

Michigan Dental Assistants Association Student Day Program

You are invited to compete for the...

JAMES B. BUSH AWARD

This award was named in honor of James B. Bush, D.D.S., MDAA Honorary Member and supporter of dental assisting in Michigan. This award competition is open to all dental assisting students attending ADA accredited programs. The participants will have been judged as the best in their own school and one participant from each school will be accepted for the competition. The competition is an essay pertaining to dental assisting.

ESSAY REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be pertinent to the dental assisting field.
2. Must be 3 to 5 minutes in length.
3. One participant per ADA Accredited dental assisting program.

Present your essay at the MDAA Annual Session, Student Day Program.

4. Bring a typed copy of your essay to submit to MDAA, which has your name and schools name under the title.

RECOGNITION FOR YOUR SCHOOL

A traveling plaque engraved with the winners name and school name will be on loan to the winner's school for display until the following Student Day Program.

***The winner of the essay competition may have their photo and essay published.

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JAMES B. BUSH ESSAY COMPETITION REGISTRATION FORM

SCHOOL REPRESENTING: _____

PRESENTER: _____

TOPIC: _____

DENTAL INSTRUCTOR AND PHONE: _____

MDAA will supply a podium and microphone. If any additional audiovisual equipment is needed, please contact the Student Day Chairman to discuss availability.

Please return completed form no later than: _____

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NELLIE GRAVES EDUCATION AWARD

This award was named in honor of MDAA Past President and ADAA and MDAA Life Member, Nellie Graves, CDA, DOM, R.P. who has maintained active membership and devoted over fifty years of service to the Michigan Dental Assistants Association. She has also been recognized as a Michigan Honorary Member. Nellie has been a vocational educator within the Detroit Schools and Past President of the Michigan Dental Assistants Association. This award competition is open to all dental assisting students in programs that are not accredited by the ADA. The participants will have been judged as the best in their class and one participant from each class within the school will be accepted for the competition. The MDAA Student Day Chairman will select the type of competition each year. Essay, poster or table clinic are four possible competitions for the award. The competition will be held at the Student Day Program during the MDAA Annual Session.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be pertinent to the dental assistant field.
2. If an essay it must be 3 to 5 minutes in length.
3. One participant per class within a dental assisting program not accredited by the ADA.
4. Present your entry at the MDAA Annual Session, Student Day Program.
5. Bring a typed copy of your essay to submit to MDAA, which has your name and schools name under the title.

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MICHIGAN DENTAL ASSISTANTS ASSOCIATION
NELLY GRAVES EDUCATION AWARD

SCHOOL REPRESENTING: _____

PRESENTER: _____

TOPIC: _____

DENTAL INSTRUCTOR AND PHONE: _____

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Please return completed form no later than: April 1, 2019

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Student Day Program

You are invited to compete in the.....

MDAA TABLE CLINIC COMPETITION

*** There will be a separate competition for accredited and non-accredited program students.**

Purpose: Teams consisting of two (2) students will prepare a visual display of a dental related topic. This display will allow the student to express and highlight ideas related to their topic.

*** Topic may not promote a brand or commercial endorsement of a dental product.**

Rules:

1. Teams will present in a random order.
2. The display will be presented by a team of no more than two.
3. Topic must fit on a table top and be able to be presented with repetition.
4. Competitors may use a computer, provided by the team and it will be their responsibility to make sure the appropriate projection tools are available.
5. Table top displays may include the following:
 - a . Audio-visual equipment
 - b . Computers
 - c . Mannequins
 - d . Pamphlets
 - e . Brochures
 - f . Any combination of the above
6. The students are responsible for the safety and proper functioning of all equipment they bring to student day.
7. The presentation must be between 3-5 minutes in length.
8. Teams will be judged from the attached evaluation form.

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TABLE CLINIC REGISTRATION FORM

SCHOOL REPRESENTING: _____

PRESENTER(S): _____

TITLE: _____

DENTAL INSTRUCTOR AND PHONE: _____

Does the table clinic require electricity? YES NO

If Yes, you must provide your own 3-prong extension cord and MDAA will make every attempt to position you near an electrical outlet.

MDAA will supply a table and microphone. If any additional audiovisual equipment is needed, please contact the Student Day Chairman to discuss availability.

Please return completed form no later than April 1, 2019.

MDAA STUDENT DAY GUIDELINES FOR JUDGING ESSAYS/PAPERS

Title: _____

Presenter Name: _____

School Name: _____

		Points
I. The Appearance of the Dental Assistant A. Professional Attire	5	_____
II. Essay Subject Knew subject well B. Unified thought C. Pertaining to dental assistants	30	_____
III. Presentation A. Eye contact with audience B. Grammar C. Clearness of voice	20	_____
IV. Arrangement of Essay Subjects arranged in order B. No extra material C. Length of essay (3 to 5 minutes)	20	_____
V. Audience Acceptance A. Held attention B. Caused comment C. Answered any questions	20	_____
VI. Essay Submission A. Typewritten essay submitted listing title, Presenters name and school name.	5	_____

TOTAL 100 _____

MDAA STUDENT DAY GUIDELINES FOR JUDGING POSTERS

Topic: _____

Presenter Name: _____

School Name: _____

	Points	
I. Appearance of Poster	50	_____
A. Eye appeal (well arranged, not cluttered, not too sparse)		
B. Poster correct size (15" x 18")		
C. Legibility		
D. Creativity		
II. Poster Subject	50	_____
A. Education value		
B. Shows assistant's personal touch		

TOTAL 100

MDAA STUDENT DAY GUIDELINES FOR JUDGING TABLE CLINICS

Title: _____

Presenter Name: _____

School Name: _____

Presenter Name: _____

SCALE: 4=Outstanding, 3=Good, 2=Average, 1=Poor

CRITERIA	4	3	2	1	Comments
Material based on scientific data	4	3	2	1	
Organized and presented logically	4	3	2	1	
Title reflects content	4	3	2	1	
Originality	4	3	2	1	
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AV used effectively	4	3	2	1	
AV displays creativity	4	3	2	1	
Materials pertinent to presentation	4	3	2	1	
Handouts provide bibliography	4	3	2	1	
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Professionalism	4	3	2	1	
Knowledgeable	4	3	2	1	
Enthusiasm	4	3	2	1	
Answered questions	4	3	2	1	

TOTAL POINTS _____

What was outstanding about this table clinic? _____

Additional comments: _____

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MDAA VIDEO CLIP/POWERPOINT PRESENTATION COMPETITION

***There will be a separate competition for accredited and non-accredited program students. All schools are requested to submit video clips/PowerPoint. Students must be present in order to receive the award.**

Goal: To promote teamwork among students, encourage creativity, enhance student knowledge and improve technological skills. These videos should be fun and informative. They will be used to entertain and educate viewers about oral health and the dental assisting profession.

Instructions: Teams consisting of no more than 3 students will prepare a video clip/PowerPoint scenario demonstrating infection control, oral hygiene instructions, 4-handed dentistry, etc. This must be accomplished quickly and without commentary (explain what is or isn't happening). The video/images should speak for itself.

***Topics may not promote a brand or may not be a commercial endorsement of a specific product.**

Rules:

- 1. Teams will be presented in random order**
- 2. Students will not be presenting their entry. All entries need to be submitted by April 1st to be downloaded on a computer supplied by MDAA. Thus the entry should include a credit image indicating the school and names of the team presenting.**
- 3. The presentation should be no longer than 3 minutes.**
- 4. Presentations will be judged using the attached evaluation form.**

**MICHIGAN DENTAL ASSISTANTS ASSOCIATION
VIDEO CLIP/POWERPOINT COMPETITION
REGISTRATION FORM**

Title: _____

Presenter Name: _____

School Name: _____

Instructor Name and Phone: _____

Post Secondary _____ Secondary _____

MDAA will supply the laptop and data projector for the presentation.

Video Format Requirements

1. Videos must be brief, no longer than ninety (90) seconds.
2. Please submit videos in the preferred windows media viewer format (WMV).
3. Some other formats may work but are not guaranteed to work on the site such as:
ASF, ASX, MPEG1, MPEG2, MPEG4, and MOV.
4. Please submit videos in the recommended Frame Size: 320 x 240 pixels.

PowerPoint Format Requirements

1. Standard white background must be used.

Send CD/DVD to the following address:

Gwen Graham-Feldkamp, CDA, RDA

2121 Baker Rd

Dexter, MI 48130

MDAA is not responsible for any failures that may occur during the presentation. It will be the responsibility of the school to send all files by April 1st, 2019. No VHS tapes requiring conversion will be accepted. MDAA has the right to refuse any submission that does not meet the guidelines, requirements mentioned or is a recording of poor quality. If you want the DVD returned, it will need to be sent with a self-addressed stamped envelope.

MDAA STUDENT DAY
**GUIDELINES FOR JUDGING VIDEO CLIP/
POWERPOINT PRESENTATION COMPETITION**

Title: _____

Presenter Name: _____

School Name: _____

SCALE: 4= Outstanding 3=Good 2=Average 1=Poor

Criteria

Message: _____

The message is immediately recognizable as something done right, and especially recognizable if it communicates something done wrong.

Audience: _____

The message conveys clearly to dental practitioners around the world.

Technical Merit: _____

Appropriate use of action, transitions, background music, special effects, etc.

Impact: _____

The degree to which the video clip or PowerPoint Presentation achieves the intent.

Total Points _____

What was outstanding about this video clip/PowerPoint presentation?

Additional Comments:

