a career in health professions.

Assabi Isaac, DDS was born and raised in California and received her Bachelor of Arts Degree from California State University Sacramento. She relocated to the East ten years ago to attend The University of Maryland School of Dentistry where she obtained her Doctoral of Dental Surgery Degree. Following this she completed her certificate from The Veteran Affairs Hospital Baltimore, General Practice Residency Program serving our veterans. Her experience at the VA inspired her to attend Temple University Hospital’s Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Program in Philadelphia at which she completed her four-year certification. Dr. Isaac has a broad scope of practice and is excited to be part of the Lehigh Valley community and St. Luke’s Center for Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery and implantology. She is currently an attending surgeon in the Department of Surgery at St. Luke’s Hospital and Health Network.

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ADHA/PDHA Member ADHA # _____	\$ 35.00	\$65.00
Non-Member hygienists/ Dentist/Staff	\$ 45.00	\$75.00

Make Check Payable to PDHA and Mail Check & Registration Form To:

Anita Jackson, RDH
621 N. George Street
York, PA 17404-2526

Questions ??? Please contact Cindy Workman at 484-894-5212 or Betty Zumpano at 610-703-4620

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Child Abuse Recognition and Reporting

Friday April 6, 2018

3 CEU

**Lisandra Maisonet, RDH, BS, PHDHP
PDHA President**

**Angela Yorina RDH, MS, PHDHP
Past PDHA Trustee**

**Thank you to Colgate Oral Pharmaceuticals for providing an
Educational Grant for the Speakers**

Registration Deadline: March 16, 2018

Late Registration Fee: Additional \$30.00

Time: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Location: Green Pond Country Club

Doors open: 8:00 am

3604 Farmersville Rd

Hot Breakfast provided: 8:15 am

Bethlehem, PA 18020

***** Course Limited to first 100 participants*****

Course Description:

Mandatory Child Abuse courses are now required for all licensed health care professional each licensure period. Our renewal cycle ends March 31, 2018. We are pleased to have PDHA President Lisa Maisonet, RDH, BS, PHDHP and Angela Yorina, RDH, MS as presenters in our area. There is a limit of 50 participants for the course and we will be having 2 courses presented on the same night. After the first 100 paid participants, we are unable to accommodate more. This mandate is for the presenters. Please invite your entire dental team for the event and register as a team to be in the same classroom.

Lisandra Maisonet, RDH received her A.A.S. degree in Dental Hygiene from Montgomery County Community College and her B.S. degree from Pennsylvania College of Technology. She is enrolled in a Master's Program in Adult Education at Penn State University. Further, she is certified as an expanded functions dental assistant and an adjunct faculty member at Montgomery County Community College. Currently she is an active participant in AAPD's Healthy Teeth Healthy Children initiative, and the head start coalition in Pennsylvania. She speaks to dental and healthcare professionals on age one dentistry and how to educate on cavity prevention. She also serves as President for the PDHA as well as president of her local component. She is a Certified Trainer through PFSA to present "Recognizing and Reporting Child Abuse" training to PA mandated dental professionals.

Angela Yorina, RDH, MS, PHDHP, received her MS from Misericordia University in Dallas, PA. Angela implemented a dental clinic at The Hope Center in Luzerne, PA and was the recipient of the PDHA Community Dental Health Award in 2008. She also speaks on special needs patients, communication, toothpastes and polishing. She is a Certified Trainer through PFSA to present "Recognizing and Reporting Child Abuse" training to PA mandated dental professionals.

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Medical Histories, Autoimmune Diseases and the Oral Cavity -Is there a Connection?

Wednesday May 30, 2018

2 CEU

Mildred Wescoe, RDH,PHDHP

Partially sponsored by Young Dental

Time: 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Doors open: 5:45PM

Light refreshments provided

Location:

Green Pond Country Club

3604 Farmersville Rd

Bethlehem, PA 18020

Registration Deadline: May 16, 2018

Late Registration Fee: Additional \$30.00

Course Description:

This course will review the current research regarding the possible connections of the oral cavity on the autoimmune diseases. Using the patients complete medical history as a guide will allow us to tailor specific patient education information as it relates to their particular health.

Course Objectives:

- Describe the common factor in all autoimmune diseases
- Explain the more common autoimmune diseases including incidence, effects on the body and various treatments including newer biologic agents.
- Relate current research and the potential relationship of the autoimmune disease to the oral health.
- Recognize the difference between an autoimmune thyroid disease and a nonautoimmune thyroid disease.
- Apply the appropriate recommendations and patient education information for the various autoimmune diseases.
- Summarize the potential role of the oral health practitioner as it relates to the patient with an autoimmune disease.
- List how the pertinent oral health information can be relayed to the individual with an autoimmune disease even when scheduled patient time appears not to allow.

Millie Wescoe RDH, PHDHP graduated in 1975 from Northampton Community College with an Associates in Applied Science, Dental Hygiene and attended East Stroudsburg University School of Education from 1977-1979. She is a clinical dental hygienist from the Lehigh Valley Area. She has been active in ADHA, PDHA and the local dental hygienists' association for over 40 years serving. Locally, Millie has served as Vice-President, President and Treasurer for the Lehigh Valley Dental Hygienists' Association, Delegate and Reference Committee member for PDHA, is a Distinguished member of PDHA Academy of Dental Hygiene Studies. She has also won the PDHA Service to the Community Award. Her volunteer works include Freedom High School Theatre Company, Celtic Classic, Musikfest and a Non-Profit Organization supporting the Arts in Bethlehem Schools.

Medical Histories, Autoimmune Diseases and the Oral Cavity
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Millie Wescoe, RDH, PHDHP

Wednesday May 30, 2018

2CEU

Registration Deadline: May 15, 2018

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