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Scientific Session

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MODERN DENTAL MATERIALS AND TECHNIQUES USED IN THE RESTORATION & IMPROVEMENT
OF APPEARANCE OF THE TEETH OF CHILDREN & YOUNG ADULTS

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IDENTIFICATION OF PARENTAL DENTAL NEGLECT & ABUSE IN THE PEDIATRIC DENTAL PATIENT
& THE SUBSEQUENT REPORTING & FOLLOW-UP BY THE PEDIATRIC DENTIST

Recreation

Two 18-hole courses designed by Robert Trent Jones, Jr.
Our annual golf tournament.
Twenty plexipaved tennis courts
Our annual roundrobin.
Eight swimming pools
Volleyball, daily aerobic classes, jogging trails

Social Functions

Morning Continental Breakfasts
Fitness & Nutrition Lecture
Fabulous Seafood Buffet Dinner
Scenic Wine Train Dinner
Lecture on History of Wine Country
President's Dinner Dance

And So Much More

BICYCLE RENTALS, GALLERIES, SHOPS, ANTIQUES,
GLIDER RIDES, MARINE WORLD AFRICA U.S.A.,
WINE TOURS, HELICOPTER TOURS, HOT AIR BALLOONING,
AND MUD BATHS ARE JUST SOME OF THE WONDERFUL
EXPERIENCES AVAILABLE IN THE BEAUTIFUL NAPA VALLEY.

Travel Log

NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

For those of you on your way to the annual meeting this April, or if you're not at this time sure of your plans, consider the following sojourn my wife and I recently enjoyed this past September.

The southern-most end of the wine country is a short car ride from either the San Francisco or Oakland airports. We chose a bed and breakfast in this particular area, which just so happened to be a stone's throw from the Silverado resort. The Country Garden Inn has only eight rooms, each with an indoor jacuzzi separate from the bathroom, a working fireplace and a canopy bed. There was a carafe of White Zinfandel wine in the room each day. A buffet breakfast, with hot entree, was served each morning. Cheeses, fruits, cookies and wine were served each afternoon. And, for those of you who are still hungry after dinner, several desserts with coffee, tea and port wine were available each evening. All of this for \$170 per night, per couple.

The Napa Valley extends north with a two-lane highway running on either side of the valley, and several east-west roads interconnecting at intervals roughly adjacent to the several towns within the

valley. Both roads are terrific for bike riding for either short or long rides.

Needless to say, wineries are enormously abundant. Several are worth seeing just for the grounds. Of particular interest is the Louis XV Chateau of Domaine Carneros, Mondavi's Opus One, and the Beringer Winery facility. As for winery touring, the information presented at the Domaine Chandome champagne house is one of the best. Most wineries charge between \$2.00 and \$4.00 per glass for tasting.

Last, but certainly not least, restaurants! The Napa Valley is loaded with them. The California Cafe is low key California style—great for a lite lunch. If you want the hot spot, try Mustards. Reservations are necessary for lunch or dinner, and the menu is a little eclectic. Auberge du Soleil is the place for dinner. Expensive, but worth it. Make reservations for an early dinner and ask for a patio table. It overlooks the valley, and they do have heaters if it's cool. If you're real hungry, try the Seafood Buffet at the Silverado. The food tables stretch for miles. Reservations are necessary for this Friday night only feast.

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CLINICIAN'S CORNER

Ed. note: The following information was presented as a table clinic at the Rancho Bernardo Scientific Session.

HOME ADMINISTERED ORAL VISTARIL AND IN-OFFICE NITROUS OXIDE SEDATION — "A WINNING COMBINATION"

Children two years and older — demonstrating disruptive, uncontrollable behavior preventing successful accomplishment of needed procedures.

Dosage of Vistaril 25mg/5cc liquid (1-2 mg/lb) depending on level of uncooperative behavior. Dosage to be given in two separate doses—1st dose the night before appointment at bedtime; 2nd dose 1 hour before (not to exceed 100mg total dose). Patient to be NPO except for any required medications.

Example: 30 lb. child during examination crying, moving feet, grabbing with hands.

25mg night before appointment
50mg 1 hour before appointment

Child is reappointed for *Behavior Guidance Time* (6:50 a.m.); procedures to be completed by 8:00 a.m. prior to regular office schedule. Informed consent is signed and the pre-sedation sheet and prescription given to the parent. Required behavior guidance fee is collected.

Day of appointment — child is placed in the chair with papoose board in place (velcro hand straps used only to remind child to keep hands still).

1. Earphones (music) and sunglasses placed on child.
2. Pulse oximeter probe placed on right index finger.
3. Precordial stethoscope placed in usual manner.
4. Baseline pulse, respiratory rate, and PO2 taken.
5. Nitrous oxide 40%-50% level started by nasal mask. New readings taken of pulse, respiratory rate and PO2.
6. Local anesthetic given and new levels taken for pulse, respiratory rate and PO2, and subsequently taken every ten minutes until treatment is completed.
7. Levels of sedation, medications and dosage, local anesthetic amount and location, condition of child before and after treatment, reasons for sedation, etc., also recorded on sedation record form.
8. After treatment the condition of the child is assessed, and post-sedation sheet verbal instructions are given to the parent. The parent is called later in the morning to confirm the condition of the child.

The vast majority of the patients, approximately 85%-90%, will be still and quiet during the entire treatment; 10% will be still but fussy or crying during part or all of the procedure; and for 5% sedation will be ineffective necessitating hospitalization.

Marc L. Grossman

DENTISTS IN DOCTOR LAND

The California Society of Pediatric Dentistry was well represented at the American Academy of Pediatric Annual Meeting held October 11-14 in San Francisco.

An informational booth was set up to provide physicians with a source of reference material and an awareness of the presence of our specialty in the medical community. Specific areas of expertise emphasized by our members were infant/toddler examinations; Baby Bottle Decay; and the prevention of oral-facial injuries by the use of athletic mouthguards.

A special thanks should be extended to the following members who took the time from their busy schedules to man (woman) the booth:

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| Dr. Ann Azama | Dr. Martin Rayman |
| Dr. Bergen James | Dr. David Rothman |
| Dr. Weyland Lum | Dr. Richard Sobel |

KIDS CARE FAIR '92

Each year the KABC Kids Care Fair Committee (on which the Executive Director of CSPD sits as a member) provides advice on the organization and conduct of the Fair, as well as assists in the funding and manpower acquisition.

The Kids Care Fair program for 1992 was held during the period of August 7-9 at 29 sites in the Greater Los Angeles area. Twenty-six sites provided dental screening examinations. Preliminary figures indicate that more than 21,688 people attended, of which 8,956 of them were children. Nearly 11,000 immunizations were given free of charge and their families left with information about how to obtain regular health care for the entire family.

Each Fair site has traditionally arranged for their own Medical/Dental personnel participation and it is reported that the professions are highly cooperative. For the 1992 Fair, there was a last minute need for a few dentists, and CSPD Board Member Dr. Don Duperon arranged for the participation of several of the new postdoctoral students at UCLA.

Special thanks to the following CSPD members who gave their time to participate:

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| Dr. Warren Aka | Dr. Dennis Weintraub |
| Dr. Lynn Lempert | Dr. Kent Payne |
| Dr. Santiago Surillo | |

CSPD Executive Director Tom Barber is a member of the KABC Kids Care Fair Committee. For those of you wishing to participate in future fairs, please plan to contact Dr. Barber in March of 1993.

EVERY DAY
YOU MAKE A MILLION DECISIONS.
BUT IT ONLY TAKES ONE
TO CHANGE YOUR LIFE FOREVER...

SEALANT LAWSUIT

A coalition of child advocacy groups filed suit October 29 in Federal District Court, on behalf of children eligible for California's Medi-Cal program, to require the California Department of Health Services to include sealants as a Dent-Cal program benefit.

Negotiations with the state, to which CSPD has been a party, have proven unfruitful, and CSPD therefore supports this litigation as a "last resort" measure to extend this preventive service to the economically disadvantaged children of our state. CSPD, through Steve Blain and the Dental Care Committee, has provided factual material to the National Center for Youth Law used in preparation of the suit.

Steve Chan and Wayne Grossman should be particularly commended for their hard work and diligence in these efforts, which we hope will have a positive effect on the dental health of the children of California in the future.

Paul Reggiardo

DISTRICT VI TRUSTEE REPORT TO CSPD

Summers are usually a quiet time for the dental profession so the regular mailings from the Academy are not so heavily laden.

The mailings from AAPD routinely contain inter- and intra-committee communications, ADA Washington Report, reprints of articles of dental interests, and copies of some of the correspondence to and from AAPD to individuals and organizations.

My intention is to keep CSPD as well as the members of District VI informed with information that would not be found in other sources that are routinely read, such as the Academy Journal and Newsletter and Academy mailings. Otherwise the information will be redundant and require an immense effort and duplication. When it is important, information may be repeated in the Trustee Report to insure that members become informed.

The following is a brief of information from the summer AAPD meetings:

1. The Media Relations Subcommittee of the Public Relations Committee has refined the Conflict of Interest Policy, Communications Guidelines, and the Protocol for Media Statements for 1992-93. They have assisted in developing media messages with Amy Fox.

2. Media messages regarding toothbrushes with a review of the literature by Jim Steiner clarified information from an article in the Compendium of Continuing Education by Richard T. Glass relating to the transmission of disease from toothbrushes. An article in the Pediatric Infection Disease Journal indicated that there is no evidence that a contaminated toothbrush can transmit respiratory infection, especially Group A Stretococcal infections.

3. ADA Washington Reports:
 - President Morrow thanked the House Appropriations Committee for directing OSHA to review standards as it affects dentists.

- Department of Health and Human Services is expected to recommend to Congress the application of a dollar threshold amount for the reporting of small malpractice payments to the National Data Bank.

- HR4402 is a politically driven health reform measure to regulate fee schedules and a managed care component to contain cost advanced through the House Ways and Means Committee.

- President Bush signed SB1150 allowing the Commission on Dental Accreditation to continue for five years.

- State News — Mandatory Sterilization of Handpieces now in effect in Washington, Indiana, and Florida. California defeated a dental hygiene bill to create a Registered Dental Hygienist in Alternate Practice who would supervise dental assistants. Oregon hygienists will be able to place temporaries and use High Speed Handpieces.

5. Communications:
 - A. From AAPD to a columnist to correct inaccuracies relative to baby bottle tooth decay.

- B. From Mike Roberts to Steve Chan regarding Steve's workbook which has been referred to the Subcommittee On The Young Pediatric Dentist.

- C. Applications for membership and reinstatement of membership.

- D. Letters regarding AAP Washington lobbyist and new AAP Assoc. Exec. Director.

- E. Letters to Astra from AAPD recommending that Polocaine 2% with Levonordefrin 1:20,000 be the replacement

BOARD BRIEFS

June 20, 1992

The 70th meeting of the Board of Directors was called to order by President Paul Reggiardo on June 20, 1992, at the L. A. Airport Hilton. The members present at the meeting were Drs.: Dixon, McCartney, Sobel, Reggiardo, Wolkstein, Pedersen, Berger, Stewart, Grossman, Barber, Howard, Perry, Duperon, Lisagor, Grobowski, and Azama. The President presided over a lengthy and comprehensive meeting. He began by discussing a great deal of correspondence he has dealt with since the last meeting, including the annual meeting report, committee responsibilities, and Executive Director responsibilities. President elect Wolkstein presented information on the 1993 meeting. Vice President Berger reported information on the 1994 meeting. Secretary Pedersen reported on the 1995 meeting and the site selection was approved. Treasurer Lisagor presented the fourth quarter report and the 1992-1993 budget. Editor Howard presented and discussed changes to the Bulletin.

The committee reports were lengthy and detailed. The reports from each committee were presented, discussed, and debated. There are numerous projects being developed, as well as being presented to our general membership. The liaison to AAPD reported the Academy's topics, as well as goals. Our Editor, Steve Howard, has been developing a new Bulletin format and Dr. Berger has been developing a California Pediatrician article. Dr. Sobel has been hard at work with housekeeping changes for the constitution and bylaws. The Dental Care Committee has numerous projects that are being developed and currently presented, including the recently developed Baby Bottle Tooth Decay video, as well as numerous legislative entities. Dr. Barber gave a membership report and the membership continues to be a dynamic and growing group. Dr. Azama is in the process of developing the graduate student liaison mentor program. Dr. Taylor is hard at work with peer review. Dr. Grobowski is continuing his work on patient information material. Dr. Lisagor is developing, via his subcommittee, an auxiliary continuing education program. Of course, there were numerous announcements and new business items, including the selection of Dr. Lisagor as the 1996 meeting site coordinator.

The 1993 annual meeting will be held at Silverado in Napa and the 1994 annual meeting will be held at Rancho Mirage in Palm Springs.

The following motions were presented, discussed, debated, and passed.

1. Dr. McCartney is to obtain corporate sponsorship for CSPD's reception at AAPD's annual meeting. If no sponsorship is obtained, CSPD will fund the reception to the amount of \$800.00.

2. CSPD will invite the President of AAPD to attend and speak at the annual meeting. Reimbursement shall be limited to registration for all meetings and social functions for the President and spouse/guest.

3. The 1995 CSPD annual meeting will be held at the Ojai Valley Inn and Country Club.

4. The 1992-1993 CSPD budget was accepted.

5. The \$1,800.00 subsidy from the annual meeting budget to the general operating fund is eliminated. All sponsorship income will be allocated to the annual meeting budget. The 20% dues subsidies to the annual meeting will be eliminated.

6. CSPD endorses Assembly Bill HR3393.

As issues and topics for pediatric dental care on the state level continually increase, the Board is working diligently and extensively to give guidance and leadership for pediatric health care in this state. The Executive Director, Officers, and Board Members are to be congratulated and thanked for the great amount of time and effort volunteered for the success of our society..

Jac W. Pedersen II, D.D.S.
Secretary, CSPD

CSPD RESEARCH AWARDS PROGRAM

Since its earliest days, CSPD has had a commitment to encourage the creation of new knowledge concerning the practice, art and science of Pediatric Dentistry. Our society has attempted to stimulate and make possible research that otherwise might not be attempted or accomplished were it not for the availability of this award program.

Since inception of the program, a total of \$1,000 each year has been made available for support of suitable projects. In the past few years projects have been supported concerning child abuse and neglect, long buccal injections, flouride availability, a survey of dual-trained specialists and a study of the possible protective properties of Epidermal Growth Factor for the treatment of mucositis, a common side effect of radiation and/or chemotherapy used in the management of cancer in children.

Applications are available from the chairman of the Professional Activities Committee, Dr. Larry S. Luke (UCLA School of Dentistry, 10833 Le Conte Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90024-1668). After review by Committee members and outside reviewers, acceptable projects are funded. Such factors,

CSPD NOW 400 MEMBERS

CSPD has reached a new high by registering the 400th member. In addition, CSPD appears to be heading even higher as interest is shown by pedodontists in neighboring states for Associate Membership and, of course, approximately 10-12 new postdoctoral students become members each year. New members since the last report include the following: (vitae in parens)

Dr. David C. Adams in San Diego practice (San Diego St & UCLA) who completed the combined program in Pedo and Ortho. Dr. Chun-Kun Wang at St. Lukes Med. Center in San Francisco (UOP and Case Western Pedo), Dr. Dorothy Pang, a new faculty member at UCSF (U. of London, DDS/Texas and Pedo/N. Carolina), and Dr. John Ukich in practice in Coer d'Alene, ID (Marquette).

New student members include:

At UCSF: Claudia Masouredis (UCSF), Ye-Ming Wu (Kashiung Med. Col, Taipei)

At USC: Nicholas Brajevic (USC all the way), Robyn Fung (Boston U and Tufts), Shu-Hui Lean (Taipei Med. Col)

At UCLA: Lynn Lempert (Emory and Mt. Sinai Med. Center), Gabriel Mizraji (UCLA all the way/in Pedo-Ortho pgm.), Patricia Nartallo-Turley (U. of B. Aires), Santiago Surillo (Fairfield and Indiana/in Pedo-Ortho pgm), Cynthia Weideman (UC Davis, UOP) and dad's a CSPD member in Citrus Heights.

MEMBERSHIP STATUS

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| Active | 311 | Faculty | 10 |
| Associate | 11 | Life | 23 |
| Retired | 7 | Honary | 1 |
| Students | 37 | | |

Thomas K. Barber

BABY BOTTLE TOOTH DECAY

The Public Health Foundation has recently produced a 2-3 minute VHS tape on Baby Bottle Tooth Decay which is suitable for parental viewing in the waiting room or prevention room areas of your office. The tape, entitled "Parent to Parent" is available in English, Spanish, Chinese and Korean. The price per tape is \$4.05 plus shipping costs. If you wish to order the tape the address is: Public Health Foundation, 583 Monterey Pass Road, Monterey Park, CA 91754

PROFESSIONAL AND PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

BBTD PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

The long awaited and much heralded "Baby Bottle Tooth Decay" public service announcement is "in the can" as they say in the industry. This joint effort between CSPD, CDA and Danny Villineueva's KSMS Spanish Network Television Station is currently being distributed. It was done in Spanish and English and will be available for viewing at the October Board Meeting. I would propose that the Board consider making copies of the spot available to members to be run on their local stations and to send a copy to AAP for their review and possible distribution on a national level.

ATHLETIC MOUTH GUARD PROJECT

David Perry has continued to interact with the Council on Dental Health at CDA to encourage the implementation of a CDA effort to promote the use of athletic mouth guards for California youth in all contact sports within.

It goes without saying that CSPD and its members could play a key role in the success of any program CDA may decide on.

The project remains in the review process at CDA; however, Dr. David Perry will update us on how we might best interact with the Council to facilitate the project. Dr. Perry has obtained and reviewed a video tape produced by the Ohio Dental Society in their statewide mouth protector project which he will have available for review at the October 17th meeting.

Pertinent to the Mouth Guard Project, CDA is developing a poster featuring Joe Montana to promote mouth guards. The CSPD Board should discuss the possibility of using these posters per Dr. Steve Chan's suggestion.

WESTERN REGIONAL HEADSTART MEETING

I recently was invited to participate as a spokesperson for Pediatric Dentistry at a Western Regional meeting for the Headstart programs on the West Coast. One thing which came thru loud and clear is the universal need for dental care for Headstart children. Several counties in California are considering developing a consortium of various agencies (Headstart, CHDP, WIC, Migrant Ed.) to jointly establish clinics or facilities which would deliver comprehensive oral health care to the children in the various programs. The Dental Care committee will address these issues in detail however I would suggest that CSPD begin to take steps to position itself as an advisory source at this time if we feel that we have a role to play with all the talk about and movement toward government participation in "Health Insurance" for all.

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PEER REVIEW COMMITTEE REPORT

Peer Review Activity

The Committee received and resolved three cases in the 3rd quarter of 1992. Additionally, two informal complaints related to issues of behavior management were received and forwarded to us by component societies. We provided our perspective on these issues in correspondence sent to the parents. Of the three formal cases, two were resolved in favor of the dentist and one in favor of the patient. Two cases involved orthodontic treatment and one case questioned the quality of restorative care.

Peer Review Issues

The evaluation of cases involving behavior management has always posed difficulties for Pediatric Peer Review. Because of

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