Special Care Advocates in Dentistry

54th Annual Session
October 23rd to October 25th, 2019
Charleston, SC

Embassy Suites by Hilton Charleston Historic District
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Charleston, SC 29403
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### Wednesday, October 23

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| 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM | Sharpening Your Truth Radar: Listening Skills for the Dental Practitioner *(1 hour CEU credit will be given)*  
Ellen Anderson, RDH, BS and Carolyn Fetter, MBA |
| 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM | SAID Strategic Planning Meeting & Dinner  
Mary Bradley Tepper, DMD, SAID President  
Optional, No Credit |

### Thursday, October 24

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| 8:00 AM - 8:20 AM | Welcome & Conference Overview  
Mary Bradley Tepper, DMD, SAID President |
| 8:20 AM - 9:40 AM | The Changing Face of Oral & Oropharyngeal Cancer  
Brad W. Neville, DDS |
| 9:40 AM - 10:00 AM | Break & Exhibitors |
| 10:00 AM - 11:45 AM | The Changing Face of Oral & Oropharyngeal Cancer  
Brad W. Neville, DDS |
| 11:45 AM - 12:15 PM | A Catalyst for Change - Project Accessible Oral Health (PAOH)  
Barbie Vartanian, Executive Director |
| 12:15 PM - 1:30 PM | Lunch & Exhibitors |
| 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM | Opioid Use and Addiction and It's Effect on Dental Practice  
Robert A. Leonetti, DMD and Joyce D. Leonetti, DO, MPH |
| 3:30 PM - 3:50 PM | Break & Exhibitors |
| 3:50 PM - 4:50 PM | Pearls, Perils and Parables  
David Itzkoff, DDS, Moderator |
| 5:45 PM - 8:45 PM | President's Reception & Dinner Banquet  
Hosted By Mary Bradley Tepper, DMD, SAID President  
Please bring a gift from your home area for our famous door prize/gift swap event |

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| 8:30 AM - 9:20 AM | What MUSC James B. Edwards College of Dental Medicine is Doing that Supports the SAID Mission  
Michelle Ziegler, DDS |
| 9:20 AM - 10:10 AM | MUSC Project SANDS (Special Adult Network of Dentists)  
Elizabeth S. Pilcher, DMD and Joan McLauren |
| 10:10 AM - 10:30 AM | Break & Exhibitors |
| 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM | Oral Health and Individuals with Special Needs  
Christine Veschesusio, DrPH, RDH and Mary Kenyon Jones, MEd |
| 11:30 AM - 12:50 PM | Literature Review  
Mannie Levi, DDS and Doug Veazey, DDS |
| 12:50 PM - 2:00 PM | Lunch & Exhibitors |
| 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM | Forensic Dentistry & Body Identification  
Dr. Paul Kovalski, Jr. |
| 3:30 PM | Wrap Up & Farewell  
Mary Bradley Tepper, DMD, SAID President |
ELLen J. Anderson, RDH, BS has experience with dental hygiene care in a variety of settings, including private practice, public health, as a clinical instructor at the Harper College DH program in Palatine, IL, and an oral health educator in long term care facilities through the Illinois Department of Public Health. She currently is the clinical hygienist at Aunt Martha’s Little City Dental Clinic in Palatine, IL.

Carolyn Fetter, MBA is the current president of Specialized Care Company Inc. and has an MBA degree from Rutgers University.

Mary Bradley Tepper, DMD is a 1983 graduate from the Medical University of SC College of Dental Medicine. She serves on the Medicaid Committee of the SC Dental Association and is an active member of the SC Dept of Health & Environmental Control Oral Health Coalition. Since 1984, she’s been the dentist for both Pee Dee and Saleeb institutional facilities. She’s given over 100 presentations on dental topics to various groups including senior citizens, ombudsmen, Lt. Governor’s council on aging, & radio shows.

Brad W. Neville, DDS is a 1977 graduate of the West Virginia University School of Dentistry, followed by residency training in Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology at Emory University. He joined the faculty of the Medical University of South Carolina in 1980, where he currently holds the title of Distinguished University Professor.

Barbie Vartanian, Executive Director PAOH recently took on the leadership role as Executive Director of Project Accessible Oral Health. Prior to PAOH, Ms. Vartanian was chosen to lead the newly formed Pacific Dental Services Foundation. Through her efforts she elevated the PDS Foundation’s visibility and success in multiple areas. Barbie’s most important role is mother to her child with special needs. She understands firsthand the barriers her son faces and will continue to face throughout his life. Barbie also sits on the boards of several non-profit organizations such as the Center for Oral Health, NYU College of Dentistry Center for People with Disabilities Advisory Board, Concorde Career College National Advisory Board, Jersey First and Rutgers Center for Innovation Education.

Robert A. Leonetti, DMD is a 1978 graduate of UMDNJ (now Rutgers School of Dental Medicine). He’s spent 5 years with USAF Dental Corps, 17 years as Dental Director at Ancora Psychiatric Hospital, 35 years in Private Practice, Former Acting Director of Dental Services for the NJ Dept of Human Services, 8 years as Part-time Clinical Instructor at UMDNJ, Co-Founder and is Currently Clinic Director of Project Smiles Dental Clinic in Camden, NJ, and the Former President of SAID.


David Itzkoff, DDS is the Supervising Dentist at the Shapiro Center-Illinois Department of Human Services in Hyde Park, IL.

Michelle Ziegler, DDS is a practicing Dentist in Charleston, SC. She graduated from New York University College of Dentistry in 1987 and has been in practice for 32 years.

Elizabeth S. Pilcher, DMD (Betsy) is Associate Dean of Faculty Affairs and Assessment and Professor in the Department of Oral Rehabilitation in the College of Dental Medicine at the Medical University of South Carolina. She has had over 30 years’ experience in undergraduate dental education and in clinical care, including 8 years in public health dentistry. She has been co PI on Duke Endowment grant resulting in the SANDs network of dentists and MUSC grant resulting in the Interprofessional Rotation in the adult special needs clinic at MUSC. Dr. Pilcher is a single parent of two adult children, one with special needs. She has served on the Governor’s Council for Developmental Disabilities and currently is a member of the Charleston County Disabilities Board.

Joan McLauren is the Program Coordinator for SANDs (Special Adult Network of Dentists) at MUSC Special Needs Dental Clinic.

Christine Veschesio, DrPH, RDH’s experience as a public health professional, researcher, & educator in South Carolina has consistently focused on oral health integration as an essential component of health by building bridges among systems that can intersect, interact and subsequently improve oral health and access to care for vulnerable populations in both traditional and non-traditional arenas.

Mary Kenyon Jones, MED is the Outreach and Communication Specialist for the Division of Oral Health at SC DHEC. She has an undergraduate degree from Converse College & an MEd from the University of South Carolina. She has over 20 years of experience working with numerous state agencies & non-profits. Ms. Jones has developed oral health curricula, standards-based materials & outreach resources for target populations. In addition, she has developed & conducted certified trainings for childcare providers, Head Start/Early Head Start programs, & other community based programs.

Mannie Levi, DDS currently teaches in the Pediatric Dental Residency at BUMC and teaches General and Oral Pathology and Local Anesthesia to Dental Hygiene students.

Douglas Veazey, DDS is a dentist at the Black Mountain Neuro-Medical Treatment Center in Black Mountain, NC.

Dr. Paul Kovalski, Jr graduated from Fairleigh Dickinson College of Dental Medicine in 1987 and is currently Chief of Dentistry at Greystone Park Psychiatric Hospital. He is a former President of SAID and was a Forensic Dental Consultant with the Monmouth County Medical Examiners Office. In this role, he performed over 75 identifications in conjunction with local law enforcement, New Jersey State Police, FBI, US Coast Guard, and the National Park Service. This led to him appearing on ‘America’s Most Wanted’ in the ‘Baby Bones case’.
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Special Care Advocates in Dentistry designates this entire activity for up to 1 hour on Wednesday; 6.5 hours on Thursday; 6 hours on Friday or 13.5 hours of continuing education credits for all days.