

# THE CHRONICLE MONTHLY

THE OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN DENTISTS

## highlights



## SPOTLIGHT: THE GILLETTE HAYDEN MEMORIAL FOUNDATION

By Dr. Trucia Drummond, AAWD Past Treasurer and Trustee of the GHMF.

If you joined AAWD in the last ten years, you may not be aware of one of its ancillary foundations: the Gillette Hayden Memorial Foundation. This organization has been out of the limelight for a while, but it has been reinvigorated and is now offering some great opportunities for AAWD members to undertake new pursuits. Today I would like to review the relationship between AAWD and the GHMF and the importance the Foundation holds for AAWD.

In 1930, The Gillette Hayden Scholarship Loan Fund was established to honor the memory of Dr. Gillette Hayden. Its purpose: "To aid, by means of loans, promising women students in dental college. When sufficiently large this fund will further graduate research in dentistry by some gifted women. Any woman student desiring a loan may apply to the Fellowship Committee of the Association of American Women Dentists."

The organization was named for Dr. Gillette Hayden, and was established in her memory for her devotion to the advancement of women in dentistry. She was one of the founders of AAWD and served as president in 1924. She was also the co-founder of Academy of Periodontology with Dr. Grace Spalding.

In 1967, a charitable trust was formalized, and the name was changed to the Gillette Hayden Memorial Foundation. The trust was an agreement made between the Association of American Women Dentists and the Trustees of The Gillette Hayden Scholarship Loan Fund. The purpose of this trust was stated to be exclusively for charitable, religious, scientific, literary or educational (including educational scholarships and loans) activities. This document established that the AAWD would serve as the Advisory Committee and recommend the actions to be taken by the Trustees. (cont.)

@womendentists

(continued from p1) The primary work of the Foundation was to provide loans to women dental students, and this effort continued for decades. The monies conferred on the loan recipients was relatively substantial compared to the costs of dental school at the time. The application process was fairly rigorous and the payback requirements stringent. Payment in full was expected with interest within a year of graduation.

By the time the loan program was suspended, the money available was limited and the amount conferred relatively insignificant compared to the overall cost of schooling. Debt collection became an onerous and uncomfortable process. The effort/reward ratio was not deemed worthwhile.

The Foundation then pursued another program in keeping with the original mission and joined with Proctor and Gamble to provide awards for dental resident research. This program was in effect for a number of years. GHMF provided one half of the \$10,000.00 monetary award.

In 2015, AAWD went through a major upheaval and reorganization. During that period, The Gillette Hayden Memorial Foundation slipped into inertia, and the relationship between GHMF and AAWD became estranged. Happily, the Foundation has found its footing and has a wonderful outlook for the future. Working in cooperation with the board of the American Association of Women Dentists means that the GHMF can achieve its goals for the success of both organizations.

I am pleased to report if you haven't already, you will be soon introduced to two new programs that the Gillette Hayden Memorial Foundation has undertaken. These are exciting projects that have invigorated the members of the board of the GHMF and offer wonderful opportunities for AAWD members. These should make all members of AAWD proud of their charitable sister organization.

**[CLICK HERE](#) TO COMPLETE THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION.**

**ADEA Woman Dentist Faculty Tuition Scholarships for Professional Development.**

Jointly sponsored by GHMF/AAWD and ADEA Emerging Leaders Program. Supports professional development activities for women dentist faculty in dental and allied dental education in the early stages of their careers

**The GHMF Practice Management Scholarship for New Dental Practice Owners.**

The goal of the scholarship is to support a woman dentist practice owner in her efforts to learn the business of dentistry and at the same time encourage applicants to practice in health professional shortage areas.

## Easily Support Smiles for Success when shopping on Amazon!



**Support the Smiles for Success Foundation While You Shop!**

**Consider using AmazonSmile to support the Smiles for Success Foundation! All you have to do is [click on this link](#) and designate SFS as your charity of choice.**

**Amazon will give 0.05% of eligible purchases to the Smiles for Success Foundation each time you shop using Amazon Smile!**

## The American Association of Women Dentists is seeking candidates to serve on the 2023-2024 AAWD Board.

AAWD board members work together to advance women in dentistry. The Nominations Committee is currently seeking candidates who will bring wisdom, effectiveness, candor, and creative thinking to the board. In choosing nominees to develop the election slate, the Nominations Committee considers candidates' backgrounds and experiences in five areas:

1. Contributions to dentistry
2. Strategic planning experience
3. Leadership experience
4. Experience assessing and administering finances
5. Corporate relations experience

The open board positions for this term are as follows: President, President-Elect, Secretary/Treasurer, Director of Corporate Relations, and Director of Membership and Chapters.



**[CLICK HERE TO NOMINATE!](#)**



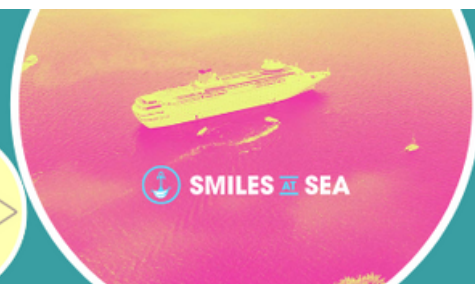
**AAWD CELEBRATES 100 YEARS  
WITH A ROYAL CARIBBEAN  
CRUISE**

**FORT LAUDERDALE, FL TO COCOCAY, BAHAMAS**

**NOVEMBER**

**4-7**

2022



We will be setting sail November 4-7, 2022 to celebrate 100 years of AAWD and women dentists worldwide! Bring your family and your team for an unforgettable 3 night dental cruise at sea. Our fun-filled round trip adventure from Ft. Lauderdale to Cococay, Bahamas includes all the perks of a refreshing cruise vacation while also giving you the opportunity to earn up to 12 CEs from leading dental speakers (7 CEs on the cruise and 5 CEs on land the day before cruise departure).

**[Click Here to view the itinerary and register!](#)**



Looking to shop?  
Check out our  
preferred vendors!

# MEMBER BENEFIT

spotlight

ARMOIRE

There's no better time to celebrate our partnership with Armoire Clothing Rental than Women's History Month! Armoire is founded by women, for women. Their clothing caters to the working dentist, boss lady, mother, mother-to-be, and the week adventurer. As a member of AAWD, you can subscribe to Armoire's wardrobe rental service at a 50% discount on any plan!

BANK OF AMERICA

PROFESSIONAL  
PROTECTOR PLAN®  
FOR DENTISTS



ARMOIRE

MERRILL  
A BANK OF AMERICA COMPANY

Juno Formerly  
LeverEdge

GEICO®  
#MemberDiscount

MC  
MERCHANT COST  
CONSULTING

HOPETOWN  
DENTAL LAB

FOR WOMEN, BY WOMEN



AMBIKA SINGH  
FOUNDER + CEO

“

*"I've been sharing clothes with the women in my life since as long as I can remember. As a female powered company ourselves, we're committed to supporting other boss ladies. Armoire carries a growing number of female founded brands, started by creative, driven women just like you."*

Armoire is tailor-made for the professional busy woman, providing her a wardrobe to telegraph her sense of power and self, in a minimal amount of time.

Simply sign up, tell them your style and fit preferences, and pick your favorite pieces, then exchange them on your schedule. Shipping, cleaning, & styling included. The unique combination of their sophisticated algorithm, and high-touch personalized service, ensures you will consistently look composed, stylish, professional, and powerful.