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www.who.int

REMINDERS

⇒ **SEEKING SUBMISSIONS!** ★

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Apr 23

⇒ **Eleanor Bushee Award**
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HEY LADY DENTIST!

Welcome to our monthly publication.
Scroll below for some news and updates.

Update from the Board of Directors

For the last few weeks local, state, national and international headlines have focused on the widespread effects of the Coronavirus. As healthcare providers, each of us are on the frontlines of any public health crisis as it affects our patients, our staff, our families and us as individuals.

Let us all remain vigilant and emphasize to our patients and staff the guidelines to help limit the spread of the virus in our communities. These guidelines include the following: (which can be posted in your office)

- **Do not shake hands.** Wash your hands frequently with soap and water for a minimum of 20 seconds or, as an alternative, use alcohol-based hand sanitizer (60% alcohol) – Rub until dry.
- **Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth.**
- **Clean and disinfect** frequently touched objects and surfaces using a recommended cleaning spray or wipe.
- **Stay home if you are sick** and avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- **Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue,** throw the tissue in the trash, and wash your hands. If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into the inside of your elbow, not your hands.

More useful information can be found at www.cdc.gov and www.who.int .

While the AAWD Board of Directors has elected to postpone any unnecessary travel, please rest assured that we are continuing to work diligently on furthering the advancement of women in dentistry. As always, please reach out with any questions or concerns.

Continue to stay safe.....



SPOTLIGHTS



In December of 2019 AAWD Awarded 4 members with scholarships to the 2020 Icons of Dentistry Summit sponsored by Ultradent Products, Inc. The 2020 Icons of Dentistry Summit will take place in South Jordan, UT at the Ultradent Products, Inc headquarters July 15-18, 2020. Members were asked to submit an essay that was evaluated by our awards committee. The submissions were fantastic making it challenging to pick just four winners! We are excited to announce that they members receiving the scholarship are Drs. Isabel Rambob, Danielle Dey, Caroline Mikaloff and Jennifer Haslen. Registration for the 2020 Icons of Dentistry Summit is still open and all members are encouraged to attend this worthwhile event!

Our students are always on the move and are doing exciting things within their chapters! Check out this month's #studentchapterspotlight: **The Medical University of South Carolina.** Their Instagram is @musc_aawd so stop by their page and check them out!

On March 11, 2020 AAWD member Lauren Gritzer, MPH presented to the Baltimore City Dental Society on "The Importance and Implications of Providing Oral Health Care During Pregnancy." Lauren is a second-year dental student at the University of Maryland, School of Dentistry in Baltimore Maryland. Her presentation was dynamic and informative capturing the attention of the meeting attendees. In attendance were AAWD members Drs. Leslie Grant and Brittany Bergeron. We are excited for this #risingstar and can't wait to see what the future holds for her.

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Pictured L to R: Dr. Leslie Grant,
Lauren Gritzer, MPH, Dr. Brittany Bergeron