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Oral Health Summit

RECONNECT, EVALUATE,
AND LOOK FORWARD



Kentucky Oral Health Coalition

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For a lifetime of oral health

2015 KENTUCKY ORAL HEALTH SUMMIT PURPOSE: To bring advocates for improved oral health together in Kentucky to share information, learn, network, and have a dialogue to prioritize public policy efforts.

SUMMIT OBJECTIVES:

- Shared understanding of Kentucky's oral health policy initiatives and landscape.
- Improved collaboration and communication among oral health advocates.
- Shared agreement on policy solutions to improve oral health in Kentucky.

SUMMIT AGENDA

8:30 a.m.

Registration

9:00 a.m.

WELCOME MESSAGE

Dr. Nikki Stone, Chair, Kentucky Oral Health Coalition

KEYNOTE – A Skeptic's Guide to the Oral-Systemic Health Connection

- **Dr. Michael Glick**, Professor and William M. Feagans Chair, School of Dental Medicine, University of Buffalo
- Introduction of Keynote – **Dr. John Sauk**, Dean of the University of Louisville School of Dentistry

During the past couple of decades there has been a renewed interest in the association between oral infections and systemic diseases. As these associations are discussed in the non-professional literature, patients are becoming aware of these associations and will sometimes ask health care provider for more information. This presentation will discuss the emerging association between oral and non-oral conditions, and provide guidance on how to address these associations with patients.

Participants in this session will:

- Evaluate studies reporting on association between oral and systemic conditions
- Understand the role of oral infections and general health
- Be equipped to inform their patients, clients, and students about the association between oral infections and their health

PRESENTATION – The State of Oral Health in Kentucky – Data, Programs and Future

- **Dr. Julie McKee**, State Dental Director, Kentucky Oral Health Program
- **Lisa Lee**, Commissioner, Kentucky Medicaid Program

Two of Kentucky's key leaders in oral health will talk with the participants about the important work of their offices in Medicaid and Public Health prevention. They will discuss outcomes, needs, and future directions.

Participants in this session will:

- Learn about the role of the government in oral health services and prevention, specifically the Medicaid dental benefit, changes in Medicaid dental regulations, and Cabinet for Health and Family Services efforts to improve oral health
- Become aware of trends and needs in oral health in Kentucky
- Have a sense of where Kentucky is headed and what is currently working in oral health

Oral Health Champion Awards, Lunch and Networking

Panel Discussion: Envisioning Oral Health Beyond 2015

- Panel discussion facilitated by **Bill Goodman**, KET public affairs host and managing editor
- Panelists include **Dr. Michael Glick**, **Dr. Nikki Stone**, **Eva Stone**, and **Representative Tom Burch**.

This panel discussion will explore the future of oral health in Kentucky. This facilitated panel will weave in themes from the morning sessions with an eye towards the next 5 years. Nationally and in Kentucky, oral health is being recognized as more than just visiting the dentist twice a year – it's about policy, prevention, integration, networks, collaboration and data. The leaders on the panel will share their outlook on where Kentucky policies are headed.

Participants in this session will:

- Analyze various viewpoints on oral health policy and prevention
- Become engaged in debate on options for oral health policy in Kentucky and nationally
- Hear about state and national resources for advocacy and policy

Public Policy Prioritization Conversations: Putting a Kentucky Road Map Together, Together

With all of the policy efforts underway in Kentucky (i.e. KY Health Now, SIM, NGA Workforce Studies, Managed Care, professional licensing) the time is now to get specific about where advocates for increased access to care want to focus efforts. Kentucky is part of a national movement to improve oral health outcomes. This session will provide an overview of a tool and a process for collaboratively drafting proposals for goals and activities for the upcoming two years.

Participants in this session will:

- Work collaboratively to draft a roadmap for Kentucky to move the needle forward in oral health in the next two years
- Share thoughts, ideas, proposals, and counterproposals
- Prioritize ideas

3:30 p.m.

Closing remarks and Invitation to KOHC Annual Meeting

Dr. Nikki Stone, Chair, Kentucky Oral Health Coalition



DR. NIKKI STONE is a 1995 graduate of the University of Kentucky and her current position is dental director for the UK North Fork Valley Community Health Center in Hazard, Perry County. She holds a joint appointment with UK's Colleges of Dentistry and Medicine as an Associate Professor, and is best known for her work pioneering the dental outreach component of UKCD's first regional dental program, a model that was chosen as one of 25 promising and innovative preventive dental programs nationwide by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.

Through 19 years of practicing dentistry, Dr. Stone has established her interest and expertise in the area of children's dentistry and dental outreach, focusing on advocating for underserved children and promoting the prevention and treatment of early childhood caries as well as educating families and children about good nutrition to promote optimal oral health and overall wellness.



JULIE MCKEE, DMD was named the State Dental Director in September 2007. Dr. McKee has a BS in Biology from the University of Kentucky and her DMD from the University of Louisville. Prior to her appointment at the Kentucky Department for Public Health, Dr. McKee was the Director of the WEDCO District Health Department for more than 12 years. Dr. McKee was the Lead Facilitator of the eleven Community Forums and shared the responsibility of the planning and coordination of the forums process.



Since 1996 **BILL GOODMAN** has been the host and managing editor of the Emmy Award-winning public affairs series Kentucky Tonight on KET. Additionally, he serves as host for Education Matters, KET's election night coverage, and One to One with Bill Goodman. In April 2013, Bill was inducted into the Kentucky Journalism Hall of Fame. Writer of the KET blog "Bill's Eye,"

Bill also holds an MFA in Creative Nonfiction from Spalding University. His collection of personal essays, titled "One Kentucky Life," will be published in the spring of 2014. A native of Glasgow, Ky., Bill graduated from Western Kentucky University. Prior to coming to KET, he worked at TV stations in Nashville and Houston. Bill lives in Lexington.



EVA CASEAMAN STONE, APRN, MSN is the Director of Student Support Services for Lincoln County Schools in Stanford KY. Ms. Stone earned a Bachelor's Degree in Nursing from West Virginia University and a MSN from the University of Kentucky. Before starting her current position in Lincoln County, she was the School Health Coordinator for Boyle County Schools. She has served as School Health Coordinator

in Lincoln County and nursing supervisor for the Garrard County Health Department. She also works as needed for Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center and is adjunct faculty for Indiana Wesleyan University for the on-line MSN program. Eva is School Health Section chair for the Kentucky Public Health Association, Director of the Danville region for the Kentucky Coalition of Nurse Practitioners and Nurse Midwives and is a member of the National Association of School Nurses, Kentucky Nurses Association and the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners. She lives in Danville with her husband and three daughters.



REP. TOM BURCH
Kentucky House of Representatives
*District 30 in Southeastern
Jefferson County*



Jefferson County native, Representative Tom Burch served in the United States Navy and graduated from Bellarmine College with a degree in business administration. He retired after nearly 40 years with General Electric Corporation, where he worked as a production control manager.

Representative Burch was first elected to the Kentucky House of Representatives in 1972 and is currently the longest serving House member. He has served as Chairman of the House Health and Welfare Committee since 1985. He also serves as a member of the Licensing and Occupations Committee, the Seniors, Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection Committee, and the Budget Review Subcommittee on Human Resources.

KEYNOTE



DR. MICHAEL GLICK is Professor and William M. Feagans Chair at the School of Dental Medicine, University at Buffalo, State University of New York. Dr. Glick has authored more than 250 journal publications, numerous book chapters and has written and edited 10 books. He serves on several national and international committees, and chairs the Vision 2020 for the World Dental Federation. He has lectured extensively both within the United States and internationally. Dr. Glick is the past-President of the American Board of Oral Medicine and has served as the Editor of The Journal of the American Dental Association since 2005.



LISA LEE is the Commissioner for the Department for Medicaid Services and also serves as the Program Director for the Kentucky Children's Health Insurance Program (KCHIP). Previously to being named Commissioner, Ms. Lee served in various capacities in the Department, including Deputy Commissioner, Division Director, Assistant Director, and Policy Analyst. In these various roles, Ms.

Lee provided direction to a variety of Medicaid programs such as dental, physician, transportation, primary care centers, vision, hearing, Federally Qualified Health Care Centers, and Rural Health Clinics. Ms. Lee also provided direction to programs specifically aimed at improving the health of Kentucky Children, including the Early and Periodic Screening Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT), school based health services, Health Access Nurturing and Development Services (HANDS), and First Steps.

Commissioner Lee has worked for the Department for Medicaid Services for 15 years and served as Program Director for KCHIP for 12 years. She played a key role in streamlining the enrollment process for children in KCHIP and Medicaid which led to enrollment of an additional 60,000 children in Medicaid and KCHIP.



TEETH ARE THE HARDEST SUBSTANCE IN THE HUMAN BODY

DENTAL CARE REMAINS THE GREATEST UNMET HEALTH NEED AMONG U.S. CHILDREN

ESPECIALLY IN LOW-INCOME CHILDREN WHO ARE 2X AS LIKELY TO DEVELOP CAVITIES



KOHC'S SUCCESSES:

Sustainability: SECURING FUNDING PARTNERS FOR A STATEWIDE ORAL HEALTH LITERACY CAMPAIGN

Advocacy: WORKING TO CHANGE POLICY TO IMPROVE ORAL HEALTH FOR ALL

Diversity: HUNDREDS OF STAKEHOLDERS FROM A WIDE-ARRAY OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS ENGAGED IN CAMPAIGN PLANNING

Research: UTILIZING DATA, SURVEYS AND FOCUS GROUPS TO DETERMINE CURRENT NEEDS AND TRENDS

Collaboration: ADVOCATES WORKING TOGETHER TO IDENTIFY SOLUTIONS TO HIGH-PRIORITY ISSUES

KOHC'S PRIORITIES:

Improve ORAL HEALTH AWARENESS

Expand SCHOOL-BASED ORAL HEALTH SERVICES

Increase THE NUMBER OF DENTISTS ACCEPTING MEDICAID

IN 2012, KENTUCKY HAD THE FIFTH HIGHEST RATE OF "TOOTHLESSNESS" IN THE COUNTRY AMONG ADULTS 65 AND OLDER