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Organized dentistry is my passion. There's nothing else that has such great potential to impact the profession. When I purchased my practice in 2010, I felt isolated. I was fortunate enough to have people around me who encouraged me to get involved. I started working on creating a New Dentist Committee for our state and am proud of what that has become. Organized dentistry has the power to connect people and experiences in a community like no other and I hope that I can continue to do that for District 10 as your ADA Trustee.



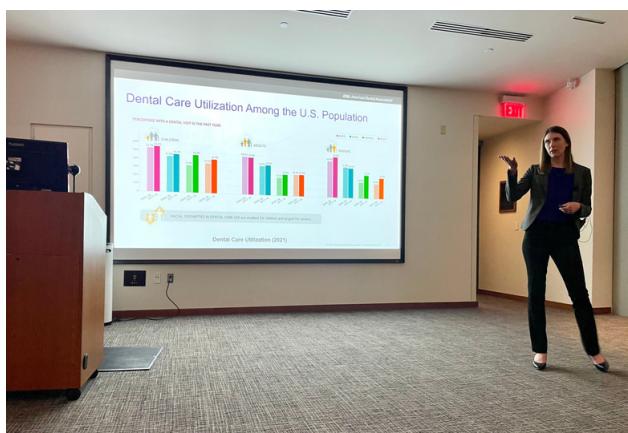
ADA

- 2022-present **Council on Dental Benefit Programs**
- 2022-present **ERISA Special Committee**
- 2022-present **Dental Quality Alliance Practice and Clinician Level Measure Development Workgroup**
- 2020-present **Iowa Delegate**
- 2018-present **Success Speaker Corps**
 - 2021-present Speaker Advisory Committee
 - Over 50 programs presented to students across the country
- 2023 West Region **Strategic Forecasting Nomination Committee**
- 2022 10th District **Caucus Chair**
- 2021-2022 **Institute for Diversity in Leadership**
- 2021 **Reference Committee B** Member
- 2016-2020 **New Dentist Committee**
 - 2017-2018 Chair, Subcommittee on New Dentist Engagement
- 2017-2020 **Council on Dental Benefit Programs**,
 - New Dentist Member
- 2016-2017 **Council on Ethics, Bylaws, Judicial Affairs**
 - New Dentist Representative



IDA

- 2022-present **Trustee**
- 2021-present **Medicaid Committee**
 - 2021-present Chair
- 2021-present **Legislative Committee**
 - 2022-present Vice-Chair
- 2021-present **Iowa Dental Political Action Committee**
 - 2021-present Vice-Chair
- 2017-present **National Signing Day**
- 2012-present Legislative **Key Contact**
- 2010-present **Iowa Mission of Mercy**
 - 2017 Local Committee Chair
- 2020-2021 **COVID-19 Return to Work Task Force**
- 2015-2020 **New Dentist Committee**
 - 2015-2017 Chair
- 2017 **Annual Session Chair**
- 2011-2018 **Delegate**





LEADERSHIP

- 2010-present **University District Dental Society**
 - 2016-2017 President
 - 2012-2016 Board Member
- 2010-present University of Iowa College of Dentistry **Associate Clinical Adjunct Professor**
 - 2010-2017 Clinical teaching role in Department of Family Dentistry
- 2017-present **International College of Dentists**
 - Iowa Deputy Regent 2019-2022
 - Iowa Counselor 2018-2019
- 2021-present Dental Medicaid **Advocate**
collaborating with key stakeholders within the Medicaid community including dentists, state employees, MCO representatives, and legislators
 - 2022-2023 Iowa Medicaid Stakeholder Referral Workgroup
- 2019-present **Presenter** for webinars and courses educating members on coding and insurance best practices



COMMUNITY

- 2019-present **Virginia Gay Hospital Board of Directors**
 - 2020-present Secretary
- 2010-present **Vinton Lions Club**
 - 2017-2018 President
- 2010-present **Dental educational events** throughout Benton County
- 2017-present **Benton County Breast Cancer Survivors 5k Volunteer**



HONORS

- 2023 Fellow, **American College of Dentists** (convocation Fall 2023)
- 2023 Fellow, **Pierre Fauchard Academy**
- 2022 IDA **Outstanding Service Award**
- 2022 Graduate, **ADA Institute for Diversity in Leadership**
- 2017 Fellow, **International College of Dentists**
- 2015 IDA **New Dentist of the Year**